AIRPORT GOVERNANCE
REGULATION AND MANAGEMENT OF AIRPORTS

U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Aviation Administration (FAA)
www.faa.gov

- Operates air navigation facilities
- Controls airways, air traffic and air safety
- Establishes airport design standards
- Provides airport development funding

California Department of Transportation, Division of Aeronautics
http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/planning/aeronaut/

- Issues permits for, and inspects public-use airports
- Conducts statewide aviation system planning
- Administrates noise regulation and land use planning laws
- Provides grants and loans for safety, maintenance and capital improvement projects at airports

U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Transportation Security Agency (TSA)
www.tsa.gov

- Approves airport security plans
- Trains and deploys airport security screeners

County of San Diego Airports
http://www.sdcounty.ca.gov/dpw/airports.html

- Operates and maintains all physical elements of airports including security
- Develops facilities and rents space to airlines, aviation-related and passenger service businesses
- Leases property for development supporting airport enterprise funding

National Transportation Safety Board
http://www.ntsb.gov/aviation/aviation.htm

- Investigates aircraft accidents and reports findings