

# Illinois's airport passengers don't need a tax hike.



*Airports across the country are flush with cash.*

The Airport and Airway Trust Fund has a surplus of almost  
**\$7 billion.**

U.S. customers are already paying  
**\$6.9 billion**  
per year in airport taxes,

helping airport revenues to  
soar to a record of nearly  
**\$32 billion.**

## ILLINOIS AIRPORTS AT A GLANCE



Illinois airports spent

**\$17.3B**

on capital improvements since 2008.



PFC revenues at  
Illinois airports totaled

**\$208M**

in 2018.



Illinois airports reported

**\$450M**

of unlimited cash and  
investments at the end of 2018.



Illinois airport  
revenues totaled

**\$1.8B**

in 2018.

*Source: A4A analysis of FAA Form 127 airport database.*

New taxes on air travel just won't fly!

