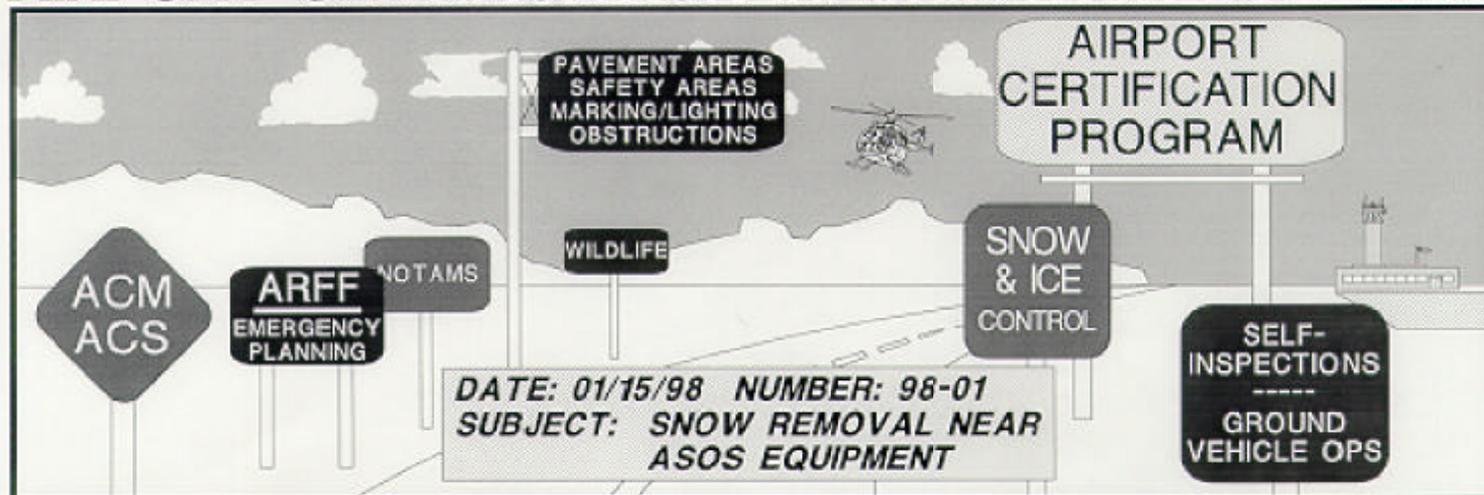


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FAA and the National Weather Service have installed weather observation equipment at many airports. Because of the location of many of the Automated Surface Observing Systems (ASOS), snow drifts and snow accumulation may interfere with the ASOS sensors, resulting in erroneous information.

We request that snow removal crews use caution during snow removal operations to avoid blowing snow from obscuring ASOS visibility sensors and to prevent snow accumulation from interfering with other ASOS sensors. If there is any doubt about specific areas that need to be kept clear around weather and navigational equipment, please check with the FAA Airway Facilities personnel that support your airport.

Reminder...

Is the "Snow Removal Equipment List" contained in your Airport Certification Manual or Specifications up to date???