



# MSP NOISE NEWS

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## Runway Closure Community Open Houses Scheduled

As one of the last remaining projects included in the Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport's (MSP) 2010 improvement plan, the center section of the north parallel runway (12L/30R) will be reconstructed.

Beginning August 17, the north parallel runway at MSP will be closed for approximately two and one half months to allow for reconstruction of the center portion of the runway. This will affect how the remaining three runways are used during this

period and, ultimately, where aircraft will be in the sky.

To help residents understand how this temporary change will affect flight patterns in the area surrounding MSP, the Metropolitan Airports Commission, together with the MSP Noise Oversight Committee, will hold four open houses during the two weeks prior to the closure.

One community open house will be held in early August in each of the following communities:

Minneapolis, Bloomington, St. Paul and Eagan.

Please join us for one of these sessions. There will be no formal presentation and residents can arrive any time between 7:00 and 8:30 p.m. Staff will be available to provide information and answer questions.

Residents can also learn more about the runway reconstruction project and the projected impacts by visiting the Noise Program website at: [www.macnoise.com/construction](http://www.macnoise.com/construction) or by calling 612-726-9411. ♦

## Open House Schedule

### **Minneapolis - Monday, August 3**

Nokomis Community Center  
2401 E. Minnehaha Pkwy.  
7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

### **St. Paul - Tuesday, August 11**

Hillcrest Recreation Center  
1978 Ford Pkwy.  
7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

### **Bloomington - Wednesday, August 5**

Bloomington Civic Plaza  
Council Chambers  
1801 W. Old Shakopee Rd.  
7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

### **Eagan - Thursday, August 13**

Eagan Community Center  
1501 Central Pkwy.  
7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

# MINNEAPOLIS-ST. PAUL AIRPORT RUNWAY CLOSURE OPEN HOUSES

The north parallel runway at the Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport will close for reconstruction beginning August 17 for approximately two and one half months. Attend an open house (times and locations listed below) to learn more about how flight patterns are expected to change during this timeframe.

## Minneapolis

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E. Minnehaha Pkwy.

## St. Paul

**Tuesday, August 11**  
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1978 Ford Pkwy.

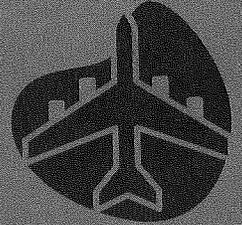
## Bloomington

**Wednesday, August 5**  
Bloomington Civic Plaza 2401  
Council Chambers  
1800 W. Old Shakopee Road

## Eagan

**Thursday, August 13**  
Eagan Community Center  
1501 Central Pkwy

Open houses are from 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm



For more information about the project or for directions to an open house.

Visit: [www.macnoise.com/  
construction/](http://www.macnoise.com/construction/)

E-mail: [info@macnoise.com](mailto:info@macnoise.com)

Call: 612-726-9411