

**LAX Area Advisory Committee Meeting
DRAFT MINUTES**

Submitted by Jamie Gutierrez

**Thursday, October 12, 2017 - 7:00 p.m.
Samuel Greenberg Board Room
Clifton A. Moore Administration Building LAX
One World Way, Los Angeles, CA 90045**

Present: Jim Withrow, Maria Verduzco-Smith, Carl Jacobson, Danna Cope, Linda Peterson, Bill Cumming, Olivia Valentine, John Wahlert, Drew Boyles, Kevin Klowden, Steven Murray

Absent: Frank Dolce

Excused: Dick Croxall, Mario Chiappe, Sergio Paz

Guests:

1. Call to Order

Vice Chair Jim Withrow called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

2. Approval of Minutes of Previous Committee Meeting

Linda Peterson moved to approve the minutes of September 14, 2017. Danna Cope seconded. One abstained vote by Kevin Klowden. Motion carried.

3. Guest Speakers

**David Maggard, Chief of Police
Los Angeles World Airports Police Division**

Los Angeles World Airports and LAX Airport Police Division are currently looking at anticipated travel numbers for the upcoming holiday season and preparing to mitigate safety and traffic concerns in and around the airport. The Airport Police will be entering an enhanced deployment period during the holiday season, which provides more security/traffic officers and police on foot, bicycle, and motorcycle who focus on moving pedestrians and vehicular traffic through the terminal area safely and smoothly. These efforts will be supported by the observation and analysis of those working in the Department's Airport Response Control Center (ARCC).

The airport is interfacing with phone and social media applications that can help travelers determine their routes into the airport, as well as traffic and parking lot information for the Central Terminal Area (CTA). Remote access signage boards are also utilized to communicate to travelers. Partnerships with other local and state agencies are providing the opportunity to discuss and address traffic problem areas, including streets and intersections that have multi-agency jurisdiction, such as that at Sepulveda and Imperial. Advertising the availability and use of high passenger options, such as the Flyaway, for transportation to the airport will also help decrease traffic numbers.

Airport Police has received the approval for the increase and hiring of new security officers. Security officers will be hired in waves, with one batch being deployed just prior to the Thanksgiving holiday.

4. Management Reports – Jamie Gutierrez – LAWA Community Relations Division

Provided the most current LAX Aircraft Noise Community Response (ANCR) report data summary on submitted noise comments/complaints. Terminal renovations and Central Terminal Area construction updates were provided.

Save the date for the combined Van Nuys Airport Citizens Advisory Council and LAX Area Advisory Committee holiday dinner on December 7th in Van Nuys.

5. Officer's Report

No Report.

6. Unfinished/Old Business

Danna Cope - UC Davis Aviation Noise and Air Quality Symposium

Reminder of the UC Davis Noise and Air Quality Symposium will be held in Long Beach February 25-28, 2018. The representative for this symposium will be from the Noise Roundtable.

7. New Business/Action Items

Roundtable Letter to FAA on DAHJR

Per Chair Dick Croxall's request, LAX Community Noise Roundtable letter dated October 1, 2017, regarding the LAX North Arrival Downwind Leg Pass Waypoint DAHJR below mandatory altitude of 6,000 feet was disseminated for the committee's reference.

LAXAAC Letter to LAWA CEO regarding Holiday Traffic Concerns

Tabled.

8. Request for Future Agenda Items

The committee requests future presentations by Michael Sheldon regarding roundtable presentation on GADDO, and a LAWA representative on sound installation grants and statistics.

9. Comments from Guests and Public

None.

10. Discussions

None.

12. Adjourn

Maria Verduzco-Smith moved to adjourn. Kevin Klowden seconded. The meeting was adjourned at 8:27 p.m.