

## Van Nuys Airport Noisier Aircraft Phaseout Project and Final Environmental Impact Report

Los Angeles World Airports
Board of Airport Commissioners Meeting
at Van Nuys Airport

Date: Monday, May 4, 2009 – Please confirm prior to attending

Time: 1:30 p.m. – 4 p.m.

Location: Airtel Plaza Hotel (Parking Will be Validated)

7277 Valjean Ave

Van Nuys, CA 91406

The Board of Airport Commissioners will consider a proposed ordinance and Final Environmental Impact Report on the Van Nuys Airport Noisier Aircraft Phaseout Project as part of their regular agenda on Monday, May 4, 2009.

The proposed project that is the subject of the Final EIR is an ordinance that would gradually phase out aircraft that generate noise in excess of the established level of 77 dBA, beginning with the noisiest aircraft and periodically lowering the maximum noise level. Certain military, medical, and emergency operations would not be subject to the project's aircraft noise limits. It also includes exemptions for aircraft that are permanently departing VNY, historic aircraft first flown before 1950, historic military aircraft first flown on or after January 1, 1950, and maintenance-related flight operations. The latter two exemptions would expire in 2016. The Board will also consider an alternative ordinance that includes an exemption for Stage 3 and 4 aircraft.

The project proposes no physical development or change in land use, only operational modifications at the existing facility. Aircraft unable to comply with the noise restrictions would most likely divert to one of the following airports: Bob Hope (BUR), Los Angeles International (LAX), Camarillo (CMA), Chino (CNO), and William J. Fox Airfield (WJF).

For questions on the ordinance please call Bob Holden at (310) 646-9410 x1046; for questions on the Final EIR please call Karen Hoo at (310) 646-3853 X 1003. Please check the LAWA website, <a href="www.lawa.org/boacLAWA.aspx">www.lawa.org/boacLAWA.aspx</a>, 72 hours prior to the meeting to see that it has been scheduled on the BOAC agenda before coming.

The Final EIR is available at <a href="http://www.lawa.org/welcome">http://www.lawa.org/welcome</a> VNY.aspx?id=1076,