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New Million Air building at MTH expected to be completed by end of year

MARATHON, FL (Aug. 18, 2026) – The future of the Marathon International Airport is taking off.

According to a recent news release from Monroe County Airports Marketing and Communications Manager Katie Atkins, capital investment at the airport continues with Fixed-Base Operator (FBO) Million Air Florida Keys aiming for completion of its new building by the end of the year.

“Completion of the new FBO building at Marathon International Airport will be a significant milestone for the Middle Keys facility, not just for travelers, but the community as a whole,” said Monroe County Executive Director of Airports Richard Strickland.

Company representatives said foundation and steel erection work for the 5,460-square-foot building are complete, along with structural block scopes. Roof work was expected to begin the week of Aug. 17-21, and it is anticipated the facility, which will also offer a full-service restaurant and dedicated flight-planning facilities, will be complete by the end of the year, Atkins said in the release.

The new $4 million facility represents the latest in a series of investments by Million Air to elevate its services for private aviation travelers while expanding the company's offerings to the broader Middle Keys community.

Plans for the current FBO building, which was constructed in 2020, have not been finalized, according to Atkins.

Million Air has been operating at Marathon International Airport since 0222, when it acquired the former Marathon Jet Center.

Since then, the Texas-based aviation company has continued operating and enhancing MTH's private aviation offerings, including U.S. Customs services, catering, vehicle rentals, a pilot lounge, conference facilities, Atkins said.

Next month, Million Air will host the fourth annual Girls in Aviation Day at MTH.

The free event will be held Saturday, Sept. 19, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., and visitors will be able to meet women in aviation, explore career opportunities, and enjoy music, food, and activities with several interactive stations.



Renderings of the exterior, above, and interior, below, of Million Air's new facility at Marathon International Airport.

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