VNY Vision Study

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Presentation Overview

- Commitment to VNY Airport
- VNY Airport Background & Features
- VNY Vision Study
- Current VNY Plans
- Timeline & Next Steps
Commitment to VNY Airport

Runway 16L/34R Reconstruction Ceremonial First Flight

Solar Panels

Unleaded Aircraft Fuel

Stormwater Mitigation
VNY Airport Community and Education

Aviation Career Education

Gault Elementary Holiday Celebration

Aviation Career Day

Team LAWA Volunteer Events

Aviation Career Day
VNY Airport Background

• 1928 – VNY was born as Metropolitan Airport by a small group of citizens

• VNY is a General Aviation airport dedicated to noncommercial air travel

• Owned and operated by Los Angeles World Airports (City of Los Angeles)

• Located within CD 6 and surrounded by Lake Balboa, Reseda, Van Nuys, and North Hills
VNY Airport Features

- Two parallel runways
- More than 200 businesses are located on the 730-acre airport
- Contributes more than $2 billion each year to the Southern California economy
- Provides a base/maintenance facilities for fire, police, air ambulance, search and rescue, and news media aircraft that serve the region
- Offers Flyaway bus service to LAX
- Features Public Observation Area
Why is the VNY Vision Study Important?

LAWA is developing a Vision Study that will assess current land use & frame future land use.

- The last comprehensive, long-range planning effort for VNY dates back to the 1990s.

- City’s Community Plan updates are underway by City Planning -- **LAWA will provide the Vision Study to City Planning**.

- The **Van Nuys Airport Association and VNY Citizens Advisory Council** have requested a review of the current Airport Plan.

- Recent **Council Motions** reinforced the need for a Study.
What is the VNY Vision Study?

The Vision Study is a first step in providing information on what land uses might change & will inform future development.

The Vision Study will:

- Include stakeholder outreach.
- Contribute to City’s plan updates.
- Consist of various analyses and data gathering.
- Explore several alternatives/uses for the future land use.

The VNY Vision Study is not a Master Plan.
Current VNY Plans

Community Plans

- Reseda – West Van Nuys
- Northridge
- Mission Hills – Panorama – North Hills

Overlays (i.e. Specific Plan)

- 2006 Van Nuys Airport Plan
Stakeholders

- LAWA (Los Angeles World Airports)
- The Valley Economic Alliance
- Van Nuys Airport Citizens Advisory Council
- City of Los Angeles
- City of Los Angeles Council Districts
- LADOT (Los Angeles Department of Transportation)
- United Chambers of Commerce
- VNAA (Van Nuys Airport Association)
Timeline

WE ARE HERE

- Project Initiation Data Collection & Inventory of Existing Conditions
- Introduction & Listening
- Consult & Share Vision Study Land Use Alternatives
- Select Vision Study Preferred Land Use Alternative

NEXT STEPS WITH LACP

- Continue Collaboration with Los Angeles City Planning to Draft VNY Specific Plan and/or other Planning Tools
- Consult & Share
- Finalize & Adopt VNY Specific Plan and/or other Planning Tools
Next Steps

1. Website Launch
2. Share Data Gathered
3. Continue Meetings with Stakeholders
4. Public Open Houses
Contact Information

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