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### **OSU Airport seeks public input on noise and land use study**

COLUMBUS, OH – The Ohio State University Airport will hold an open-house public meeting on Thursday, April 24<sup>th</sup> to enable the public to learn more about the Federal Aviation Regulations (FAR) Part 150 Noise and Land Use Compatibility Study being conducted at the Airport.

The open house will be held 7 to 9 p.m. at OSU Airport Hangar 1 (entrance next to Barnstormer Restaurant), 2160 West Case Rd., Columbus, OH 43235. A presentation will be made at 7:30 p.m. Consultants and Airport staff will be on hand to discuss the progress of the Part 150 Study as well as listen to any concerns the public may have regarding aircraft noise.

Residents will learn of the noise study process, the technical analyses completed to date and will be able to review draft Day-Night Average Sound Level (DNL) contours for OSU Airport. These noise contour maps are developed based on aircraft operations occurring at the Airport today, as well as predictions on operations at least five and 20 years in the future.

Based on public input and additional technical analysis, the noise exposure maps will be further refined and submitted to The Ohio State University and the FAA for acceptance. This will be followed by Phase 2 of the Part 150 Study, when potential noise compatibility alternatives will be evaluated.

The public can learn more information by going online at [www.OSUAirportPart150.com](http://www.OSUAirportPart150.com).

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