

Expanding? Relocating?
Consider the Business Advantages of
FOREIGN TRADE ZONE 193

Strategically located on Florida's Tampa Bay, Foreign Trade Zone 193 can help your company save time and money.



What is a Foreign Trade Zone?

Created to encourage international trade in the United States, Foreign Trade Zones (FTZs) enable companies to benefit from significant savings on importing and exporting. Since 1934, the Foreign Trade Zones Act has allowed American companies to operate as successful global competitors, while creating and preserving thousands of jobs for U.S. residents. With over \$200 billion worth of goods passing through Foreign Trade Zones each year, Florida's FTZs continue to save both small businesses and Fortune 500 companies millions of dollars on the assembling, manufacturing, processing, repackaging, repairing, and storing of both raw materials and finished goods.

Although physically located within the United States, Foreign Trade Zones are considered outside the U.S. Customs territory. Therefore, both finished and raw materials can be moved into Foreign Trade Zones without immediate duty charges. Duty charges are suspended until the goods are released into the domestic market, or waived altogether if sold abroad. *Depending on your operations, duty-free zone activities could save your company valuable dollars, helping you improve cash flow, eliminate drawbacks, qualify for lower security and insurance costs, and expedite shipping.*

Existing facilities that fall outside of the approved zone areas may be eligible for subzone status, which grants full Foreign Trade Zone import and export benefits.

Business Benefits of FTZ 193

- Duty deferral, reduction or elimination
- No formal customs entries
- No quota restrictions
- Goods delivered directly
- Reduced federal excise taxes
- Zone-to-zone transfer

Learn more about the benefits of FTZ 193 at pced.org/ftz or by phoning 727.464.7332.

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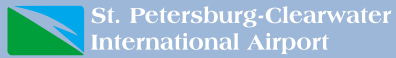
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Foreign Trade Zone 193 Sites

St. Petersburg-Clearwater International Airport www.fly2pie.com

- 3 runways, FAA-operated control tower and 24-hour on-airport FAA Flight Service Station
- Lowest rates and charges for commercial service airlines in the State of Florida
- No landing fees for corporate or general aviation aircraft
- U.S. Customs and Border Patrol inspection facilities within the airport terminal
- Adjacent to warehouse space for manufacturing and distribution

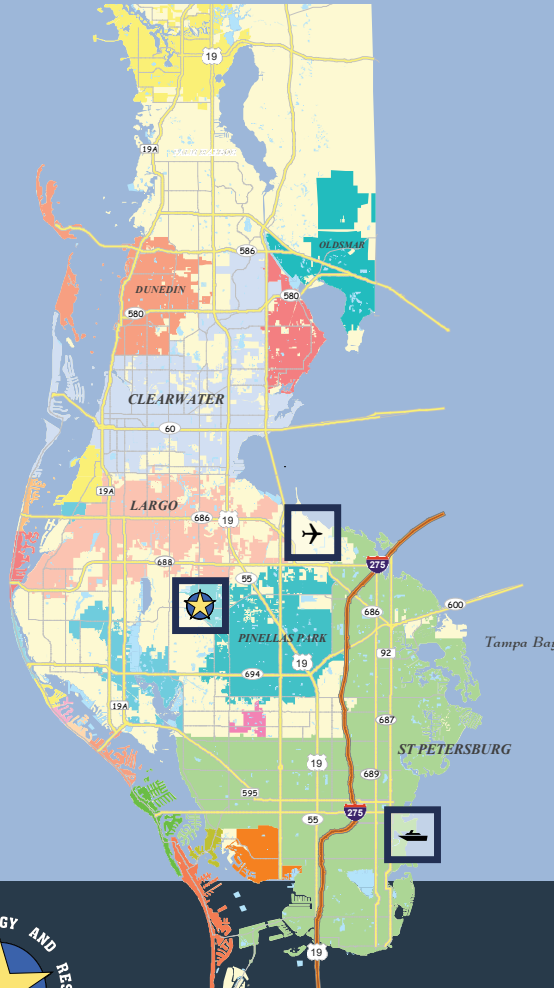


The Airport Business Center www.airportbusinesscenter.net

- 42 acre high-tech business park
- Adjacent to St. Petersburg-Clearwater International Airport
- 25 minutes from Tampa International Airport
- 19 buildings with more than 157 successful businesses
- Suites ranging from 120 sq. ft. to 95,000 sq. ft.
- Verizon SmartPark with redundant fiber optics, DSL



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The Young-Rainey Star Center www.young-raineystarcenter.org

- Build-to-suit acreage for warehousing and manufacturing facilities
- High-tech environment
- Broad range of technical support services
- Easy interstate and air transport access
- Rail service adjacent to property



The Port of St. Petersburg www.stpete.org/port



- Four acre facility with outdoor storage areas
- Easy access to interstates, major highways and two international airports
- Five-year master plan in place for expansion and renovation

