

Anchorage Airport Update
June 2015

- 1. Part 150 Noise Study:**
 - a. Consultants submitted draft final report to FAA in mid-December for approval of recommendations and acceptance of Noise Exposure Maps. No timeline for FAA acceptance; however, anticipate response in early Summer 2015.
 - b. The draft final report along with public comments and responses can be found at anc150study.com.
- 2. Lake Hood Seaplane Base Master Plan Update:**
 - a. Facility Requirements work in progress.
 - b. Second Advisory Committee Meeting held May 13th. Meeting materials are posted to the project website.
 - c. Website is www.lhdmasterplan.com for information and to send comments, questions and request to receive notifications/updates.
- 3. Concessions:**
 - a. Sushi on the Fly and Kiosk bar will be coming to Concourse C this fall with an assortment of Asian cuisine.
 - b. Further expansion of Norton Sound on the non-secure side of the C Concourse should be completed by mid-summer.
- 4. Air Service:**
 - a. All of the seasonal carriers are back with the same fights as last year.
 - b. Jet Blue has added seasonal daily service to Portland.
- 5. Lake Hood A & B General Aviation Parking Reconstruction:** Work will continue through the summer. Temporary parking for displaced permittees and limited Transient Parking will be available throughout the project. Contact the Lake Hood Office (907-266-2410) with any questions.
- 6. Point Woronzof Bluff Erosion:** The US Army Corps of Engineers recently completed a draft reconnaissance study of the bluff erosion. The study identifies the cause and importance of stopping the erosion and presents a conceptual solution--large rock at the base of the bluff. The estimated cost is \$48 million. A final report is expected by the end of June and will be available for public review.
- 7. Title 17 Regulations:** The State is proposing changes to the Title 17 Regulations that cover Anchorage and Fairbanks International Airports. The proposed regulations changes were public noticed on May 20, 2015 and are available for review and public comment through July 10, 2015 at <https://aws.state.ak.us/OnlinePublicNotices/Notices/View.aspx?id=176979>.
- 8. Runway 7L/25R Closure:** The northerly of the two east-west runways will be closed from May 1 through Oct 31 for reconstruction. This may cause a slight increase in air traffic over the residential community when one of the other runways needs to be closed briefly for maintenance, or due to weather conditions.
- 9. Triennial Emergency Response Exercise:** A full-scale emergency preparedness exercise will be performed on August 8, 2015 at the Airport. FAA requires one every 3 years to evaluate the effectiveness of the Airport's emergency plan. Anyone wishing to participate as a volunteer victim may sign up via the Airport Website.
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