

FACTS ABOUT MODERNIZING LAX



LAX ELEVATOR AND ESCALATOR

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Getting travelers to their boarding gates and baggage claim areas smoothly and efficiently is important to LAX operations. Many of the airport's elevators, escalators and moving walkways have reached or exceeded their average 25 year operational lifespan. Los Angeles World Airports is making a significant investment in the airport's overall infrastructure.

The elevator/escalator modernization project will replace and rehabilitate deteriorated equipment and systems to meet current standards of safety, operation requirements, and environmental protection. The first phase will focus on the 48 units most in need of replacement/refurbishment. The second phase focuses on the next 70 units most in need of replacement. The final phase will include the remaining 94 units at seven of LAX's nine terminals and the parking garages. The first phase will include Terminals 2, 3, 5, 6, 7 and 8. Elevators and escalators at Tom Bradley International Terminal are part of that Terminal's major renovation.

TRAVELER BENEFITS

Travelers to LAX will benefit from more efficient and reliable escalators, elevators, and moving walkways. New units will speed travelers to their gates and baggage claim areas in a safe and efficient manner with energy saving, sustainable technology.

TRAVELER IMPACTS

All terminals, the Theme Building and the airport administration building will remain open to the public during construction. Traffic lane restrictions/closures will occasionally be required to redirect vehicular flow on the Lower/Arrivals Level. This complex construction project will occur without impacting day-to-day operations at LAX. Construction will occur in phases so that impacts on terminal operations will be kept to a minimum. At certain, times travelers may have to use stairs or be rerouted to other elevators.

CONSTRUCTION DATES

May 2009 to October 2017 (to accommodate phasing for Americans with Disabilities Act)

\$270 million

FUNDING

LAX Airport Revenue Fund



New elevators and escalators will speed travelers to their destinations in a safe and energy efficient manner.

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TRAVELER BENEFITS

As part of LAX's commitment to airport sustainability, LAWA has developed practices that will reduce adverse impacts on the environment. Measures being taken to minimize these adverse impacts include, but are not limited to:

- Recycling construction materials
- Designating of specific routes that construction vehicles must use when traveling to and from the site
- Controlling dust

CONTRACTORS

Upgrades and site modification: W.E. O'Neil Construction

New equipment: KONE and Schindler



LAX's New elevators and escalators use energy saving, sustainable technology.

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