



Above: Exciting times ahead for Southend Airport

## AIRPORT GIVEN GO AHEAD

The expansion of Southend Airport has been given the go ahead by the Secretary of State John Denham.

The extension of the runway will allow for 2 Million passengers to use the runway. The building of a new hotel and railway station

at the Airport are at advanced stages and nearing completion.

On hearing the news Tony Cox commented: "This is great news with the extra jobs this will bring. Hopefully the government will also give us a much needed by-pass for the increased traffic".

## PIER HEAD REGENERATION

Dramatic plans to revive Southend Pier have given the green light by the Pier & Foreshore Working Party.

West Shoebury Conservative Candidate Tony Cox who is a member of the committee is excited by the plans which will see £3 Million,

being spent on extending the seaward end of the Pier and strengthened to cater for a pavilion with a restaurant.

It is hoped that the pavilion will be used for conferences, weddings, cultural performances and artist studios



Above: The Pier Head will benefit from a fresh £3 Million cash injection

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## THE RETURN OF THE HISTORIC CLIFF LIFT TO SOUTHEND

The carriage for the historic Cliff's Lift on Southend Seafront has been put into position as the restoration works neared completion.

The 98 year old funicular lift had undergone a £650,000 refurbishment.

West Shoebury councillor and portfolio holder for the Cliff Lift Derek Jarvis commented: "We are very proud of our Cliffs Lift which is one of only 26 still available in the UK.

The Lift was built in 1912, in place of a former Edwardian style travelator.



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