



Request for City Council Committee Action from the Department of Community Planning and Economic Development

Date: July 16, 2015

To: Intergovernmental Relations Committee

Subject: Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport 2035 Long Term Comprehensive Plan

Recommendation: That the committee receive and file a presentation from Metropolitan Airports Commission staff on the 2035 Long Term Comprehensive Plan

Department Information

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Report

The Metropolitan Airports Commission is preparing an update to the Long Term Comprehensive Plan for the Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport (MSP). The plan is updated every five years as required by the Metropolitan Council. The purpose of the plan is to anticipate facility needs for the next 20 years, and to serve as the "road map" to guide the airport's development strategy by shaping the 7-year Capital Improvement Program.

The Long Term Comprehensive Plan will also include an updated 20-year forecast of aircraft operations and an assessment of the environmental consequences of those operations, including noise and air quality impacts.

In committee, Metropolitan Airports Commission staff will present work completed on the plan update to date, and describe the forthcoming community engagement process before the Commission approves the plan later this year.