

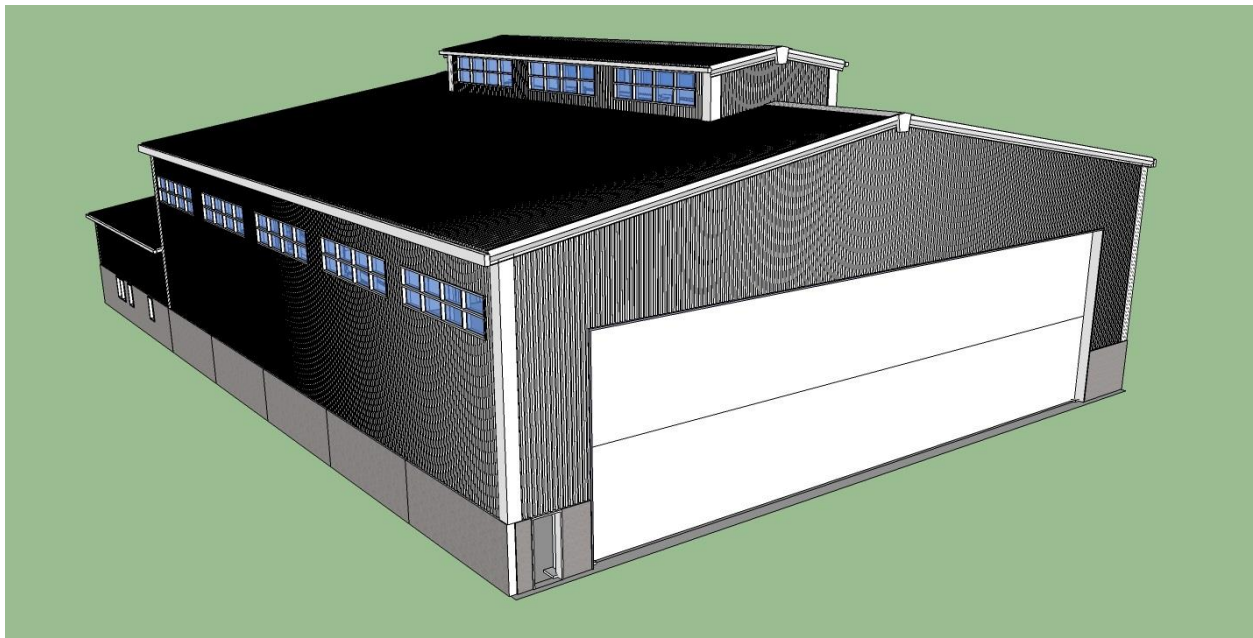
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**STATE LOAN AND INVESTMENT BOARD (SLIB) APPROVES
\$2,578,000 IN FUNDS FOR AIRPORT SPEC HANGAR**

CASPER, WY – Casper / Natrona County International Airport announced that the State Loan and Investment Board (SLIB) approved a grant of \$2,578,000 for the construction of a spec hangar at the Airport. The Wyoming Business Council recommended funding approval of the project on March 12th. The funds will allow for the construction of a 10,000 square foot hangar and a 2,000 square foot office/administration area, as well as site preparation, roadway access, parking lot construction, and utility extension. The hangar will be located southwest of the terminal building. The Airport is providing \$622,000 in cash and in kind contributions for a total investment of \$3,200,000.



In 2013 the Airport completed a business plan and targeted industry analysis where nearly 300 aeronautical service companies were identified as prospects to expand in or relocate to the Airport. The Airport has begun marketing to these companies and will use the hangar in these efforts. Construction is anticipated to begin this summer/fall and be completed in early 2016.