

PECAN Operations Coordination and Operations Center

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Operations Center Considerations

- Space as required for multi-function center
 - Aircraft, ground and mobile radar operations, forecasting
- Flexible space for meetings, planning and forecasting/nowcasting, in-field analysis
- 24/7 access
- High bandwidth internet access
- Adequate power distribution/possible back-up
- Substantial structure

Operational Monitoring and Decisions to be Made

- Monitoring
 - Facilities status
 - IOP activities
 - Aircraft, radar, mobile ground, PISA data collection
 - Safety, FAA coordination, evacuation
- Decision making
 - IOP start, stop, mission objectives
 - Special observations (soundings, radar, PISA)
 - Staffing (coordinators, operations, nowcasting)
 - Next update