



July 31, 2002

The Honorable James K. Hahn
Mayor, City of Los Angeles
200 N. Spring St.
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Mayor Hahn,

The Los Angeles International Airport/Community Noise Roundtable (Roundtable) was created in September 2000 as one of Los Angeles World Airports' (LAWA) Airport Community Initiatives Program (ACIP). The ACIP was formed by LAWA in conjunction with the Office of the Mayor of Los Angeles as a follow-up to the Federal Aviation Administration's (FAA) Southern California Task Force.

The Roundtable is intended to reduce and mitigate the adverse noise impacts that the users of Los Angeles International Airport (LAX) create on the surrounding communities and their environs. Membership of the Roundtable consists of state and local elected officials and staff, representatives of congressional offices, members of recognized community groups, the FAA, the Air Transport Association and LAWA Management. This forum provides a mechanism that attempts to insure cooperation between LAX and local impacted communities in achieving noise impact reduction to those communities wherever possible.

At its July 10, 2002 meeting the members of the Roundtable expressed interest in the newly unveiled LAX Master Plan Alternative D (Safety and Security), and their concerns about the potential future noise impacts of the alternative on the communities already affected by the noise from LAX aircraft operations.

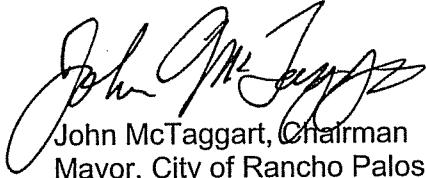
The Roundtable has asked me to invite you, or a representative of your Office, to attend the September 11, 2002 Roundtable meeting and make a presentation about Alternative D and its potential future noise impacts. The meeting starts at 7:00 p.m. and will be held in the Samuel Greenberg Board Room in the LAWA Administration Building at LAX, located at One World Way.

Thank you for your consideration of this request. If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at (310) 377-6325. Please address any written response to the

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LAX/Community Noise Roundtable c/o LAWA to the attention of Mr. Roger Johnson,
Deputy Executive Director for Technology and Environmental Affairs.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John McTaggart". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "John" being the most prominent.

John McTaggart, Chairman
Mayor, City of Rancho Palos Verdes

cc: Roundtable Members
Lydia Kennard, LAWA
Paul Green, LAWA