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# AIRPORT PLANNING AND FEDERAL ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENTATION

### **Workshop Information**

In recent years, Congress has asked "Why does it take almost 10 years to build a new runway in the United States?" The answer is it takes good planning and proper analysis of environmental impacts. Why does it take so long? The reason is in many cases, the environmental gets started before the planning is complete.

#### What is the Purpose of the Workshop?

Congress and the Executive Branch have provided tools to shorten the time needed to get the projects from planning to construction. This workshop will focus on essential planning activities needed to support the environmental process for your capital improvement projects.

#### Who Should Attend?

This **FREE** workshop will provide valuable information for airport sponsors and consultants alike. In addition to emphasizing the importance of planning, we will also cover the required formats for: Environmental Assessments; and Environmental Impact Statements.

The Arizona and Nevada workshops will focus on planning and National Environmental Quality Act (NEPA) requirements

Phasing of California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and NEPA requirements for projects in California will be addressed at the California workshops.

Is this Relevant for My Project? The main intent of this workshop is to discuss planning and environmental requirements for major projects that will likely require the preparation of an Environmental Assessment or Environmental Impact Statement.

# Agenda Airport Master Planning **Aviation Forecasts** 1:00 pm Alternative Development and Evaluation Facilities Implementation Plan **Financial Feasibility Analysis** 2:00 pm Airport Capital Improvement Plan BREAK 2:50 pm Consideration of Environmental Factors in Airport Master Planning Format and size for an EA and EIS 3:00 pm Purpose and Need, Alternatives Analysis-for NEPA documents 3:50 pm BREAK Who does what? Agency coordination, Section 7, Section 106 \*Combined Federal/State Environ-4:00 pm mental Documents - what works, what doesn't. Quality Control - Whose job is it? 5:00 pm Adjourn \*California Workshops Only

## **REGISTRATION FORM**

#### Due to limited space, please return registration forms by August 15, 2007

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#### **Please Circle the Preferred Location**

Los Angeles, CA	Mesa, AZ
September 6, 2007	September 21, 2007
1:00 pm - 5:00 pm	1:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Reno, NV	Sacramento, CA
September 12, 2007	September 14, 2007
1:00 pm - 5:00 pm	1:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Return this form FAX or E-mail to:

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Upon receipt of registration information. confirmation and directions to workshop will be provided via email.