

**PALOMAR AIRPORT ADVISORY COMMITTEE
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MINUTES

Thursday, June 19, 2014

Chairperson Chuck Collins called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 19, 2014 at the Carlsbad City Council Chambers, 1200 Carlsbad Village Drive, Carlsbad, California.

ROLL CALL

The roll call was taken.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Chairperson Chuck Collins, Vice Chairperson Tim Hutter, Bob Gates, John O'Reilly, Tom Ricotta and Cal Weeks were present at the start of the meeting, which represented a quorum.

MEMBERS ABSENT

Ron Cozad was absent. Cliff Kaiser was initially absent but joined the meeting in progress.

COUNTY STAFF PRESENT

Present were Peter Drinkwater, Olivier Brackett, John Otto, Dan Thompson and Jessica Turner.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The PAAC members reviewed the minutes for the April, 2014 meeting. Mr. Ricotta moved the minutes be approved, which they were, with Mr. Hutter and Mr. O'Reilly abstaining.

PUBLIC COMMENTS ON ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA

Graham Thorley had a comment on WebTrak. He also commented on the 2000 Airport Noise Roundtable. Chris Cherokee, a Carlsbad resident, spoke of a lot of low flying propeller planes over his community. Ms. Turner gave him her business card. Rock Swanson of the Palomar Airport Association spoke of their efforts to educate the flying community.

AIRPORT DIRECTOR'S REPORT – P. Drinkwater

Mr. Drinkwater spoke on a young man's efforts to fly around the world. The pilot had recently been at Gillespie Field.

HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATIONS SUBMITTALS – UPDATE/FLY FRIENDLY PROGRAM PROGRESS REPORT – J. O'Reilly/J. Turner

While there had been no Fly Friendly Presentations, Ms. Turner had talked with three gentlemen from Solamar Homeowner's Association regarding aircraft issues. Homeowners Associations and other groups were invited to contact the Airport Manager's Office if they would like to receive a Fly Friendly Presentation.

AIRPORT COMMUNITY RELATIONS REPORT – J. Turner

Report for May, 2014:

- Monthly Operations Count: 11,660
- Annual Operations Count: 62,207
- Monthly Air Carrier Passenger Enplanements: 4,571
- Monthly Air Carrier Passenger Throughput: 8,828
- Annual Air Carrier Total Passengers: 41,922
- Monthly Concerns: 270
- Annual Concerns: 1,101
- Community Noise Concerns by area: Southwest: 240; Southeast: 9; Northwest: 2; Northeast: 18; Out of NINA: 5
- Jet Flights during quiet hours (2200-0700): 61
- Propeller Flights during quiet hours (0000-0600): 27
- Community Noise Concern Index = .113 people/1000 filed a concern.
- Palomar Airport Operational Benefit Index = 165 people/1000

The PAAC and County Staff discussed the areas of community noise concerns.

STAFF REPORT – O. Brackett

Mr. Brackett discussed the recent fires in Carlsbad and the use of one of the Airport's fire trucks and Airport Firefighter Brandon Worden to help fight the fires and protect homes. Mr. Brackett said that the Airport's cross training with the Carlsbad Fire Department helped in fighting the fires. Mr., Kaiser asked for an update on California Pacific Airlines but Mr. Brackett had no information about the airline.

COMMITTEE MEMBER COMMENTS

Mr. Kaiser made a comment about an agenda item for the next PAAC Meeting, which is detailed below.

SET AGENDA FOR MEETING ON MAY 15, 2014

The next meeting of the Palomar Airport Advisory Committee will be on August 21, 2014. Mr. Kaiser asked if the County could address questions about changes to any flight patterns at the next PAAC meeting in response to questions about planes flying over homes where they weren't flying over those particular homes in the past.

ADJOURN

The meeting was adjourned at 7:46 p.m.

By: _____
Dan Thompson, Administrative Secretary I