



#### **Tonight's Speaker**

Mark Duebner
Director
Department of Aviation

#### The Department of Aviation Good Neighbor Program Community Meeting

Tuesday, January 18, 2022

Welcome, the presentation will start shortly.
Thank you for joining us!



Good Neighbor Program Community Meeting
Dallas Love Field Airport

# Good Neighbor Program Meeting Agenda

- 1. Good Neighbor Program Overview
- Love Field Project Updates
- 3. Environmental Updates
- 4. Community Engagement Updates





# Good Neighbor Program –

Overview





# What is the Good Neighbor Program?



A way to connect with the community on future ideas and planning input.



Create livable, walkable and interconnected neighborhoods in our community.



Operates in and around the airport with the mission to do all the good we can, in all the ways we can.

## Good Neighbor Program Goals

We are an airport that happens to be in the middle of a community, but.....

"Our goal is to be a community that happens to be located around an airport..."

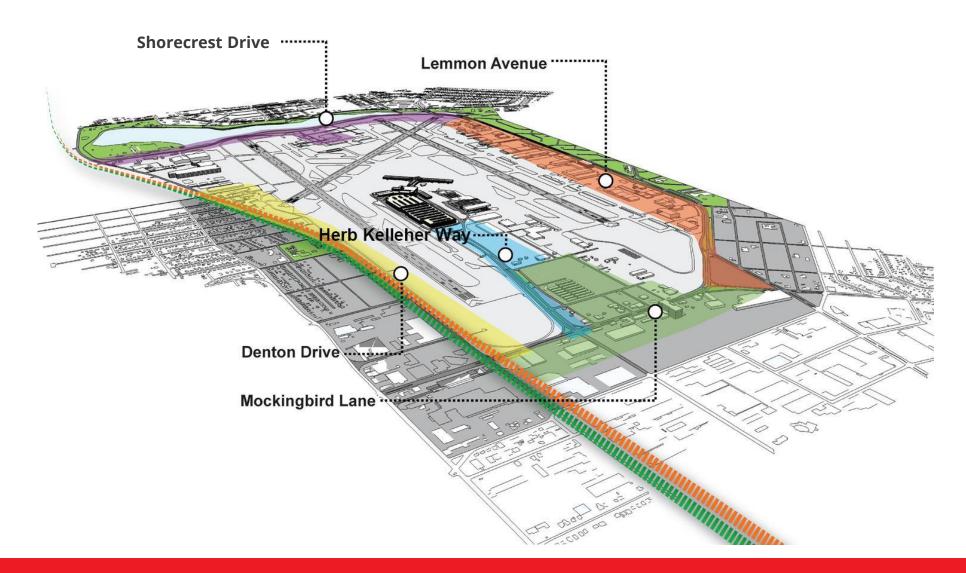
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- Off-airport urban design
- Landscaping and beautification
- Parks, trails and recreational activities
- Signage and traffic improvements
- Pedestrian improvements



#### Target Areas





# Good Neighbor Program –

Real Estate Updates



# Business Jet Center Hangar Development



Construction on Hangar N began in August 2021 with expected completion in June 2022.

#### Development highlights:

- 40,000 sf aircraft storage hangar on Lemmon Avenue
- 9,000 sf attached office
- New hangar will be adjacent and identical to Hangar M, which was completed in 2019



#### Children's Health Development

Hangar construction expected to begin Summer 2022 with expected completion in Fall 2023.

#### Development includes:

- Hangar and office to support Children's Health transport team
- 15,000 sf hangar
- 20,000 sf two-story office building





# Good Neighbor Program –

# Infrastructure & Development Project Updates

#### Entry Road Enhancements



Construction started in late April 2021 with expected completion in Summer 2022.

#### Enhancements to include:

- Lighting
- Pedestrian paving
- Fencing
- Landscaping
- Signage
- Public Art



#### Entry Road Enhancements





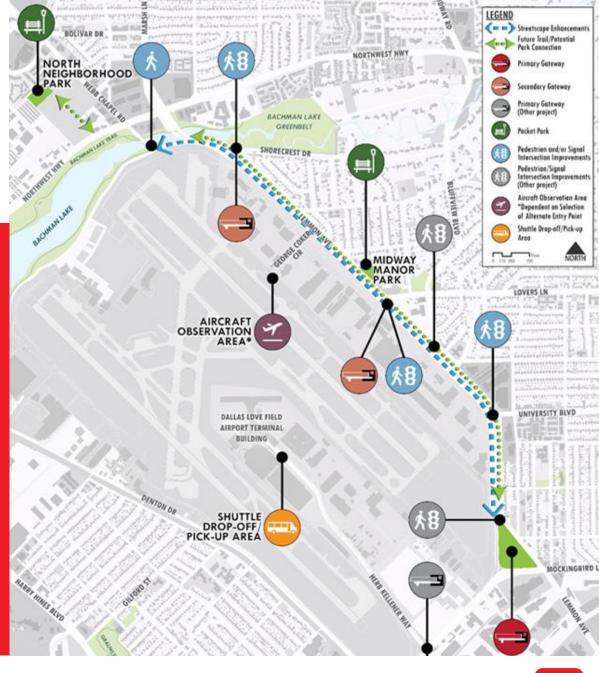




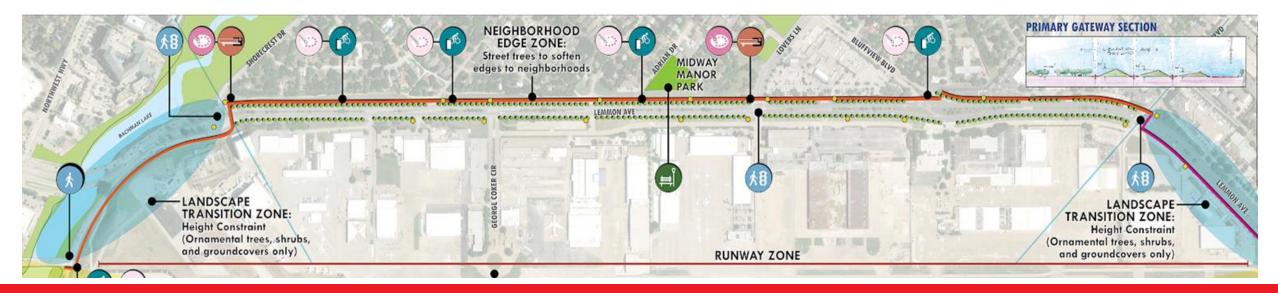
# Lemmon Avenue Streetscape Enhancements

**Major design features of the Lemmon Avenue Streetscape Enhancement Project may include:** 

- Enhanced landscaping, urban design elements and gateway features
- Pedestrian and bicycle paths
- Decorative streetlights
- Intersection improvements with new traffic signals and crosswalks
- Two neighborhood parks
- Enhanced bus shelters



#### Updates

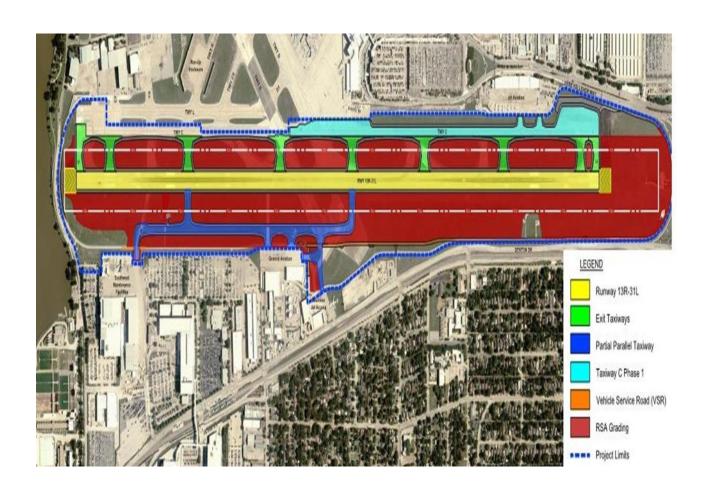


- 60% design complete for Trail and Streetscape
   enhancements, design efforts to 95% level continues
- Estimated design completion Summer 2022
- 10 ft. shared-use trail with enhanced pedestrian crossings connecting to the Bachman Lake trail system
- Project limits extended to Airdrome and Mockingbird (to Coleville)

- Completed Parks Master Plan
  - Midway Manor Park
  - North Neighborhood Park
  - Coordination with other City departments, DART and the FAA
- 2 Secondary Gateway Features at Lovers Lane and Shorecrest Drive



#### Reconstruct Runway 13R-31L



PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The project includes the replacement of the existing pavement system, improvements to the existing drainage & storm water control system, replacement of airfield lighting, improvements to communications pathways and ARFF roadway system.

Project status: Construction
Estimated Project Completion: Late 2022
Estimated Completion of Runway: Spring 2022





- Aircraft operations have shifted to 13L-31R (Lemmon Avenue runway) while RWY 13R/31L is closed
- Work is progressing with some delays due to ongoing supply chain issues, labor shortages and weather delays that occurred early in the project
- Overall project is 46% complete; Phases 2/3 (runway) is 60% complete
- Taxiway Charlie reopened November 20<sup>th</sup>
- Taxiway Tango reopened December 21st



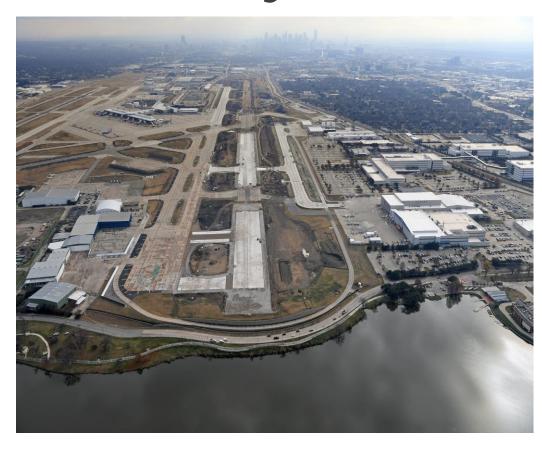


Figure 1 - RWY 13R looking SE



Figure 2 - RWY 13R/31L and TWY C under construction



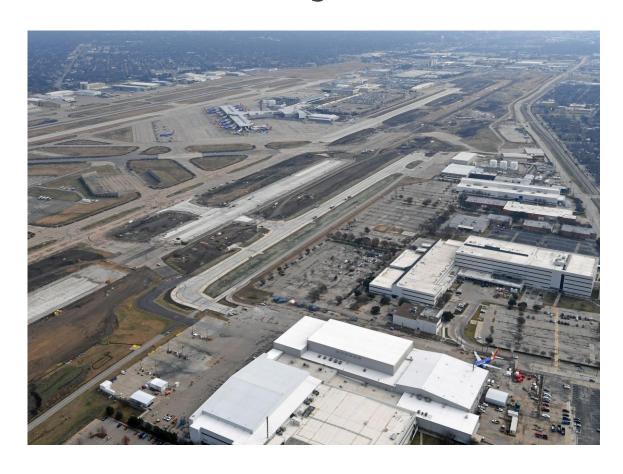


Figure 3 - New TWY T under construction (Phase 1) and north half of RWY 13R/31L under construction (Phase 2)



Figure 4 - TWY C under operation

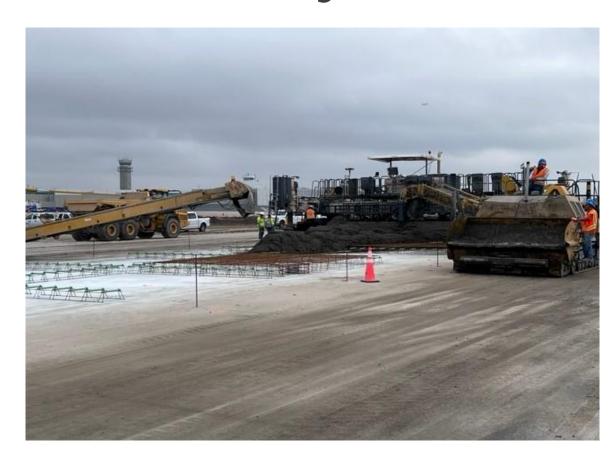


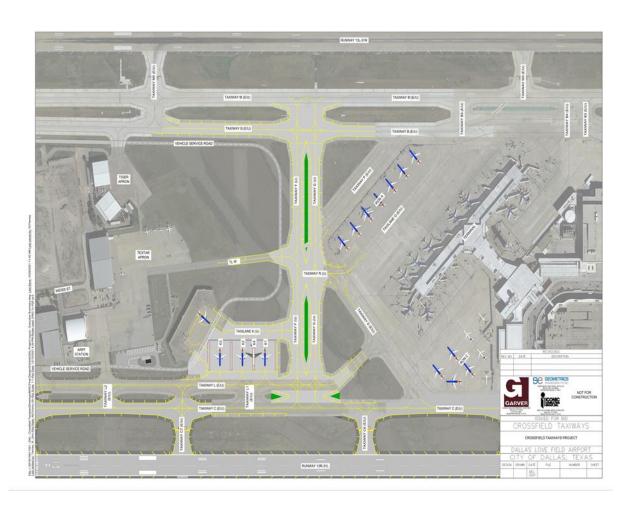
Figure 5 – RWY 13R/31L with reinforcements and placing final concrete pavement layer



Figure 6 – RWY 13R/31L, final pavement layer preparation



#### Cross-Field Taxiways



PROJECT DESCRIPTION: This project will include the construction of Crossfield Taxiways and connecting taxiways, it will also include the construction of the proposed Remain Over Night (RONs), deicing areas, analyze the location of the run-up area and recommend relocation/reconfiguration.

Project status: Design Completed
Estimated Construction Start: August 2022



## Cross-Field Taxiways

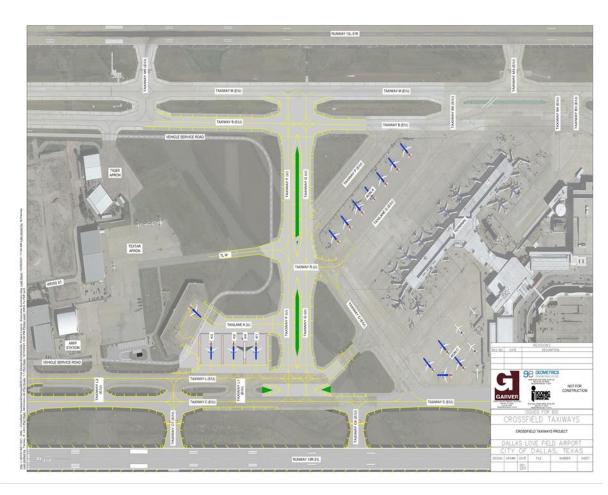


Figure 1 – Proposed Cross-Field TWYs Design Layout



Figure 2 – Existing Airfield Layout



# Good Neighbor Program –

# Alternate Entry Project Updates

#### Alternate Entry

The Mockingbird Lane/Herb Kelleher Way intersection is the only entrance into Love Field, the busiest medium hub airport in North America.

- Serving over 80,000 vehicles/day, the intersection often slips to Level of Service "F" (intersection failure)
- During incidents or lane closures, long backups occur, impacting first responders' access to the airport
- Airport operations have been severely impacted during incidents, causing security and operational risks
- Any incident blocking the entrance can critically burden passenger access and evacuation operations
- The 2018 Master Plan Update for Love Field recommended the airport address the above issues



## Background



- Initially, alternates 1-5 were evaluated for mitigation of traffic issues. A Diverging-Diamond Interchange at Mockingbird and Cedar Springs Road was recommended.
- With increasing traffic after the repeal of Wright
   Amendment it was determined that the solution
   will not adequately address LOS. More, it was
   not feasible to construct a diverging diamond
   interchange without severely impacting airport
   operations.
- Alternates 6-11 were added for further evaluation due to the above.



#### Alternate Entry Analysis



The 11 alternatives were evaluated on the following criteria:

- Traffic impacts
- Reduction in vehicle miles travelled (VMT)
- Ability to accommodate an automated people mover (APM) system
- Provides an alternate route for emergency needs
- Five (5) alternatives were shortlisted based on the Analysis



# ALTERNATIVE

#### Shortlisted Alternatives – Evaluation Matrix

		Traffic Impacts	VMT Reductions	APM Applicability	Emergency Entrance/Exit
SOUTH	1-3		х	x	x
	4		х	х	x
	5	x	х	x	
NORTH	6				
	7				
	8				
EAST	9				
	10				
WEST	11			х	

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Excellent
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Neutral
Challenging
Negative Impact
Critical Impact

Shorecrest Drive - Central Airfield Northwest Highway - Central Airfield Shorecrest Drive - West of Runway 13R-31L Lemmon Avenue – Shorecrest Dr. Lemmon Avenue – George Coker

- 1. Conventional Urban Diamond Interchange
- 2. Diverging Diamond Interchange
- 3. Direct Ramp Interchange
- 4. U-Turn at Airdrome
- 5. Mockingbird Ln/ Waddell Ave
- 6. Shorecrest Dr. Central Airfield

- 7. Bridge from Northwest Hwy Central Airfield
- 8. Shorecrest Dr west of Runway 13R-31L
- 9. Lemmon Ave/Shorecrest Dr Intersection
- 10. Lemmon Ave/George Coker Cir Intersection
- 11. Denton Dr



### Bachman Lake Area Planning Study



- In August 2020, at City's request, the North
  Central Texas Council of Governments
  (NCTCOG) undertook a planning study to identify
  improvements in the Bachman Lake/Love Field
  area.
- The study included evaluation of alternate entry options for Love Field.
- A preliminary summary of the study findings can be found at <u>NCTCOG's website</u>.



## Alternate Entry - Next Steps

 NCTCOG will present finding and recommendations of Bachman Area Planning Study to City Council.

 Department of Aviation will present Alternate Entry shortlist to City Council for selection of preferred alternate.

 Department of Aviation will undertake preliminary design and environmental analysis of option recommended by Council.



# Good Neighbor Program –

Environmental Updates

### Voluntary Noise Program

- To better respond to the concern of our neighbors, the City of Dallas' Department of Aviation has developed a Voluntary Noise Control Program for the Airport.
- DOA serves as a liaison between the community and FAA while also disseminating noise information to stakeholders through outreach.
- The Federal Aviation Administration controls the National Airspace System in the United States.
- \* FAA's Air Traffic Control directs commercial air traffic to and from DAL Airport.
- DAL's Noise and Operations Monitoring System (NOMS) utilizes Casper Airport Solutions as its advanced system that enables the City of Dallas to monitor and better understand aircraft noise in the vicinity of the Airport. The system is comprised of 4 fixed noise monitors in the community.

For noise concerns visit
<a href="https://dal.noiselab.casper.aero/">https://dal.noiselab.casper.aero/</a>
For noise inquires email

AVINoise@dallascityhall.com





## Operation Statistics (Oct – Dec 2021)

	Air Carrier	<b>General Aviation</b>	Other	<b>Total Operations</b>
October	11,360	7,532	250	19,142
November	10,897	7,641	248	18,786
December	10,595	6,948	300	17,843

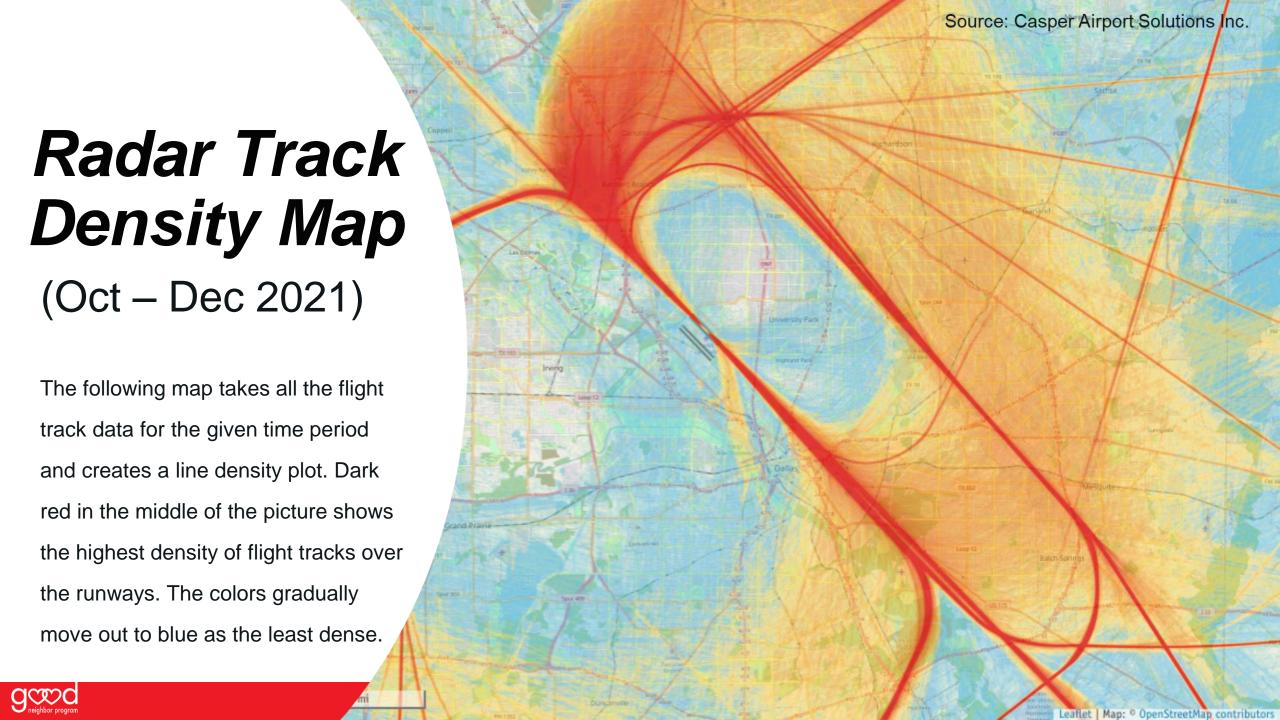
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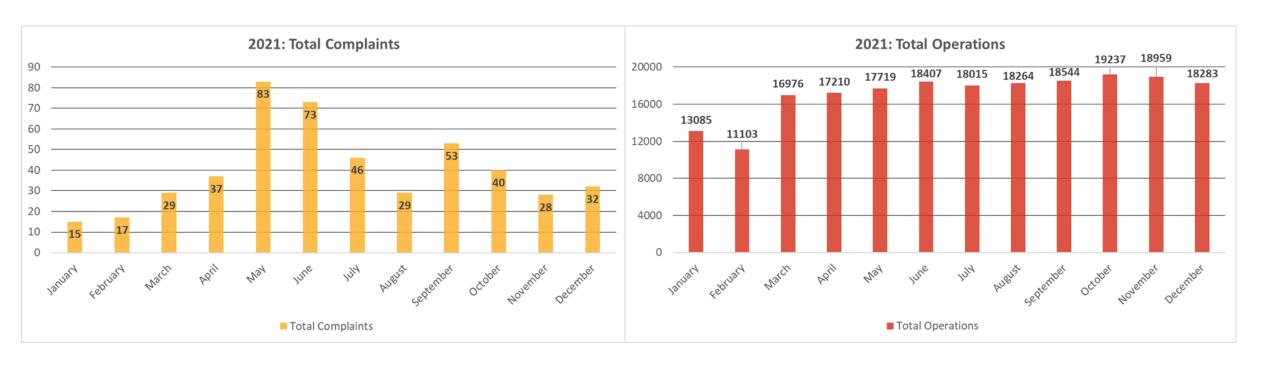
Air Carrier – A commercial carrier utilizing aircraft as its means of transport; an airline, as for passengers or freight.

**General Aviation** – All civil aviation operations other than scheduled air services and non-scheduled air transport operations for compensation or hire.

Other – Medical and Military flights







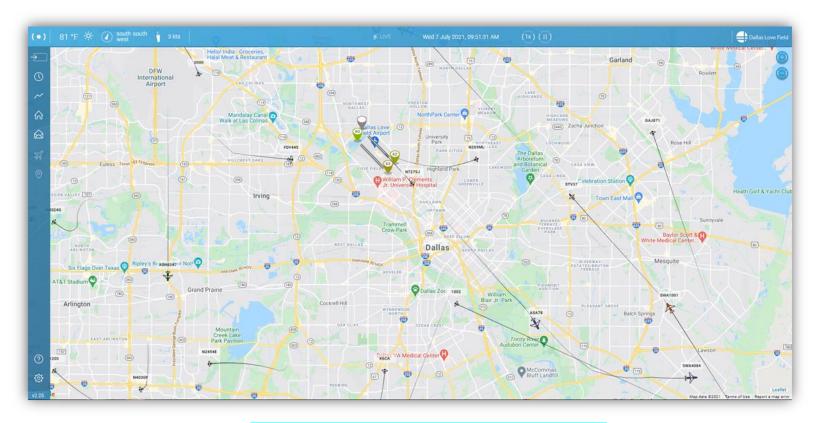
## CY 2021 Total Operations & Complaints

Source: Casper Airport Solutions Inc.



# Flight Tracker

As part of the Voluntary Noise Program, Dallas Love Field Airport invested in an online tracking system for the movement of flights and air traffic patterns within the DFW Metroplex. Flight Tracker along with Casper NoiseLab allows concerned individuals to research data about flights to and from Dallas Love Field Airport or Dallas Executive Airport as well as any transitional air traffic through the region. The system also simplifies the process of filing a noise complaint by offering an easy, online option for residents to register noise concerns.



https://flighttracker.casper.aero/dal/



# Good Neighbor Program –

Airline Activities





## Airline Flight Schedules

- 2021 Holiday Schedule was similar to the 2019 activities.
- COVID-19 variants have continuously impacted airline bookings.
- Bookings are rebounding and we will continue to monitor.





## Good Neighbor Program –

Community Engagement Updates



# Department of Aviation Blood Drive (January 12<sup>th</sup>)





## DAS/DISD Partnership on VIRTUAL Career Days





## FACE COVERINGS REQUIRED

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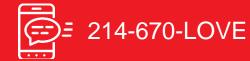
for helping to protect our students and staff by covering your mouth and nose.



## **GNP Contact Information**



#### **Program Hotline**



#### **Program Email**



#### **Program Website**

www.dallas-lovefield.com/GoodNeighbor



## Community Engagement



We believe in being a good neighbor to our community.



Are your priorities still the same or have they changed?



What would you like to see with community connections?



What else can make us a good neighbor?







- 1. Q: Request for live field trees along Lemmon Avenue
  - A. DOA is currently finalizing the Lemmon Avenue Streetscape Enhancement Project. The project will include sidewalks, landscaping, bicycle trails and lighting.
- 2. Q: Love to learn about new running and walking trails as well as funding for how these
  areas will be maintained for the next 10+ years. I am highly against developing
  something that won't have a plan or budget to be maintained.
  - A. The presentation on the Lemmon Ave Streetscape Enhancements project shows depiction of walking trails to be developed, along with bicycle paths and other life safety enhancements such as lighting and intersection improvements. This project is being funded out of our capital budget. Once the project is complete maintenance will be funded out of our operation & maintenance budget.



- 3. Q. Looking out for contracting opportunities with DAL
  - A. For information about opportunities with the Department of Aviation and the City of Dallas, please ensure you register as vendor through the City's Vendor Procurement Portal Bonfire at <a href="https://dallascityhall.bonfirehub.com/portal/?tab=login">https://dallascityhall.bonfirehub.com/portal/?tab=login</a>. This website lists all of the City's open solicitations. For more information, you can also contact the Office of Procurement Services ResourceLink Team at 214-670-3326 or visit their website at, <a href="https://dallascityhall.com/departments/procurement/Pages/default.aspx">https://dallascityhall.com/departments/procurement/Pages/default.aspx</a>.
- 4. Q. Please explain the delays to runway construction and is it true the other runway is scheduled for closure following completion of the current project?
  - A. The reconstruction of Runway 13R-31L (east side runway) has been delayed as a result of supply chain issues and labor shortages which are a result of COVID impacts. Runway 13L-31R (westside runway) has a life expectancy of another ten years but because of the increase in traffic on this runway the design and reconstruction of it may have to start sooner. 13L-31R (westside) runway will be evaluated after traffic on both runways is re-established.



- 5. Q. When will the runways both open up again?
  - A. Runway 13R-31L is expected to be re-opened by Spring 2022 but with the ongoing supply chain issues and labor shortages (COVID impacts) the reopening date may change.
  - Q. Also, when they are both open do they split traffic 50-50? I read somewhere the Lemmon Ave side is more for smaller planes. But I am not sure if that is true.
  - A. Runway usage is determined by the FAA Airport Traffic Control Tower. There are various conditions which determine runway use including but not limited to weather, availability, and regional air traffic to all area airports. Safety of aircraft operations will always be the priority for Air Traffic Control (ATC).



- 6. Q. I would like to understand what is happening to Shorecrest Road and its impact on recreational areas.
  - A. The Lemmon Ave. Streetscape Enhancements project is only providing a trail from Lemmon Ave. to the intersection at Webb Chapel & Shorecrest (on airport property). The remaining portion of Shorecrest Dr. that is not airport property will be developed by a partnership project between the City of Dallas Department of Transportation and Dallas County under the County's MCIP program. Their plan is to widen Shorecrest Dr. to 4 lanes with bike lanes.
- 7. Q. I'd like to know how small disadvantaged businesses in the low-income districts of Dallas can
  participate on contracts for the airport. For instance, I found out late about the customer service
  assessment for the airport and it is in my core area.
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