



LAX/COMMUNITY NOISE ROUNDTABLE

Recap of the Regular Meeting of March 15, 2006

Roundtable Members Present

John McTaggart, Chairman Representing LA County Fourth District Supervisor Don Knabe
Mike Cassidy, Vice Chairman, Representing Hermosa Beach Councilman Sam Edgerton
Carl Jacobson, Councilman, City of El Segundo
James O'Neill, City of El Segundo
Michael Gurekas, Representing Congressman Dana Rhorabacher
Roy Hefner, LAX Area Advisory Committee
Dorothy Harris, Ladera Heights Civic Association
Beverly Ackerson, PANIC
Barry Davis, FAA
Bob Holden, LAWA
Scott Tatro, LAWA
Walt Gillfillan, Roundtable Facilitator

1. Call to order

Roundtable Chairman John McTaggart called the meeting to order at 7:10 p.m. in the Samuel Greenberg Boardroom, LAX

1. Discussion/Consideration of Recommendations from the Noise Subcommittee Regarding the LAX Noise Monitoring System Replacement Project – Denny Schneider

Denny Schneider was unable to attend due to the conflicting meeting of the LAX Specific Plan Amendment Study public workshop at the Flight Path Learning Center. In his place Walt Gilfillan presented a summary of the status of the Subcommittee's efforts summarized in its March 15 memorandum to the Roundtable. The following comments were provided by members of the Roundtable, the public and Scott Tatro of LAWA:

- A concern that there was no site specifically located in Ladera Heights
- Be sure that terrain features are considered
- How many monitors will be needed to define the 60 and 65 dB noise contours?
- Portable monitors should be used to aid in locating potential monitor sites
- It will be 3 to 4 months before the monitor locations required by regulation will be known
- The monitors required by regulation will have first priority
- PFC's are being used to fund the project

The Roundtable moved and seconded a motion to forward its recommendations to the LAWA staff. These recommendations would include:

1. The five recommendations of the Noise Subcommittee enumerated in its March 15 memorandum

2. Use of actual flight paths developed by the LAWA staff to substantiate location of monitors
3. The inclusion of the 24 comments received at the Subcommittee's February 8 meeting for information and consideration by the LAWA staff.
4. Inclusion of the seven comments noted above for consideration by the LAWA staff.

3. Report on the UC Berkeley Aviation Noise Symposium – John McTaggart

Mr. McTaggart reported on his attendance at the Symposium and noted the relevance of the material to the concerns and work of the Roundtable.

4. Roundtable Member Discussion

The following subjects were presented by Roundtable members and LAWA staff:

- Bob Holden noted that a recent reorganization at LAWA will place Noise Management Division function under the jurisdiction of Deputy Executive Director Mr. Jim Ritchie.
- Barry Davis from the FAA Regional Air Traffic Operations, noted that there will be 60-day delay in the full implementation of the HOLTZ SIX RNAV departure procedure.

5. Comments from the Public

None

6. Adjournment

The next regular meeting of the Roundtable will be convened at 7:00 p.m. on May 10, 2006 in the Samuel Greenberg Boardroom, LAX.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 p.m.