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**O'HARE AIRPORT COMMISSION**

**CITY HALL SECOND FLOOR CONFERENCE ROOM  
505 BUTLER PLACE  
PARK RIDGE, IL 60068**

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2014 AT 7:00 P.M.**

**Mission Statement**

*To develop and recommend appropriate solutions enabling Park Ridge city officials to take decisive action to reduce noise and environmental impacts from operations at Chicago O'Hare International Airport, while protecting the health and safety of area residents, educating the community, positively impacting and protecting property, sense of community, and quality of life.*

- I. Roll Call**
- II. Approve Minutes**
  - A. November 20, 2013**
- III. Aldermen Who Wish to be Heard on a Non-Agenda Item**
- IV. Citizens Who Wish to be Heard on a Non-Agenda Item**
- V. Discussion**
  - A. Welcome new commissioners (introductions) – we are now back to a full 9 member commission**
  - B. FAA 12-13-13 response letter to Mayor Schmidt's 8-19-13 letter to Cong. Schakowsky**
  - C. Airport Noise Management System October & November 2013 Monthly Report data – increase in complaints**
    - 1. FAiR increasing awareness to register every complaint the disturbs residents (online, or phone etc. – 311 system problems)
    - 2. ONCC minutes (Nov. 2013) discussing how residents' multiple complaints throughout one day are "counted" by CDA
  - D. Update on Air Quality Monitor at Maine South**
    - 1. District 207 agreed to allow the monitor to remain on its property through June
    - 2. Park Ridge has requested the information which won't be released until after the monitoring period has concluded
    - 3. Air quality expert support to interpret data and use it meaningfully
    - 4. Recommendation that monitoring period be extended and/or made a permanent monitor
  - E. December 2013 Tribune Article Re: New Runway configuration leading to more congestion on ground (airport designed by politicians not aviation experts)**

**F. Spokesman Article raised interest – phone calls to Park Ridge from various residents**

1. Update on additional information pieces (Advocate, Herald etc.)
2. Next Spokesman piece (deadline; February 28 for April – June issue)
3. O'Hare Airport Diagram/ Map flight paths (compliments of Comm. Klaus)

**G. Follow up regarding Part 161 – Barb Lichman provided December 23, 2013 Letter further explaining this process:**

1. Recommendation in December 23, 2013 letter is to gain political support from Chicago residents (and politicians)
2. Recommendation in December 23, 2013 letter is to work with pilots groups (AOPA, AAAE etc.)
3. Recommendation in December 23, 2013 letter is to work with a technical consultant with expertise in the process

**H. Update on contact with environmental groups (Comm Korovilas) – initial contact was made with group willing to work with expert and assist**

**I. Update on contact with authors/professors of recent Health Studies (Comm. Demeros)**

**J. FAiR January 25 meeting held in Park Ridge (Summit of Uptown) –**

1. PBS was there filming
2. Strategy for 2014 including draft legislation
3. City of Park Ridge attorney Opinion Letter issued that a Park Ridge Alderman and/or an OAC commissioner attending FAiR meetings does not violate ethics ordinance
4. Several Park Ridge residents have joined and/or agreed to support FAiR – further opinion from City Attorney regarding guidance on Open Meetings Act necessary?

**VI. New Business**

**VII. Adjournment**