

SPACEX IN

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FACTS AT A GLANCE

\$100B

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DONATION TO THE
COMMUNITY FOUNDATION
OF ACADIANA

WHAT SPACEX IS BUILDING

■ A high cadence launch site

SpaceX plans to eventually launch their new Starship vehicle thousands of times a year, making rocket launches as routine as airplane travel

The Louisiana site will be a self-sustaining spaceport and will have propellant production, power generation, deep-water shipping capabilities, vehicle processing facilities, and an airport.

JOBS & ECONOMIC IMPACT

■ \$100 billion commitment is the largest capital investment project in Louisiana's history

Expected to create 3,000 direct new jobs, along with thousands of new opportunities for contractors, construction firms, suppliers, and other indirect job growth.

■ Local taxing bodies will benefit, including the police jury, sheriff's office, and school board

The PILOT agreement will provide a \$25 million payment in year one, increasing annually through an escalator, in addition to a \$20 million upfront payment.

■ \$25 million in donations to the Community Foundation of Acadiana for regional planning

To address strategic regional priorities and needs associated with the project's growth.

■ Louisiana businesses and workers are in the pipeline for opportunity

SpaceX will utilize Source Louisiana for in-state vendors and contractors.

Louisiana Works will connect residents with customized training, college programs, apprenticeships, and short-term technical training based on the company's workforce needs.

ENVIRONMENT, WILDLIFE & LOUISIANA'S COAST

■ Proactively engaged state agencies on wildlife & fisheries

SpaceX has proactively worked with LDWF, CPRA and other appropriate state agencies to understand and address potential impacts to wildlife, fisheries and their supporting habitats.

Unavoidable wetlands impacts must be fully mitigated by the company.

■ Accelerating coastal restoration efforts

Beyond required environmental mitigation, SpaceX has sought CPRA guidance on opportunities to improve hydrology, restore habitat and address coastal erosion. The project is not expected to impact active coastal restoration projects, and SpaceX is evaluating voluntary shoreline restoration activities.

If not for this project, the projected level of investment in CPRA-related projects and total number of acres being restored, enhanced, and protected for future generations would not be achievable.

PROTECTING TAXPAYERS & RATEPAYERS

■ Performance-based incentives

Companies must meet investment, employment and other performance commitments before earning applicable incentives.

■ Protecting existing ratepayers

Needed generation and upgrades to existing infrastructure are covered by the company without effect on the ratepayer.

■ DOTD is evaluating potential improvements designed to minimize impacts to the traveling public to the greatest extent possible.

