# MSP Fall 2026 Listening Session

**October 28, 2026**

# Agenda

- 6:00 – Welcome
- 6:05 – Introductions
  - What is your name? Where do you live?
- 6:10 – MAC Presentation
  - What is the NOC?
  - Reminder: RNAV Departure Procedures Implementation
- 6:20 – Open Conversation
- 6:55 – Closing Feedback
  - Survey: How can we improve?

# Roles and Responsibilities

## U.S. Congress

- Passes laws that govern aviation in the U.S.

## Federal Aviation Administration (FAA)

- Regulates airports
- Regulates airlines
- Operates Air Traffic Control (ATC) facilities

## Airlines

- Transport people and products domestically and internationally
- Determine number of flights, aircraft types, routes, and flight times based on market demands

## Metropolitan Airports Commission (MAC)

- Owns and operates MSP and six reliever airports
- Provides a facility for airlines to conduct air commerce activities
- Does not determine where aircraft fly, runway use, or flight procedures

# MSP
# Noise Oversight Committee
# (NOC)

MSP NOISE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE

# MSP NOC

- Established in 2002
- 6 Community Representatives
- 6 Airport User Representatives
- Balanced forum and advisory committee to the MAC Board

# MSP NOC

## Mission

- Identify, study, and analyze airport noise issues and solutions
- Provide policy recommendations or options to the MAC
- Monitor compliance with established noise policy at MSP
- Ensure the collection of information and dissemination to the public

## Meetings

- Bimonthly (i.e.: January, March, May, etc.)
- Next: November 18, 2026, 1:30pm

# Reminder: RNAV Departure Procedures Implementation

# Open Conversation

# Announcements

- NOC Meeting
  - November 18, 2026
  - 1:30 pm MAC General Offices and via Teams
- Noise News – sign up to get latest information

More information at:

metroairports.org/community-connection/aircraft-noise

# Please let us know how we are doing

Please take our survey:

- What did you enjoy about this meeting?
- What suggestions do you have to improve?