

Aviation & Community Services Report

October, 2023

Director of Aviation

Runway reconstruction of 02/20 continues and all traffic during this period was on 11/29. Historic afternoon winds continue to provide challenging crosswinds.

Outreach on Hangar Revitalization and the new Incentive programs continue, at the last ACT meeting there was a rich discussion on these topics with some great feedback from all stakeholders.

There are two coming up in-person sessions to discuss these programs on 23 & 29 Oct. We are also looking at an outreach to community members on the proposed Fly Quiet program.

Hangar Wait List

New applications remain on hold. Additional tenants to be displaced based on structural damage from last winter (8 hangars unusable for aircraft).

	Inventory	Wait List
Executive Hangars	30	41
Super-T (48' door)	11	13
Large-T (44' door)	57	25
Regular-T	129	42
Total	227	121



Operations & Comments

Despite the runway 2/20 closure, September still had a strong number of piston operations. The final Reno Air Races event drew a large influx of GA aircraft to airports all around the area and our ramp was the busiest it has been all year. Flight training remains in high demand but most touch & go practice has likely taken place at other airports. There were 15 operations during quiet hours; eight were by tenants within their FQ windows and seven were transients.

30 households reported aircraft annoyance in September including three new callers. That is down from 34 last September. The top concern from Olympic Heights was Pistons departing Runway 29. Jets landing on Runway 11 generated 15 comments and four comments came from operations during quiet hours.

	2021	2022	2023	% Change From 2021	% Change From 2022
Helicopter	181	34	141	-22%	315%
Jet	366	389	468	28%	20%
Piston	1,359	1,390	1,755	29%	26%
Turboprop	450	541	576	28%	6%
Gliders	158	691	0	n/a	n/a
Total	2,514	3,045	2,940	17%	-3%

	2021	2022	2023	2022 Ops. Per Comment	2023 Ops. Per Comment
Helicopter	0	1	0	34	n/a
Jet	65	61	30	6	16
Piston	38	37	32	38	55
Turboprop	11	16	13	34	44
Total	114	116	77	26	38

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■ Airport Events & Community Outreach Topics (Sept 22 thru Oct 19, 2023)

Reno 99's Announces \$14,000 in regional women's Aviation Certification scholarships, 9/22

Board Meetings Budget Workshop and monthly meeting, 9/27

Music in the Terminal Featuring Jonathan Hennion singer guitarist, 9/29

Art at the Airport RFP for new Art Coordinator, closes 5:00 pm, Nov 17, 2023, 9/29

ATC Tower Hours Operational hours shortened for fall/winter season 07:00 – 18:00, 10/1

Community Eblast October 2,240 delivered, 64.51% open rate, Topics: ACT Meeting, US Forest Service Controlled Burn, SDLF Transparency Certificate, Agency Partnership Agreements, KTRK Pilot Info Site, Board Meeting, CTA's First Community Meeting, 10/10

All Staff Meeting Monthly TTAD staff meeting and lunch, 10/11

ACT Meeting Proposed new Fly Safe, Fly Quiet and Hangar Revitalization programs and discontinuation of the Home Basing program, 20 in attendance, 10/11

EAA Open House & Young Eagles Flights Last event of 2023, 5 volunteer pilots flew 22 YE youth, 37 breakfasts served, 40+ in attendance, 10/14

Hangar Tenant & Pilot Incentive Program Meetings Scheduled for Mon, Oct 23 at 5:30 pm & Sun, Oct 29 at 10 am, in-Person only meetings TTAD Community Room

TTAD Facebook RWY 2/20 Update (2,638), SOTR Navy T34's (2,233), SDLF Transparency Certificate (141), SOTR Vintage Aircraft (1,442), Board Meeting (197), Reno 99's Scholarships (1,092)

TTAD Website Users (4,693), Page Views (14,116)

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