

## **KCIA's Fly Quiet Program**

“Fly Quiet” is the term used by many airports to describe their noise abatement programs. KCIA’s program originated from Part 150 Study recommendations crafted by the Study Advisory Committee in 2002. After many community briefings where suggestions for a noise abatement program were identified and voted on by the SAC, a Fly Quiet Program was designed to reflect these ideas. Program objectives include improved

- Pilot awareness of flight patterns that create noise issues within noise sensitive communities.
- Accountability from KCIA to report flight patterns and noise incidents that deviate from Fly Quiet flight procedures.
- Access to KCIA pilot and program information that describe preferred flight patterns and procedures.
- Community outreach to pilot audiences, tenants, and airport communities.

There are three primary features of the Fly Quiet Program: upgraded equipment to improve noise monitoring and flight tracking capabilities; an Operator Education Program, a Pilot Incentives Program. Airport Director roles and responsibilities have been assigned to airport departments such as; planning, finance, community relations, noise office, and operations staff to implement and maintain KCIA's Fly Quiet Program.



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