

July 6, 2017

Dear Airport User/Tenant/Hangar Owner,

The Airshow Committee and Airport Management want to remind our IDA Airport Users of the following information regarding the Blue Angels/Extreme Blue Thunder Airshow scheduled for July 22-23, 2017.

In order to prepare the Airport for the show and support the guests that will be joining us for this special event, the Airport will be making the following changes to our normal operations:

- Starting **Monday July, 17th** at **6:00 a.m.** until **Monday July 24th** at **12:00 noon** the following airfield facilities will be, **restricted**, **closed** or **out of service** (Please check Airport NOTAMs regularly):
 - Runway 17/35
 - Taxiways Charlie & Bravo
 - VOR & east-side Navigation Aids
 - Red Baron/East Side Ramp
 - Runway 2/20
 - Portions of Taxiway Alpha
- To accommodate construction of the crowd fence and infrastructure set up, **Runway 17/35** will be **CLOSED** effective immediately and for the duration of the event.
- **Thursday July, 20** through **Sunday July, 23** there will be daily **Temporary Flight Restrictions (TFR)** in place.

The **DRAFT** TFR language is as follows:

IFDC Y/NNNN ZLC ID..AIRSPACE IDAHO FALLS, ID..TEMPORARY FLIGHT RESTRICTION. PURSUANT TO 14 CFR SECTION 91.145, MANAGEMENT OF AIRCRAFT OPERATIONS IN THE VICINITY OF AERIAL DEMONSTRATIONS AND MAJOR SPORTING EVENTS, AIRCRAFT OPERATIONS ARE PROHIBITED WITHIN AN AREA DEFINED AS 7NM RADIUS OF 433117N1120458W (IDA265000.8) SFC-17999FT MSL EFFECTIVE [1707201800](#) UTC UNTIL [1707202000](#) UTC, [1707202100](#) UTC UNTIL [1707202230](#) UTC, [1707211800](#) UTC UNTIL [1707212300](#) UTC, [1707221800](#) UTC UNTIL [1707222300](#) UTC, AND [1707231800](#) UTC UNTIL [1707232300](#) UTC. DUE TO HIGH SPEED AERIAL DEMONSTRATION BY USN BLUE ANGELS. UNLESS AUTHORIZED BY ATC. JIM TUCCIARONE, PHONE [216-390-8410](#), IS THE POINT OF CONTACT. THE IDAHO FALLS ATCT /IDA/ ATCT, PHONE [208-523-7045](#), IS THE COORDINATION FACILITY. 1707201800-1707232300

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It is imperative that all pilots check NOTAMs and the TFR prior to flying each day.

- If you anticipate using your aircraft during the times listed above, you will need to relocate to the west side of the Airport and utilize Runway 2/20. Taxiway B and Runway 17/35 will not be opened or available for aircraft operations as noted above.
- During TFR Dates and Times Runway 2/20 will be restricted use for Airshow, Scheduled Air Carrier Service, and Emergency Medical flights only. All other requests for take offs, departures, or entry into the IDA airspace will require a 1 hour PPR and are subject to approval by Air Traffic Control.

- Due to the logistics and safety of getting thousands of people into the area for the Airshow, vehicle access to the east side hangars will be limited on Saturday and Sunday beginning at 8:00 a.m. Traffic officers will be in control of access during open gate times.
 - IDA Hangar Owners have been provided with **one (1)** vehicle pass in order to access their hangars via the Ramp. Vehicles entering the Ramp **MUST** have the hang tag displayed and the Hangar Owner must have their IDA AOA Badge.
 - All guests of Hangar Owners may park along Foote Drive and in the vacant lot south of the Community Garden. Guests must be escorted into the gate by the badged Hangar Owner. All guests are requested to have either purchased or been provided with a ticket in support of this event.
 - **Do not** block ingress/egress at Foote Drive or any Airport vehicle/pedestrian access gate.
Vehicles that block entry to the Airport and/or Foote Drive may be towed at the owners' expense.
 - Due to the volume of guests and spectators, vehicle access to the Ramp will be restricted and continuously monitored. Vehicles that are not directly involved with the production or support of the Airshow **will not** be authorized on Taxiway Bravo.

The south-west ramp via International Way is restricted to air operations only, no spectators will be allowed on the south-west ramp area.

The safety of performers, spectators, vendors, and volunteers is the utmost priority and encourage your cooperation with any directions or requests that are made during this event.

We anticipate 40,000 to 50,000 spectators, as well as many local leaders and dignitaries, will attend the event. You can be of great assistance to us with your example and cooperation!

Questions? Please call Idaho Falls Regional Airport 208-612-8221