

AIRPORT COMMISSION NOISE COMMITTEE

Wednesday, April 19, 2023 – 4:00 P.M.

ACTION SUMMARY MINUTES

1. CALL TO ORDER:

Interim Committee Chairman Burke called the Noise Committee meeting to order at 4:00 P.M.

2. **POSTING OF AGENDA**: Agenda posted on April 13, 2023.

3. ROLL CALL:

Committee Members Present: Breslin, Burke, and Michaelis **Committee Members Absent:** Corcoran and Wiseman

Staff Present:

Harry Barrett, Jr., Airport Executive Director Christina Brown, Airport Executive Administrative Assistant

4. ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA:

ACTION: Accept the agenda as presented. Moved by Committee Member Breslin and seconded by Committee Member Michaelis and unanimously approved noting the absence of Committee Members Corcoran and Wiseman.

5. PUBLIC COMMENTS: None

6. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

ACTION: Approve the minutes of the Noise Committee meeting held on January 18, 2023. **Moved by Committee Member Breslin, seconded by Committee Member Michaelis and unanimously approved noting the absence of Committee Members Corcoran and Wiseman.**

7. DISCUSSION AND ACTION ITEMS:

Airport Executive Director Barrett reported that for the month of March there were six commercial aircraft noise complaints, four general aviation noise complaints, one military aircraft noise complaint, and one unidentified noise complaint. Mr. Barrett noted that the data from a 5-Year noise complaint comparison showed that there was a significant reduction in noise complaints in 2022.

Committee Member Michaelis inquired about the significant reduction in noise complaints, the complaint process, and flight path regulations. Mr. Barrett said that the noise complaint data is gathered through the Airport's website and from complaints being called in to the Operations Department, and he said that he believed that the reduction in the noise complaints could be attributed to the community being better educated about aircraft noise regulations. Mr. Barrett said that in regard to flight path regulations, the aircraft typically fly by standardized flight path procedures to and from the Airport with the exception that wind conditions can change the direction of the flight path. Interim Committee Chairman Burke noted that the Airport's website provides a significant amount of information, and it also provides contact information to resources such as the local FAA representatives.

Mr. Barrett reported that the FAA had held a noise forum for West Coast airports to discuss effectively managing noise-related issues, and he said that the forum was also focused on brainstorming on what comes next for the next generation of aircraft.

8. COMMISSIONERS REPORTS AND REQUESTS: None

9. ADJOURNMENT:

ACTION: Motion to adjourn. Moved by Committee Member Michaelis and seconded by Committee Member Breslin and unanimously approved noting the absence of Committee Members Corcoran and Wiseman.

The Airport Noise Committee Meeting adjourned at 4:08 P.M. to July 19, 2023, at 4:00 P.M.

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Christina Brown Executive Administrative Assistant

APPROVED BY NOISE COMMITTEE: 07/19/23