

Standing Meetings and Events

- **CAP Squadron 35**
Every Wednesday
7:00 PM
CAP Trailer
- **Whiteman Airport Association**
Every 3rd Thursday
7:00 PM
Administration Building
- **Aviation Explorer Post 747**
2nd & 4th Monday's
6:30-8:00
Pilot's Lounge
- **Young Eagles**
Every 4th Saturday
10:30 AM
Grassy Area adjacent to Pilot's Lounge
- **Whiteman Display Day**
Every 2nd Sunday
10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

2015 Airport Commission Meetings

October 28, 2015 10:00 am	KWHP
November 25, 2015 10:00 am	KEMT
December 2015 No Meeting	

From the Manager..



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Hangar Inspection Schedule.

Our 2015 annual hangar inspections are currently underway here at Whiteman. The emphasis of these inspections is both safety and lease compliance. If you are unable to be at the hangar briefly on the date and time listed below please contact the Airport Administration Office at (818) 896-5271 so that we may arrange another more convenient appointment time for the inspection. The inspection will only take a few minutes and will focus on fire hazards or hazardous materials in the hangar, making sure there is a working fire extinguisher in the hangar, checking to see if the aircraft in the hangar matches the aircraft on record and any signs of unauthorized commercial operations.

Each hangar row is listed below with a date. We will be stationed at these hangar rows on that date from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. and you may show up anytime during these hours for the inspection.

- B, C, D Rows: Wednesday, October 7th
- E, F, G, H, J Rows: Thursday, October 8th
- BB, CC, DD, U & T Rows: Friday, October 9th

Hangar tenants located in third party hangars have either already been inspected or may be contacted shortly by their landlords with the dates and times of their respective inspection.

I greatly appreciate your help in completing this process quickly and efficiently. I know it is often an inconvenience and I appreciate your efforts in helping us complete this mandated process. As mentioned earlier, if the date and time listed above does not work for you please contact me and we can arrange for a more convenient time. Thank you in advance for all your cooperation!

Storm Water Season. Our storm water monitoring season has started and with the possibility of increased rains with an El Nino weather pattern this winter we must ensure all rain water entering

our storm water drains does so without picking up any pollutants along the way. Please remember that painting, sanding or the use of any chemicals or solvents is not permitted in or around storage hangars or tie downs. If you see potential storm water issues around the airport please do not hesitate to contact my office at (818) 896-5271 or Airport Operations at (818) 312-2911 so that we may clean up any potential problems before they become one. Thanks in advance for your help!

Support your Airport Association. Please come out on the 3rd Thursday of each month to the Airport Administration Building and join the Airport Association for \$10 a year in dues. The next Airport Association meeting will be held on October 15th.

Need Hangar Repairs? If you are having difficulty with your hangar please do not hesitate to call the office at (818) 896-5271 so that we may diagnose the problem and make the appropriate fixes.

Aviation Quote of the Month

The Wright Brothers created the single greatest cultural force since the invention of writing. The airplane became the first World Wide Web, bringing people, languages, ideas, and values together.

— Bill Gates

Did You Know?

You can arrange to pay your monthly rent via credit card so it gets automatically charged every month.

Contact your Airport Manager for more information or to enroll in auto pay

Spotlight on...

Polls show voters overwhelmingly oppose privatizing ATC

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By a nearly two-to-one margin, voters oppose privatizing the operations of the air traffic control system by taking it from the FAA and turning it over to a private non-profit entity, according to a new poll.

A recent telephone survey conducted by [Global Strategy Group](http://www.globalstrategygroup.com) of 801 registered voters nationwide between Aug. 8 and Aug. 12 found that:

- A majority (55%) oppose privatizing the ATC functions of the FAA “by taking it from the FAA and turning it over to a non-profit corporation,” while 29% support it. Opposition exceeds support across party lines (it is opposed by 62% of Democrats and 58% of independents, while among Republicans, 46% oppose it and 38% support it). Opposition is higher than support across other demographic sub-groups, including gender, age, education and region of the country. There is also essentially no difference among those who fly often (56% oppose), those who fly about once a year (55%) and those who rarely or never fly (55%).
- Generally, voters support privatizing government functions or services. When asked whether they support or oppose “privatizing government functions or services, which is defined as allowing private companies to provide services currently or traditionally done by government,” 51% support privatization generally, while only 34% oppose it. Pollsters note that this question was asked immediately ahead of the question on privatizing the ATC functions of the FAA, which means that 20% of voters said they supported privatization generally and then immediately said they opposed privatizing the FAA’s ATC functions.
- Opposition to privatization may be at least partly due to the fact that voters think the FAA does a good job managing the ATC system. Fully 67% of voters give the FAA a positive job rating overall, while only 16% say it does a not so good or poor job. When asked more specifically to rate the job the FAA does operating the nation’s air traffic control system, 80% of voters say the FAA does an excellent or good job and only 14% rate the FAA negatively.

“Voters are very clearly expressing an “if-it-ain’t-broke” attitude about the FAA and privatization, officials with the polling company concluded.



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(310) 752-0578 or email us at aacservice@americanairports.net

Available for Lease

Whiteman Airport
(818-896-5271)
Standard Hangars

starting at
\$368.10/month



Brackett Field Airport
(909-593-1395)

Standard Hangars
starting at
\$451.62/month



Compton/Woodley Airport
(310-631-8140)

Standard Hangars
starting at
\$479.46/month

San Gabriel Valley Airport
(626-448-6129)

Standard Hangars
starting at
\$401.10/month



Fox Airfield
(661-940-1709)

Standard Hangars
starting at
\$370.16/month

Airport Display Days

KPOC

Every 3rd Sunday
10AM-2PM

KCPM

Every 1st
Saturday and Sunday
10AM-2PM

KEMT

Every 4th Sunday
9AM-1PM

KWJF

Every 2nd Saturday
All Day

KWHP

Every 2nd Sunday
10AM-2PM