

Ross Statham

From: Pogson, Ann CTR (FAA) [ann.ctr.pogson@faa.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, July 13, 2021 7:10 AM
To: Ross E Statham
Subject: RE: Parachute Ops 1J0

Good Morning Mr. Statham, well sorry about the bad steer. I have done a little more research and asked more questions and here is what I have found. Apparently this has to come from the air traffic control facility through that Miscellaneous Activity Data Form. I have copied the guidance that was given to me below:

How can I get a parachute jumping symbol for a specific area put on a chart?

Parachute-jumping symbols designate airspace areas to alert the flying public of special air traffic activity. Charting these areas may be accomplished by contacting the FAA Air Traffic Facility (Control Tower, Approach Control Facility, Air Route Traffic Control Center (ARTCC)) having jurisdiction over the airspace and requesting the specific area be charted. The FAA specialist will submit a Special Activity Area Data Sheet to the National Flight Data Center (NFDC) at FAA Headquarters for publication in the National Flight Data Digest. For depiction on a chart, the parachute jumping area must:

- Be in operation for at least 1 year.
- Conduct (and log) 1,000 or more jumps each year.

FAA Regions can nominate jump sites if special circumstances require charting.

Once published in the National Flight Data Digest, FAA Aeronautical Information Services adds the PARACHUTE JUMPING AREA to that section of the Chart Supplement. If it meets minimum charting requirements, the FAA Aeronautical Information Services depicts the appropriate charts with the Parachute Jump Area symbol in the next publication cycle.

How can I get a glider symbol for a specific area put on a chart?

Charting these areas is accomplished by adding an associated remark to the airport record (Example: "Glider activity in vicinity of airport"). Airport owners/managers should access the National Flight Data Center (NFDC) Portal at nfdc.faa.gov and submit an Airport Data Change Form (public and military airports only) or contact Aeronautical Information Management, AJV-21, at 1-(866) 295-8236 and request the addition of the remark. The FAA specialist will verify your information and publish a change in the National Flight Data Digest (NFDD). Once the change is in the NFDD the appropriate publication and charts are updated with the information for the next effective date.

With that being said, if you meet the requirements of 1 year and 1,000 jumps conducted and logged, I suggest you reach out to your Clearance Delivery facility and see if they can connect you with the appropriate ATC facility to get this submitted. Here is who I have as your facility:

FOR CD CTC CAIRNS APCH AT 334-255-8402, WHEN APCH CLSD CTC JACKSONVILLE ARTCC AT 904-845-1592.

Also it appears that Northwest Florida Beaches Intl (KECP) is near your airport and they might be able to help you reach your ATC facility.

I don't know if this is helpful or not but I hope it is. If I can help anymore, please don't hesitate to reach out to me and I will see what else I can find. Hope you have a great day!

Ann Pogson

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Thanks, Ann, and sorry for the delay-- was out of the office most of last week dealing with a family emergency.

This website says, "This form is intended for use only by U.S. Government personnel" and that I must have a US government email address.

Ross

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Good Morning Mr. Statham, I just heard back from visual charting and in order to get a parachute jumping symbol on the sectional you have to go into our portal and
A Miscellaneous Activity Area (MAA) Data Form
(https://www.faa.gov/air_traffic/flight_info/aeronav/aero_data/7900.2D-MAA/) with "Show on VFR Chart(s) - Yes"
indicated must be submitted through the Aeronautical Information Portal.

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| 41. Description | Enter textual description of |
| 42. Show on VFR Chart(s) | Select Yes or No. |
| 43. Times Of Use | Enter textual description of |

I know you probably submitted this with the remark but we need to make sure the "Show on VFR Chart(s)" section says "Yes". Let me know if this doesn't help or you have more questions.

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Ann,

Could use a bit of help in getting a VFR chart change made-- any ideas as to who I should be reaching out to to ask about getting a skydiving symbol added to a chart? Getting a bit of the run-around from lots of folks.

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Good morning Mr. Statham,

As I'm sure you can appreciate, we're unable to make/request changes to FLIP/Charting products for areas/items/locations that are not ours.

You can submit your request for publication to the FAA via the internet at [Aeronautical Information Portal Login \(faa.gov\)](https://www.faa.gov/aiportal)

<https://nfdc.faa.gov/nfdcApps/ng/#/home>

I've attached the current Parachute Jumping Areas listed in the US SE AFD.

Note the criteria for charting on page 478 (first page).

Please let me know if I can be of any further assistance.

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Above the Best!

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Good morning Mr. Meissner,

As Mr. Angle discussed with you, a request was made for the "Parachute Jumping Area" symbol to be depicted over the Trl County Airport on the New Orleans Sectional as well as information added to the chart supplement for the southeast. The gentleman making the request is Mr. Statham; he can be reached at (770) 329-5400 or rstatham@tricountyairportfl.com.

Thank you,

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