

# TRUCKEE TAHOE AIRPORT DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTOR STAFF REPORT

AGENDA TITLE: Safety Report, 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter (April, May, June 2021)

**MEETING DATE: August 25, 2021** 

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The five-year update to the Safety GAP Analysis was conducted by Falcon 16 LLC. The summary and a full report will be provided at the September or October Board of Directors meeting.

Safety Reports: 21 Total

## Aviation

- A porpoise landing resulted in an aircraft touching down nose first collapsing the nose gear. Aircraft was damaged but no injuries
- An experimental aircraft lost pressure in right main tire and exited the runway at a slow speed. Minimal aircraft damage, no injuries.
- An aircraft landed while only making calls on the old UNICOM frequency. Airport staff and Tower controllers contacted pilot.

July accidents and incidents are reported in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Report.

## Ramp & Services:

- 2 Successes
  - Fuel load rejected when O&M staff members Adam Duncan, Scott Tetzlaff and Supervisor Tim Bourque identified the fuel as being contaminated.
  - While studying for the AAAE ACE, Alan Feik identified a potential hazard and developed new procedures to follow while conducting maintenance on the runway lighting system.

- During Taxiway Alpha construction, an aircraft failed to follow marshalling instructions and park at a 45-degree angle.
- A staff member stopped a hangar tenant while he was filling up unauthorized containers with 100LL fuel at the self-serve fuel island.

#### Airfield:

• 5 Trespassing events, all occurred on the west side of the airport. Zero resulted in an Incursion or Surface Incident.

#### **Hangars**

- 2 Hangar door momentary safety switches bypassed. Instruction Policy 512 was approved by the Airport Board at the April 28 Board meeting (in 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter).
  - 1 Second Offense.
  - 1 First offense occurred before PI 512 was approved, therefore old protocols were followed.
- Hangar door control power boxes were found to have been potentially tampered
  with in 3 Lima row hangars. The torque striping, which was applied to the bolt
  heads, had been removed indicating entrance. The timeframe of these
  occurrences is unknown; therefore, the old protocols were followed.
- A hangar tenant lacerated her arm on a newly installed electrical box while disengaging the hangar door latch under pressure. The hazard was removed by resizing and relocating all electrical boxes in the hangar row.

#### **OSHA Training:**

- Hearing Conservation
- Bloodborne Pathogens
- Walking Working Surfaces

#### **Airport Specific Training:**

• Tactical Communications

## **COVID-19:** Safety measure compliance efforts

- Written policy and employee reporting responsibilities.
- Staff and facility modifications to observe social distance recommendations.
- Appropriate COVID signage and safeguards installed.
- Personal Protection Equipment for staff and customers.
- Building and vehicle sanitization policy and schedule.
- Continued Communication of information.