# **Aviation & Community Services Report**

July, 2024

#### Director of Aviation

June and July operations have been quite typical for the summer season. Hangar tenants shuffles to accommodate repairs and revitalization have so far been successful, but the heaviest lift remains in front of us.

Fly Safe and Fly Quiet have be proceeding nicely and next month we are sponsoring our first Fly Safe flight clinic with Mt Lion Aviation. This course is a beta course developed by Cirrus and Mt Lion is the first Cirrus Training Center to offer it. "Aviation News Talk Radio" has contacted KTRK about doing a podcast to discuss our Fly Safe program, this will likely be recorded in early August.

## Operations



Fairly average month of June with a good turnout for the airshow. Glider operations have declined in recent years. Q2 Operations down 3.5% from Q2 2023. Heavy jets increased from 26 to 56 this June to last.

## Fly Safe

Jason Miller of The Finer Points aviation podcast joined us alongside local CFI Howard Donner on July 16 to discuss how SOP's professional pilots use can be adopted into the GA world to enhance safety as well as how safely and respectfully navigate Military Operations Areas and Special Use Airspaces.

Fly Safe Event	Date	Attendees
10 Ways to be a Safer Pilot	Apr 19	30
AOPA Rusty Pilot Seminar	Apr 20	29
Loss of Thrust and Go-Arounds	May 23	40
Airshow Performer Panel	June 19	22
Professional SOP's For GA Pilots	July 16	24
Cirrus Mt Flying Clinic	Aug 19—20	
Total Pilot Attendees = 270	Average =	28

### Fly Quiet

Twenty seven households reported aircraft annoyance in June with 78 comments; 2 households accounted for 50% of all comments. 49 operations occurred during quiet hours; 38 were successful Shoulder Hour operations that generated no comments.

June Operations by Type — 3 Years					
	2022	2023	2024	% Change From 2022	% Change From 2023
Helicopter	78	107	106	36%	-1%
Jet	617	430	511	-17%	19%
Piston	1,484	1,904	1,936	30%	2%
Turboprop	638	516	533	-16%	3%
Glider	688	594	545	-21%	-8%
Total	3,505	3,551	3,631	4%	2%

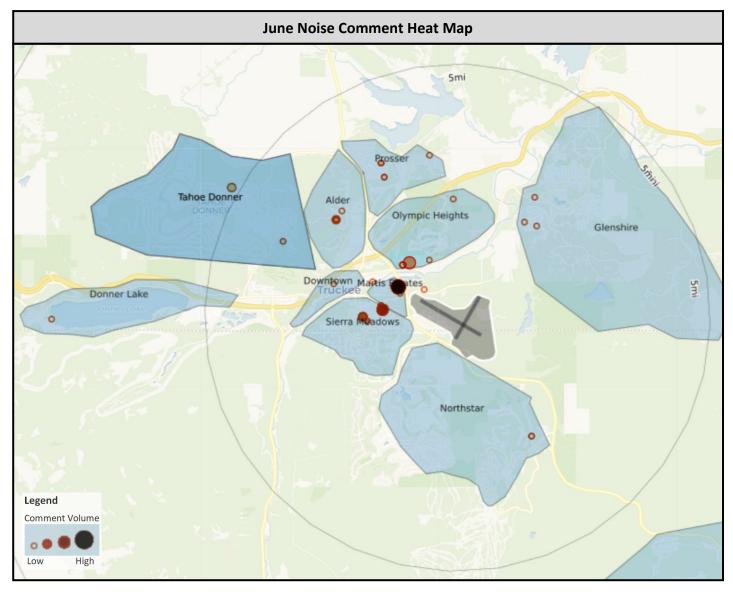
June Comments by Type — 3 Years					
	2022	2023	2024	2023 Ops. Per Comment	2024 Ops. Per Comment
Helicopter	8	1	2	107	53
Jet	82	31	36	14	14
Piston	70	30	34	63	57
Turboprop	35	17	5	30	107
Total	68	80	78	44	47

### Property Management

Construction/repair work will be ramping up significantly over the coming weeks with a major focus on the Hotel Row. Shuffling and displacement of tenants to accommodate the work continues. The initial 8 hangars for revitalization are complete. There is a lot of interest in the wait list with its anticipated re-opening in the

near future. Hangar inspections are complete with follow up notification and communications wrapping up. Overall trends show that 70% of hangars meet all inspection criteria; 20% have minor/easily correctable items. Five hangars thus far have been issued corrections letter and timeline to meet standards.

Туре	Inventory	Wait List	In Process	
Exec Hangars	30	40	0	
Large-T (48' door)	11	12	0	
Medium-T (44' door)	57	25	0	
Regular-T	129	39	0	
Total	227	116	0	



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#### Airport Events & Community Outreach

June 23 - July 19, 2024

ACT Meeting Wildfire Mitigation Projects / Snow Damage Hangar Repairs, 7/10

<u>Community E-Blast May</u> 2,156 delivered, 56% open rate, Topics: Royal Fire Wildfire Fighting Efforts, ACT Meeting, Hangar Repairs, Fly Safe Speaker Event, Density Altitude, Board Meeting, Agency Partnership Application Cycle, 7/9

Community Events Airport outreach booth at Martis Camp "Community Day" event, 7/13

Fly Safe Pilot Seminar Professional SOP's for the GA Pilot and the Ins & Outs of MOA's, ~24 in attendance, 7/16

Hangar Garage Sale Four hangar tenants participated, ~25 public attended, 6/23

Social Media: Facebook 4.4K followers, 7 Posts, highest viewed - New ATC Controller Robert (69,358)

Instagram 2.6K Followers, 6 Posts, most viewed - WWII B25 (788)

Staff Meeting All-Staff monthly lunch meeting with GM Robb Etnyre, 7/10

Staff Updates New Director of Ops & Maintenance selected, onboards early September, 7/17

#### **STEAM Airport Events**

The Aspen Collective, youth concert at TTAD park, ~ 30 in attendance, 7/9

Tahoe Expedition Academy - Tahoe Summer Camp airfield tour, ~35 in attendance, 7/12

Truckee Cultural District hangs "Tahoe Perspective" art exhibit 7/19. Reception scheduled 5-7pm 7/23

TTAD Website Stats 5.1K users, 15,310 pg views (6,858 webcam, 3,497 home pg, 1,097 Community News),

7 - Airport Community News topics / 4 - Headline stories

#### **Tahoe Truckee Community Foundation Programs**

Agency Partnership 2024 Application Cycle open July 1 - Aug 30 Aviation/STEM Scholarship 2024 Application Cycle closed June 30

TSA Visit Sacramento Regional TSA representatives inspected GA operations at KTRK and Mtn Lion Aviation, 7/17

Wildfire Mitigation Four Chinook helicopters & crews based out of KTRK during Royal Fire incident operations, 7/7

Community Sponsorships \$60K Budgeted in 2024 for <\$5K sponsorships. All funds distributed, program closed for 2024.

<u>Agency Partnerships</u> >\$5K New 2024 Application Cycle July 1 - Aug 30 with Board determinations in October.

Current outstanding unused AP balances of \$123K from previous year's partnerships with extended terms: Achieve Tahoe 2022 AP funding of \$75,262 for Adaptive Sailing, unused balance of \$23K, EOY 2024 M.A.P. 2021 AP promissory note of \$50K for Trout Creek Pocket Park Shade Structure, EOY 2024 Truckee Donner Rec & Parks District 2022 AP funding of \$50K for Pickle Ball Courts, EOY 2025

<u>Coming August Messaging</u> ACT Meeting, Agency Partnership 2024 Cycle, Board Meeting, Density Altitude, Fly Safe Speaker Event, Fly Safe Program Cirrus Mtn Flying Course, Hangar Inspections, Sustainability & SAF, Wildfire Mitigation

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