

Oblique Aerial Photos of Ongoing Construction at Dade Collier T&T Airport

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Photo 23,
Looking S.

Dark
rectangle
is new con-
struction.



Detail of Photo 23.

Dark rectangle is unambiguously new construction (can confirm by comparison with June 2025 Google Earth satellite imagery). Dark is almost certainly asphalt. Light sandy brown is newly scrapped area.



Photo 11,
Looking W.

Dark blue-
ish
rectangle
on L side is
the newly
asphalted
area.



Detail of Photo 11.

Dark, blue-ish rectangle is new construction (can confirm by comparison with June 2025 Google Earth satellite imagery), almost certainly asphalt. Light sandy brown appears to be newly scrapped area.



Photo 31,
Looking E.

Detention
Area (4
long, 3
short tents
in LR
corner).

Capacity
1,000
(4x250)



Detail of Photo 31.

Detention Area.

On previously
existing tarmac.

Four long tents
each hold 250
detainees for total
of 1,000.

Photo 18,
Looking N.

Detention
Area and
portion of
employee
housing
(trailers).





Detail of Photo

Detention Area
previously empty
tarmac.

The light brown
area may be
leveled/scrapped



Photo 35,
Looking E.

The many
white
structures
on taxiway
(N strip)
are all
employee
housing
and/or
services.



Detail of Photo 35.

The many white structures on taxiway (N strip) are all employee housing and/or services.

The right strip is the main runway, which they are keeping unimpeded for use as runway.



Photo 3,
Looking W.

Main
runway
(left) and
employee
housing
(right).



Detail of Photo
3, Looking W.

Employee
housing
(numerous
white blocks) on
previously
existing
taxiway.