The Detroit Region Aerotropolis Development Corporation is a seven-community, two-county public-private partnership driving corporate expansion and new investments around Detroit Metro and Willow Run Airports.



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