



Alexandria International Airport Announces Partnership with Metropolis to Deploy New Parking Technology

Rolling Out January 5, Passengers Can Look Forward to Seamless Solutions That Save Time and Simplify Journeys

(Alexandria, LA – December 22, 2025) – Today, Alexandria International Airport (AEX) is proud to announce its partnership with Metropolis to implement its drive-in, drive-out AI technology and comprehensive parking services. This collaboration will simplify the travel experience, making it more convenient and stress-free for passengers.

AEX travelers can prepare for the new parking services immediately by downloading the Metropolis [app](#) or scanning a QR code at the parking lot beginning January 5, 2026. To create an account, users must provide their mobile phone number, license plate number, and payment method. On-site license-plate readers ensure automatic payment once the vehicle exits the parking lot, with confirmation provided via text to the account holder.

“With an impressive legacy of operating broader aviation services at more than 75 airports, Metropolis has the technology and expertise to provide a more seamless and efficient parking experience for our travelers,” stated Ralph Hennessy, Executive Director of England Airpark and AEX. “This rollout underscores our focus on delivering an enhanced journey from the moment travelers arrive until they leave AEX.”

“At Metropolis, our mission is to remove friction from the airport experience by delivering an easy-to-use service in the form of checkout-free payments,” said Rob Mitchell, Vice President of Aviation at Metropolis. “By pairing our computer-vision technology with AEX’s focus on operational efficiency and passenger experience, we’re setting the tone for a better trip for all AEX passengers.”

About England Airpark

The England Economic and Industrial Development District is an independent political subdivision of the State of Louisiana. England Airpark encompasses approximately 4,000 acres and includes Alexandria International Airport (AEX). As a mixed-use development offering convenient connectivity through air, interstate highway, rail, and port access, the Airpark features more than 300 residential units and 1.5 million square feet of commercial space, supporting aviation, transportation, manufacturing, education, and engineering sectors. Learn more at www.Englandairpark.org.

About Metropolis

Metropolis is an artificial intelligence company for the real world. Its Computer Vision platform eliminates friction from daily life, powers checkout-free payments and unlocks seamless, predictive and personalized experiences everywhere consumers transact. Metropolis is pioneering the Recognition Economy, transforming physical spaces into responsive environments with an Intelligence Layer that understands presence, anticipates needs and personalizes moments. Leveraging AI, Metropolis' platform understands, adapts and responds to Members in real time. Adding more than 1 million Members each month, it is one of the fastest-growing technology companies in the United States and envisions a future where transacting in the real world is even easier than online.

Following its take-private acquisition of SP+, Metropolis is now the largest parking network in the United States, with 4,200+ locations and operations in 40 countries worldwide. Its proprietary AI technology touches 50 million customers and processes over \$5 billion in payments annually.

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