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NEWS RELEASE

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Subject: Draft Airport Master Plan Update - Public Information Meeting Dates

SANTA ROSA – Three informational meetings have been scheduled in September to provide people from various parts of Sonoma County the opportunity to learn about the Draft Airport Master Plan Update. Each meeting will cover the same information. The public will be able to ask questions and make comments at each meeting. The meetings will be set up with seven stations and have representatives of the Airport at each one. At one of the stations a transcriber will be available to record public comment. The stations are:

- Land Use – Existing and future Airport land use and property
- Air Carrier Feasibility – Runway extension study and aircraft compatibility with an extension
- Land Use Comparison and Land Use Comprehensive Plan – off-Airport land use compatibility plans, safety areas established by Airport land use
- Forecasts – Forecast of future aviation activity and passengers
- Developments – Future Airport development including a new passenger terminal
- General Information – General information about Airport activity
- Public Comments – At this station the public will have an opportunity to make comments that will be recorded by a transcriber.

Public Information Meeting Schedule

Tuesday, September 18, 2007, 6:30 - 8:30 P.M.

Cardinal Newman High School, 50 Ursuline Road, Santa Rosa

Wednesday, September 19, 2007, 6:30 - 8:30 P.M.

Piner High School, 1700 Fulton Road, Santa Rosa

Thursday, September 20, 2007, 6:30 - 8:30 P.M.

Huerta Gymnasium, 9291 Old Redwood Highway, Building 200, Windsor

In addition to the public meetings, the Draft Master Plan Update is available for review and comment online. To review the draft plan, visit [sonomacountyairport.org](http://www.sonomacountyairport.org) (<http://www.sonomacountyairport.org/>) and click on Draft Master Plan Update. The final date to make comments online has been extended from September 28 to October 1, 2007.

The Draft Airport Master Plan Update is a 20-year planning document. It is anticipated that the Board of Supervisors will review the plan for acceptance in October 2007. Once the Board accepts the Master Plan, an Environmental Review will take place. This process will take 18-24 months to complete. After the completion of the Environmental Review, the Board of Supervisors will then consider an adoption of the Master Plan Update. The earliest anticipated target date for the Board to take action on the plan is mid-year 2009.

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