

Approved
LA/Ontario Airport Noise Advisory Committee
Tuesday, October 6, 2009

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

PRESENT:

Pete Morejon – Ontario Airfield Operations
Sigfrido Rivera – City of Ontario Part 150
Patricia Thomsen – Delta Airline Representative
Greg Hatcher – ONT-FAA Air Traffic Control Tower (ATCT)

ABSENT:

Faye Dastrup – Hamill – General Public
Kathy Kinley – Ontario/Montclair School Dist. Rep.

INTRODUCTION AND ADOPTION OF JULY 8, 2009 MINUTES

The meeting was called to order at 5:15 p.m. and roll was taken. The committee approved the July 8, 2009 minutes.

AIRPORT COMMENTS

Pete Morejon gave a comparison for aircraft operations between 2008 and 2009. There were 8,438 aircraft operations for July 2009, a 21% decrease from the same period last year. 8,500 operations for August 2009, a 19% decrease and 8,195 for September, a 3.8% decrease for the same period last year. In addition, there were 14 noise complaints. An update will be given on the 4th quarter operations and noise reports at the next meeting.

CITY OF ONTARIO

Sigfrido Rivera informed the committee that The City of Ontario completed house #1000 of the Sound Insulation Program. Through combined funding of the FAA and LAWA, 25 million dollars have been spent in the last 15 years towards noise mitigation to sound proof approximately 1,050 homes. There is a forthcoming video on a local cable channel within the next few months in celebration of completing house 1000; the video will feature the Mayor and the City Council. Phase 8 has begun and is anticipated to bid and award a contract in the spring of 2010. Under Phase 8 approximately 75 homes will be insulated with construction beginning the summer of 2010. Mr. Rivera continued to inform the committee that under the Property Acquisition Relocation Program, FAA has awarded the City of Ontario 2 additional grants totaling 3 million dollars, which will purchase approximately 12 more properties. To date, 222 properties have been acquired. Mr. Rivera informed the committee that their goal is to reduce the noise level to 45 decibels. Mr. Rivera also informed the committee that the City of Ontario is now able to incorporate their link to the web based Flight Tracking System.

NEW BUSINESS

Mario Alonzo of the LAX Noise Management Division gave an update on the noise monitoring system. Mr. Alonzo informed the committee that the Airport Noise & Operations Monitoring System (ANOMS) is currently being accepted as reliable by LAWA, but has not yet been approved by Cal-Trans. Data from the last 3 – 4 years are being reviewed and finalized by Cal-Trans. Mr. Alonzo explained that the new approach landing discussed in the meeting on July 8, 2009, was referring to the constant descent approach which applies to LAX.

Mr. Morejon reported that Nascar races are being held this weekend, which will cause additional flight activity. Mr. Morejon also discussed a year end projection which was printed by the Press Enterprise regarding L/A Ontario International Airport's passenger activity.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Nadine Hutchinson, resident of Ontario, gave a briefing on how she has benefited as a recipient of the Sound Insulation Program.

The next OANAC Meeting was scheduled for Wednesday, January 6, 2010. The meeting was adjourned at 5:46p.m.