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## El Dorado County Airport Land Use Compatibility Plan Update

**Cameron Airpark Airport** 

**Georgetown Airport** 

**Placerville Airport** 









## **Airport Land Use Commission**

Protect public health, safety and welfare by:

- Ensuring orderly expansion of airports
- Adopting land use measures to minimize exposure to noise and safety hazards around public airports...

to the extent that the areas are not already devoted to incompatible uses (PUC 21670)

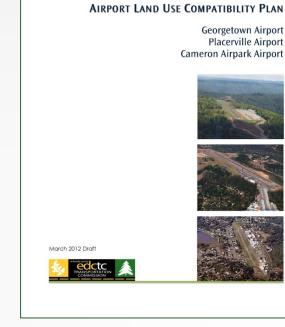
**Note:** No effect on existing uses.





## Status Update (what we've done)

- Reviewed airport data
- Technical papers
- Working Group meetings
- Prepared Draft Plan
- Follow up: City/County Planning Staff
- CEQA analysis
- Notified residents





**El Dorado County** 

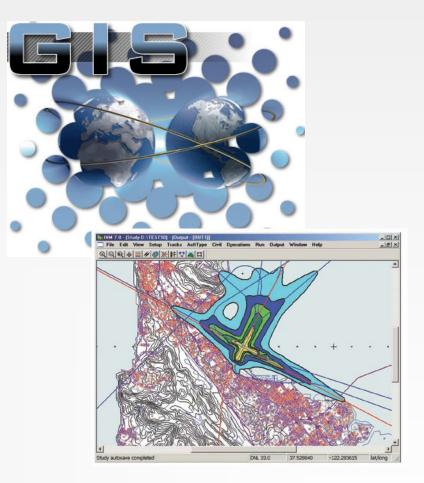
## What's Different ?

### **Airport Differences (Not much!)**

- Shorter runways (slightly)
- Similar forecasts
- Similar fleet mixes

### **Better Tools**

- GIS (greater precision)
- Improved Noise Model
- Revised Caltrans Guidance (1993, 2002, 2011)

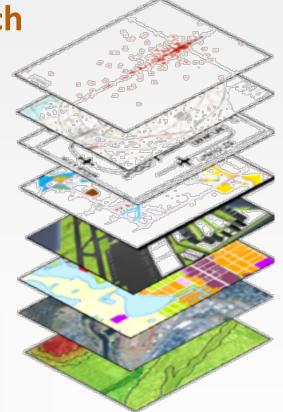




### **ALUCP Contents – A Layered Approach**

- Noise (FAA Noise Model)
- Safety Zones (Accident data)
- Airspace Protection Zones (FAR Part 77)
- Overflight Area

(State Laws, overflight notification)





**Noise Analysis** 

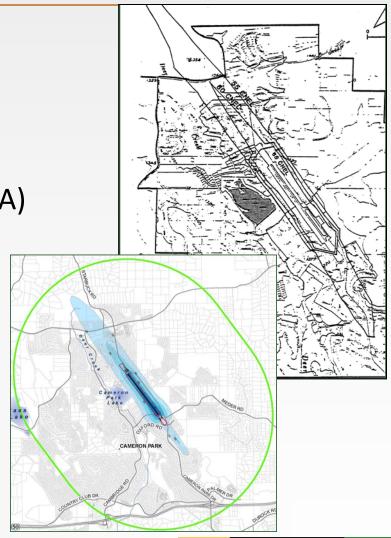
**Objective:** Avoid exposure (no new noise-sensitive uses in AIA)

### **Changes:**

• Revised noise model

### **Effect on ALUCPs:**

• Smaller noise contours/zones





## Safety Zone Analysis

**Objective:** Reduce risks to people/property

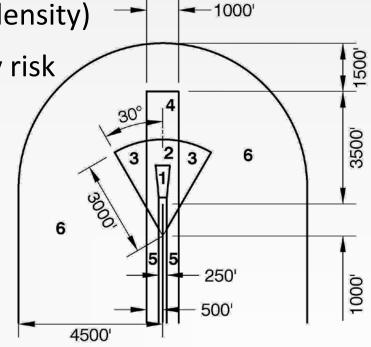
- Provide open space for landing (density)
- Reduce number exposed to safety risk (intensity)

### **Revised ALUCPs:**

- New Caltrans guidance
- Six safety zones instead of three

### **Effect on ALUCPs:**

Greater flexibility in policies





## **Compatibility Background: Airspace Protection**

### Concern:

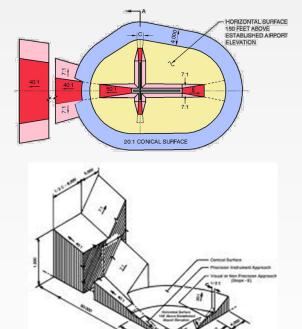
 Hazards to aviators and air travelers (physical, visual, wildlife)

### Approach:

• FAA-designated protected airspace

### Effect on ALUCPs

 Identify incompatible uses (e.g., all structures, glare, smoke, wildlife hazards)





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## **EDCALUC – ALUCP Updates**

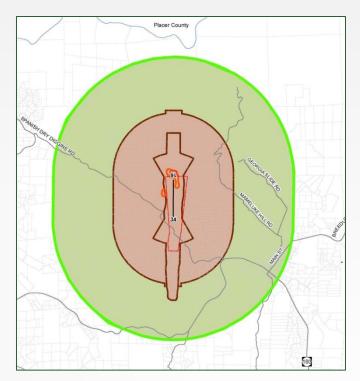
## **Compatibility Factor: Overflight**

**Objective:** Increase awareness **Approach:** Identify

- High Noise/Risk Zone
- Traffic <1,000 feet

### Notification not regulation!

• Real Estate disclosures (state law)





## **CEQA** Analysis

### **Focus Areas:**

- Land Use
- Population and Housing

### Rationale:

- No proposed development
- No physical changes to environment

#### El Dorado County AIRPORT LAND USE COMPATIBILITY PLAN

Georgetown Airport Placerville Airport Cameron Airpark Airport











### **Cameron Airpark Airport– CEQA Analysis**

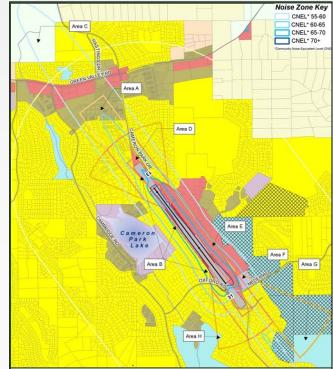
Seven Potential Conflict Areas (A-G)

- Within Noise Contours (55 and 60 CNEL)
- Within Safety Zones 1-5

### **No Conflict Identified**

- Existing uses (no restriction)
- Infill development (permitted)
- General Plan defers to ALUCP (height)

# **Conclusion:** No Land Use Impact or displacement





### **Georgetown Airport – CEQA Analysis**

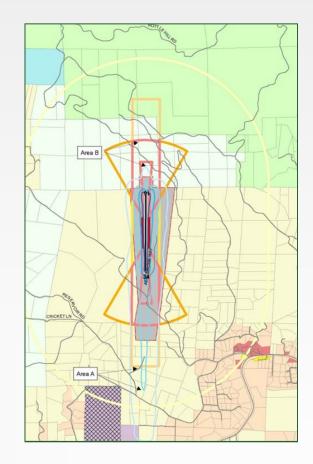
### **Two Potential Conflict Areas**

- Low-Density Residential Use 60 CNEL (Area A)
- Rural-Residential Use Zones 1 and 2 (Area B)

### **No Conflict Identified**

- Existing uses (no restriction)
- Dwelling permitted outside of zone
- General Plan defers to ALUCP

**Conclusion:** No Land Use Impact or Displacement

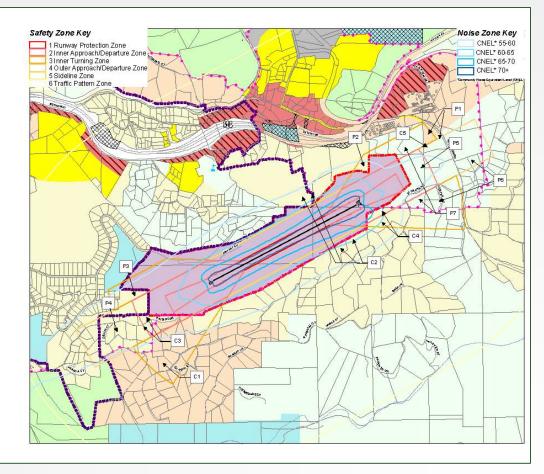




### **Placerville Airport – CEQA Analysis**

### Potential General Plan Conflicts:

- County 5 areas
- City/Sphere of Influence - 8 areas





**Placerville Airport – CEQA Analysis for Unincorporated Areas** 

- 13 Potential Land Use Conflicts in City/County (C1 C5, P1 P7, and one existing open space area)
- Parcels built out
- Infill (permitted)
- Development can occur outside of zone
- Subdivision of a single 3-acre parcel not allowed, but General Plan defers to ALUC safety policies (C-5).

Conclusion: No Land Use Impact



### **Placerville Airport – Housing Displacement Analysis**

### **County Analysis**

- Subdivision of a single 3-acre parcel not allowed (Area C5)
- Two future residential units potentially displaced
- No effect on Regional Housing Needs Assessment requirement (County exceeds its requirement threefold with 20,200 units)

**Conclusion:** Less than Significant Impact



### **Placerville Airport - Housing Displacement Analysis**

### **City of Placerville – Sphere of Influence**

- 319 *future* units in Sphere of Influence
- Constraints include slopes, infrastructure, and current use
- Only 26 potentially displaced units if annexed and rezoned

### **Existing Condition:**

- Area has *not* been annexed
- SOI *not* included in Housing Element
- 26 units does not affect ability to meet RHNA requirement (388 units required, but 1,100 available in city limits)

**Conclusion:** No Impact



## Schedule

Meeting /Date	Task/Topic
March 2012	Draft ALUCPs (All Working Papers)
April 5, 2012	Presented Plan to ALUC
	<ul> <li>Coordination with City Planners</li> <li>Coordination with County Planners</li> <li>General Press Release for Residents</li> </ul>
April 20 to - 24, 2012	Notification (post cards, papers)



## Schedule - continued

Meeting /Date	Task/Topic
April 27 to May June 1, 2012	CEQA Publication and Outreach
Meetings Workshops (5/1 to 5/3)	<ul> <li>County Planning Commission (4/26)</li> <li>County Board of Supervisors</li> <li>City Council/Planning Commission</li> <li>Placerville, Georgetown, and Cameron Airpark</li> </ul>
June 28, 2012	Project Completion/Adoption



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## **EDCALUC – ALUCP Updates**

# **Questions?**

