

Proposed Recreation Use of Closed Landfill Cell



Executive Summary #21



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AMA Charter
4276



Tennessee Eagles
Radio Control Club

Roane County
Landfill Proposal

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Academy of Model Aeronautics Utilizing Landfills for Recreation

- Academy of Model Aeronautics (AMA) membership 250,000 nationwide. (Dues \$58.00/year) Children (\$1.00) >65years (\$48.00)
- Over 155 flying sites located on landfills nationwide
 - Blount County RC club currently operates at the Blount County Landfill
- Provides \$5 million in liability coverage at Chartered AMA flying sites.
 - \$2.5 Million for the site
 - \$2.5 Million for each member
 - Tennessee Eagle Charter #: 4672
 - We can provide additional insurance if required through AMA.

The Tennessee Eagles



- President: Bob Freels
- Vice President: Bob Moritz
- Secretary/Treasurer: Mike Foley
- Safety Officer: Dave Farmer
- Officers are elected annually and each member participates in all decisions
- Dues \$50.00 year with family members \$10.00
 - Dues are used to maintain the flying site
- 50 members strong ages 6 to 84 years old with membership open to anyone who belongs to the AMA
- The Tennessee Eagles Club Members live in Roane and surrounding counties

Tennessee Eagles RC Club Activities

- Each Year the Tennessee Eagles hold three to four events that bring participants and spectators from around the Region.
 - Two of these events are advertised in a national magazine from AMA.
 - We also advertise on local radio shows, TV, and newspapers
- We donate a portion of our proceeds each year to local benevolent organizations
 - Shriners
- We also work with organizations Such as the Boy Scouts of America to promote Model Aviation.



Current Location

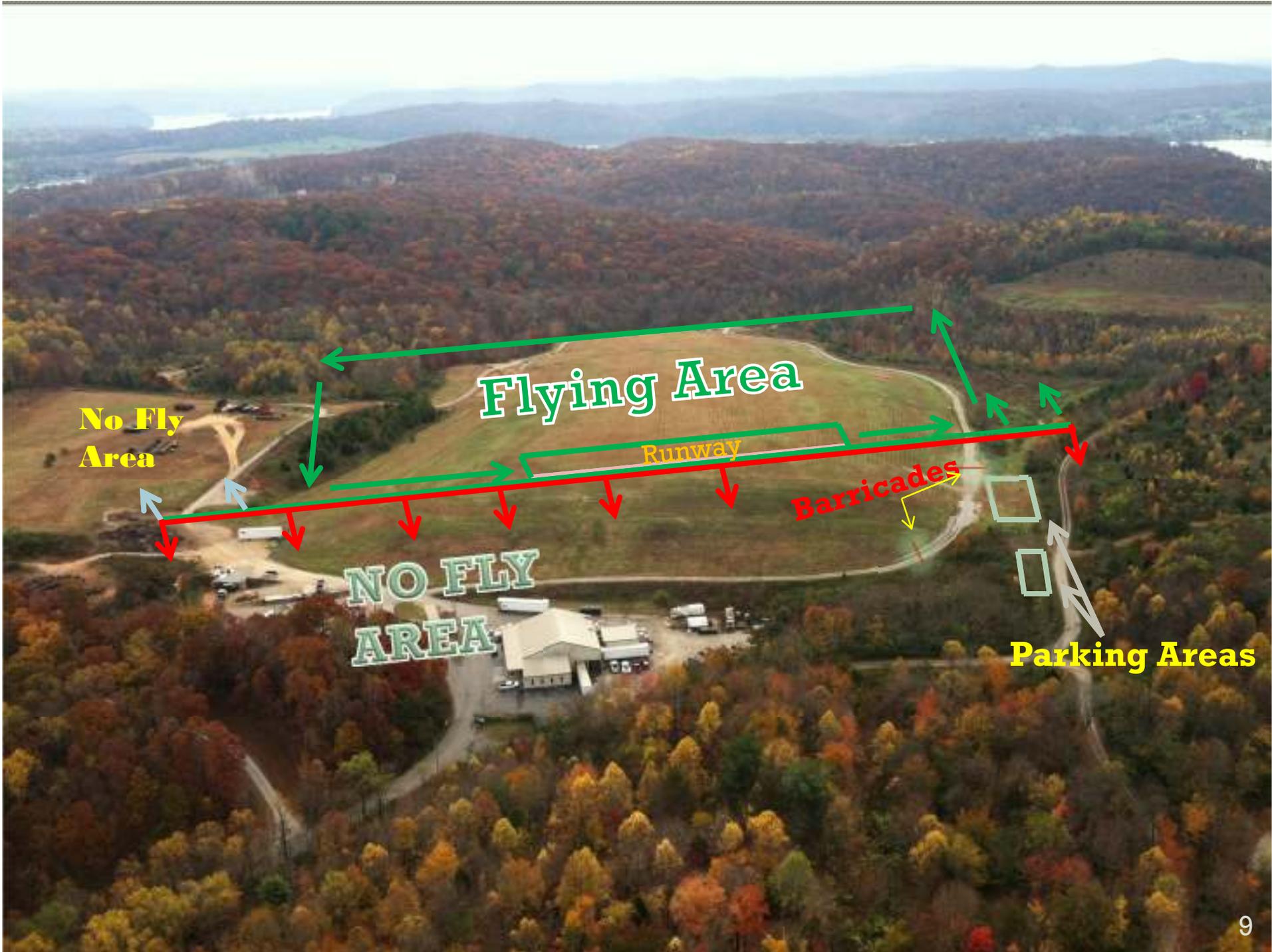
- Currently the TN Eagles are located in a field leased from the City of Harriman off of Fisk Height Road.
- We have operated out of the site for over 20 years
- We are looking for a new flying site to improve security for our club property
- Currently the City of Harriman utilizes this same area and it is difficult at best to keep the gates locked up over night.

Tennessee Eagles Current Location



Proposed Landfill RC Field





No Fly Area

Flying Area

Runway

NO FLY AREA

Barricades

Parking Areas

Summary

- Public use of the landfill that benefits the community and brings additional revenue to Roane County
- TN Eagles Maintains Flying Club Area for member usage
- Insured for 5 million dollars from the AMA
- Provides additional security through club members
- Benefits local charitable organizations