

# Common Council OKs gunshot location tech, major airport renovation

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SYRACUSE, N.Y. -- The Common Council Monday approved a pair of high-profile city projects introduced earlier this year.

The Council unanimously agreed to a one-year deal with Shotspotter Gunfire Location, Alert and Analysis Services for up to \$300,000. It also OK'd a \$49 million improvement at Hancock International Airport, to be mostly covered by New York State.

Mayor Stephanie Miner announced the deployment of ShotSpotter at her State of the City address in January.

The technology will allow Syracuse police to instantly pinpoint the location of gunshots in a certain neighborhood in the city. Miner said she expects to have it up and running by April.



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Mayor Miner will announce the installation of ShotSpotter sensors

Gov. Andrew Cuomo announced the airport renovations at his State of the State speech in Syracuse in January. He promised the project will create 869 jobs.

The redesign includes a new facade, new flooring and furniture in the terminals, a regional aviation history museum, a glass pedestrian bridge and an eco-friendly roof over the main entrance.

The total cost of the project is \$48.8 million, according to the Council resolution. The state will pay \$35.8 million, independent Syracuse Regional Airport Authority will cover \$2.9 million.