

# AIRCRAFT NOISE NOTIFICATION

Dear Property Owner:

You are listed by the Durham County Tax Office as the owner of a parcel of land located within the general area surrounding Raleigh-Durham International Airport (RDU) that is exposed to average aircraft noise levels which exceed typical ground-based, or background, noise. The map displays that area and shows contours of equal average aircraft noise exposure associated with current flight operations at the airport. Sites closer to the airport are exposed to higher average noise levels than those farther away.

The purpose of this notice is to advise you that exposure to aircraft noise may affect the usability of some land for certain types of noise sensitive uses, including residential use. Persons who are sensitive to aircraft noise should satisfy themselves before buying the property that exposure to such noise will not materially affect their ability to use and enjoy land whose purchase they may be considering.

The Raleigh-Durham Airport Authority has and, upon request, will provide information which may be helpful to property owners and prospective purchasers in assessing the likely effect of aircraft noise on the use of land they own or are considering purchasing.

You also are advised that the "Residential Property Disclosure Act" (N.C.G.S. Chapter 47E) was enacted by the North Carolina General Assembly and became effective January 1, 1996. That law requires the owners of residential real property to disclose to prospective purchasers the existence of certain conditions associated with the property no later than the time an offer to purchase, exchange or option the property is made, or an option to purchase the property pursuant to a lease with an option to purchase is exercised.

Among the conditions that must be disclosed to and acknowledged by the prospective purchaser are any notice from any governmental agency affecting the property. The Airport Authority is a governmental agency. **POTENTIAL AIRCRAFT NOISE IMPACT UPON YOUR PROPERTY AND SHOULD BE DISCLOSED TO ALL PROSPECTIVE PURCHASERS WHO MAY BE CON-SIDERING USE OF THE PROPERTY FOR A RESIDENTIAL PURPOSE.**

For additional information or if you have questions or need assistance, please call the RDU Noise Officer at 919-840-2100, ext. 3 between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday-Friday or view the noise web site at [www.rduaircraftnoise.com](http://www.rduaircraftnoise.com) or write to:

Noise Officer  
Raleigh-Durham Airport Authority  
P. O. Box 80001  
RDU Airport, North Carolina 27623-0001