



AERIAL LIFT CAPABILITY STATEMENT



DUNS 006650717 | CAGE 3N7X6 | swansongroupaviation.com | Professional | Safe | Proven Performance

Corporate Overview

Swanson Group Aviation began as an aerial logging company for its parent company in 1996. Today it is well known in the helicopter lift industry as a premier operator of the Kaman **K-MAX helicopter** performing in many diverse industries. We have worked all over the continental US and the world, including in support of Operation Enduring Freedom in Afghanistan where we operated an unmanned version of the K-MAX.

Core Competencies

Grapple or hook, then relocate payloads up to 6,000 pounds in weight and up to 15,000 feet in elevation. Employ slung application bucket for precise coverage.

Agricultural

Our K-MAX is a **diverse agricultural tool**, especially for projects in remote/rough areas. We specialize in **repetitive lift** – the frequent and timely transportation of materials between two points. We have picked and placed a **million pounds of logs** or **700,000 pounds of hydro-seed** in a day. We work with the customer to improve efficiency even if it imposes a financial penalty upon us, because we're in it for the long haul. We pride ourselves in both our safety protocols and our professionalism.



Aerial Seeding

Differentiators or Advantages

- Family Owned Small Business
- 24 years of operation
- Excellent safety record
- Self-reliant and mobile operation flying the most reliable helicopter in the world
- Rotational crew schedule ensures operational and safety vitality
- The K-MAX helicopter has a low environmental impact, being not only quiet but emitting minimal rotor wash, both due to its unique inter-mesher rotor design

Present/Past Performance

United States Forest Service
 Department of the Interior
 Lockheed Martin (Afghanistan)
 Kaman Aerospace
 United Aero (Australia)
 Haz-Tech Drilling
 Gwinnup Restoration

Columbia Forest Products
 Enrec Solutions
 Daily Air Trans (Taiwan)
 Boise Cascade
 USAIG
 Georgia Pacific
 PAR Electric

Sierra Pacific Industries
 Aldrich Electric
 San Diego Gas & Electric
 Canberra Helicopters (Australia)
 Cal Fire
 Oregon Department of Forestry
 Helico (New Zealand)

NAICS Codes

481212, 113310, 115112, 115310, 237130, 238110, 238290, 481219, 488190

Industries/Missions

Disaster Relief, Cargo Delivery, UAV Support, Pipeline, Powerline, Concrete, Construction, Fire Fighting (Bucket), Seeding, Hay Bombing

Company Contact

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Work Area

National (Rapid Response)/Global

Key Personnel

Steve Swanson – Owner/CEO
 Steve Athanas – General Manager
 Nate Scott – Dir of Maintenance
 Aaron Workman – Project Manager

