CHARLOTTE MONROE EXECUTIVE AIRPORT



MONROE, NC



Application: Geocomposite Edge Drain **AWD Product:** SITEDRAIN Strip 9412 - 12"

Quantity: 16,050 LF

Owner / Designer: Talbert & Bright Architects

Contractor: Curtain Trucking / Boggs Paving

Year Completed: 2013

PROJECT OVERVIEW

In October of 2013 officials at the Charlotte-Monroe Executive Airport noticed that the pavement on one of the runways needed to be replaced. They brought on engineers from Talbert & Bright to help figure out a way to efficiently drain water away from the subbase of the runway to prevent the pavement from cracking/deforming.

Talbert & Bright saw the value in specifying prefabricated geocomposite edge drains for this project. Geocomposite edge drains provide solutions for excessive water buildup in the pavement system by creating a positive and rapid drainage system for water that enters the pavement structure. The result is a sustainable, cost-effective design that reduces expensive maintenance requirements.

Curtain Trucking was awarded the contract for the installation of 16,050 linear feet of a prefabricated geocomposite edge drain. AWD's SITEDRAIN Strip 9412 was called out in the specification for edge drainage and was sold through American Wick's strong distribution network.

Curtain used a Vermeer trencher and a permeable sand backfill to ensure the system was properly installed and would perform efficiently.