

A CENTURY+ OF AVIATION

Stinson Municipal Airport (SSF) started as the Stinson School of Flying on 500 acres of land leased by the City to the Stinson family. When the United States entered World War I, civilian flights were banned and the Army took over the airfield as an extension of Kelly Field. After the war, it was renamed Stinson Municipal Airport in 1919.

Stinson is the second-oldest continuously operating airport in the United States and the designated General Aviation Reliever airport to San Antonio International Airport.

Stinson is six miles south of downtown San Antonio, has two runways and a full service fixed-base operator (FBO).

SERVICES AT STINSON

In addition to a full service FBO, Stinson offers 24-hour self-service fuel, major and minor aircraft repair facilities, aircraft sales, storage, charter service, flight catering, helicopter training, pilot and passenger lounges, transient tie-downs and a hangar.

WINGS OVER STINSON

A new air traffic control tower was built at Stinson in 2019. The design, "Wings Over Stinson," integrates biplane wings along the sides of the tower to reflect the city's 100-plus years of aviation history.

STINSON COMMUNITY

The airport is located along the Mission Reach of the San Antonio River and nearby San Antonio Missions National Historical Park, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. In November 2019, the City of San Antonio celebrated the opening of the Stinson Hike and Bike Trail, which connects the airport directly to the river.





