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1.0 PURPOSE

Rules and regulations provided in this document and any amendments thereto (hereinafter referred to as "regulations"), adopted pursuant to the Auburn City Code, are intended for the safe, orderly and efficient operation of the airport, and apply to all persons using the airport for any reason.

2.0 ORGANIZATIONS AFFECTED

All departments/divisions

3.0 REFERENCES

Ordinance No. 6118; Chapter 2.18 ACC; Chapter 12.56 ACC

4.0 POLICY

It is the policy of the City of Auburn to provide for the safe, orderly and efficient operation of the airport in accordance with federal, state, and city laws and regulations.

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ARTICLE 1 DEFINITIONS

The following words and phrases, whenever used in these rules and regulations, shall be construed as defined in this article unless from the context a different meaning is intended, or unless a different meaning is specifically defined and more particularly ascribed to the use of such words or phrases. All definitions contained in 49 U.S.C. § 40101 et seq. (previously known as the Federal Aviation Act of 1958, hereinafter cited as “FAA Act”) and all amendments thereto shall be considered as included herein; and all definitions shall be interpreted on the basis and intention of the FAA Act and amendments thereto unless from the context a different meaning is intended, or unless a different meaning is specifically defined and more particularly ascribed to the use of such words or phrases.

Abandon as applied to property left at the airport, means that it has been left on City property or the property of another without consent of the City for forty-eight (48) hours without the owner moving or claiming it. Such property shall be impounded by the City police department.

Accident means a collision or other contact between any part of an aircraft or a vehicle, person, stationary object or other thing which results in property damage, personal injury, or death; or an entry into or emerging from a moving aircraft or vehicle by a person which results in personal injury or death to such person or some other person or which results in property damage.

Aeronautical activity means any activity or service which involves, makes possible, or is required for the operation of aircraft, or contributes to, or is required for, the safety of such operations. “Aeronautical activities” include, but are not limited to, charter operations (under either Federal Aviation Regulation (FAR) Part 121 or 135), charter brokerage, aircraft hangar leasing, pilot training, aircraft rental and sight-seeing, aerial photography, crop dusting, fire suppression, aerial advertising and surveying, aircraft sales, leasing and servicing, aircraft management, and sale of aviation petroleum products, whether or not conducted in conjunction with other included activities which have a direct relationship to the operation of aircraft, repair and maintenance of aircraft, sale of general aviation aircraft parts, and any other activities which because of their relationship to the operation of aircraft can appropriately be regarded as an “aeronautical activity.”

Aeronautical business permit means administrative approval issued by the Airport Supervisor to a business or person to conduct commercial aeronautical activity and provide such services to based and transient aircraft on the airport only in facilities on the airport at which such services are authorized.

Air traffic means aircraft in operation anywhere in the airspace and on that area of the airport normally used for the movement of aircraft.

Aircraft means any device intended to be used, or designed, to navigate, or fly in the air.

Aircraft fuel means all flammable liquids composed of a mixture of selected hydrocarbons expressly manufactured and blended for the purpose of effectively and efficiently operating: (a) an internal combustion engine; or (b) a jet or turbine engine.

Aircraft operation means an aircraft arrival at, or departure from, the airport.

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Airport Operations Area Means the “AOA” includes all property within the fenced perimeter of the Airport including pavement, dirt and grass. Unauthorized access is a violation of the Airports operating certificate. Individuals not having authorized access must be escorted by a leaseholder of the Airport. Unescorted access onto the AOA can only be granted by Airport Management who will provide a pre-dated visitors pass.

The “AOA” is additionally separated into two separate parts called the movement and non-movement areas. Common points of entry onto the AOA are through buildings and both vehicle and pedestrian security gates. Once in the AOA you are in a NON-MOVEMENT area normally made up of pavement, grass or dirt. The paved areas are commonly referred as Ramp or Apron. Moving east to west the ramp and apron areas quickly transitions into the “Movement area.” This movement area includes the taxiways, run-up area and runway.

Airport markings defining the “movement” and “non-movement areas” are distinguished by a solid and a dashed yellow line running parallel to each other. Absolutely no pedestrian access or vehicles driving on the movement areas are allowed without specific written authorization from Airport Management. Those with authorization shall abide by Airport policy and equipment standards.

Aircraft parking and storage areas means those hangar and apron locations of the airport designated by the Airport Manager for the parking and storage of aircraft, and such areas of the airport designated for aircraft maintenance, engine run-up, and self-fueling.

Airport means all of the City-owned or leased real or personal property comprising Auburn Municipal Airport as now exists or as may hereafter be expanded and developed. “Airport” includes all of its facilities as shown on the most current airport layout plan.

Airport Advisory Board means the duly appointed five (5) member airport advisory commission of the City.

Airport Supervisor means the Supervisor of the municipal airport, or his or her authorized representative.

Airport Manager means any person designated by the Airport Supervisor or in the event that the City contracts for airport management services, then the person designated by the airport management entity, to manage operation of the Auburn Airport.

Airport Traffic Control Tower means the control tower located at the airport (if any).

Airside means the area of the airport that is either contained within the airport perimeter fence, or which requires access through a building located on or adjacent to airport property, or which requires access through a controlled airport access point.

Based aircraft means an aircraft: (1) which the owner physically locates at the airport with no present intention of definite and early removal and with the purpose to remain for an undetermined period; (2) which, whenever absent from the airport, its owner intends to return to the airport for permanent storage or parking; and (3) whose presence on the airport is something other than merely transitory in nature.

Based location means the location on the airport which is listed as an aircraft’s hangar, shade or tie down location as registered with the airport.

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Commercial activity means the conduct of any aspect of a business, concession or service in order to provide goods or services to any person for compensation. An activity is considered commercial activity regardless of whether the business is nonprofit, charitable, or tax-exempt.

Fuel handling means the transportation, delivery, fueling, and draining of fuel or fuel waste products, and the fueling of aircraft.

Fuel storage area means any portion of the airport designated temporarily or permanently by the City as an area in which gasoline or any other type of fuel may be stored or loaded.

General aviation means all phases of aviation other than aircraft manufacturing, military aviation, and scheduled or non-scheduled commercial operations.

Hazardous material means any hazardous or toxic substance, waste or material:

(a) the presence of which requires investigation, removal and/or remediation under any federal, state or local statute, regulation, ordinance, order, action, policy or common law;

(b) which is or becomes subject to regulation under any federal, state or local statute, regulation, rule or ordinance or amendments thereto including, without limitation, the State of Washington Hazardous Waste Management Act, A.R.S. § 49-901, et seq., the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, 42 U.S.C. § 6901, et seq., the Toxic Substances Control Act, 15 U.S.C. § 2601, et seq., and the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act, 42 U.S.C. § 9601 et seq.);

(c) which is toxic, explosive, corrosive, flammable, infectious, radioactive, carcinogenic, mutagenic, teratogenic, or otherwise hazardous, and is or becomes regulated by any governmental authority, agency, department, commission, board, agency or instrumentality of the United States, the State of Washington or any political subdivision thereof; or

(d) which, without limitation, contains trichloroethene ("TCE"), 1,1,1 - trichloroethane ("TCA"), 1,1 - dichloroethene ("DCE"), tetrachloroethene ("PCE"), 1,2-dichloroethene, chloroform, gasoline, diesel fuel, propane or other petroleum hydrocarbons, polychlorinated biphenyls ("PCBs"), asbestos, urea formaldehyde foam insulation or radon gas.

Landside means the general public common use areas of the airport such as public roadways, parking lots and buildings, which are not contained in the airside area.

Local aircraft operations means aircraft operating in the local air traffic pattern; aircraft that are known to be departing for, or arriving from flight in local practice areas located within a twenty-five (25) mile radius; or aircraft making simulated instrument approaches or low passes at the airport.

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Major aircraft alterations and repair means major alterations and/or repairs of the parts or of the types listed in FAR Part 43.

Movement area means the runway, taxiways and other areas of the airport where aircraft can be moved under their own power or by towing.

Owner of an aircraft means a person who holds legal title to an aircraft, or any person having exclusive possession of an aircraft pursuant to a written lease for a minimum term of twelve (12) months.

Park or parking means the standing of an aircraft or vehicle, whether occupied or not.

Pedestrian means any person traveling on foot.

Permission or permit means permission granted by the Airport Supervisor.

Person means the state, county, a political subdivision of the state, other governmental entity, a corporation, firm, partnership, association, organization, and any other group acting as a unit, as well as an individual. Person includes a trustee, receiver, assignee or similar representative.

Preventive aircraft maintenance means maintenance that is not considered a major aircraft alteration or repair and does not involve complex assembly operations as listed in FAR Part 43.

Public area means those areas normally used by the general public, including structures and devices such as roadways, sidewalks and terminal facilities that are maintained and kept at the airport for use by the general public.

Roadway means any street or road whether improved or unimproved, within the boundaries of the airport and set aside or designated for use by vehicles, whether dedicated or not.

Smoking means burning or carrying any lighted cigarette, tobacco or any other weed or plant, or placing any burning tobacco, weed or plant in an ashtray or other receptacle and allowing smoke to diffuse into the air.

Taxi lane means the portion of the airport apron area, or any other area, used for access between taxiways and aircraft parking and storage areas.

Taxiway means a defined path established for the taxiing of aircraft from one part of the airport to another.

Traffic pattern means the traffic flow that is prescribed for aircraft landing at, taxiing on, or taking off from the airport.

Vehicle means a device, except aircraft, in, upon, or by which any person or property is or may be propelled or moved, except a device moved by human power.

Vehicle parking area means any portion of the airport designated and made available temporarily or permanently by the City for the parking of vehicles.

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ARTICLE 2 GENERAL USE OF AIRPORT

Section 2-1. Purpose of rules and regulations

(a) Rules and regulations provided in this document and any amendments thereto (hereinafter referred to as “regulations”), adopted pursuant to the Auburn City Code, are intended for the safe, orderly and efficient operation of the airport, and apply to all persons using the airport for any reason.

(b) In addition to any other stated penalties, anyone who violates or fails to comply with any provisions of these rules and regulations shall upon conviction be punished as provided in ACC 1.25.050. A violation of any of the rules or regulations set forth in this chapter shall be deemed sufficient cause for the Airport Manager to deny or prohibit access to or use of the airport by the responsible person or firm in accordance with Chapter 12.56 ACC.

Section 2-2. Conflicting laws, ordinances, regulations and contracts

(a) In any case where a provision of these regulations is found to be in conflict with any other provision of these regulations adopted hereunder or in conflict with a provision of any zoning, building, fire, safety, health or other ordinance, code, rule, or regulation of the City, the provision which establishes the higher standard for the promotion and protection of the health and safety of the people shall prevail.

(b) In cases where two (2) or more provisions of these regulations are in conflict, the most stringent or restrictive shall prevail.

(c) These regulations are not intended to repeal, abrogate, annul, or in any way impair or interfere with existing provisions of other laws, ordinances, codes, rules or regulations except those specifically repealed by these regulations, or to excuse any person from performing obligations to the City under any lease or other contract.

(d) No existing or future City contract, lease agreement or other contractual arrangement, nor any payment or performance there under, shall excuse full and complete compliance with these regulations. Compliance with these regulations shall not excuse full and complete compliance with any obligations to the City under any existing or future City contract, lease, agreement or other contractual arrangement.

(e) Compliance with these regulations does not excuse failure to comply with any other law.

Section 2-3. Responsible party

Any person accessing the airport shall be responsible for their actions and all actions of any person to whom they provide access, whether directly or indirectly.

Section 2-4. Minimum operating standards

(a) Prior to commencing any aeronautical or commercial activities at the airport, all persons shall comply with all applicable requirements concerning such activities as are set forth in the Auburn Municipal Airport Minimum Operating Standards.

(b) Commercial use – Lease, permit or license required. No person shall use the airport as a base for the carrying on of commercial and business activities, for the carrying for hire of passengers, freight, express or mail, for the instruction in aviation in any of its branches,

aircraft maintenance or repair, for the sale of aircraft, for the sale of refreshments or any commodity or service, or for any other commercial purpose unless a lease, permit or license has been granted by the City. Provided, that an individual aircraft owner may, if he or she is leasing accommodations at the airport, sell his or her own aircraft, with such sales being limited to the sale of one aircraft per calendar year.

Section 2-5. Closing of airport

In the event the Airport Manager believes the conditions of the airport are unsafe for landing or takeoffs, it shall be within the Airport Manager's authority to close the entire airport or any part thereof. Provided, that in the case of such an airport closure, the Airport Supervisor shall be notified of such as soon as possible.

Section 2-6. Aircraft parking

(a) No person shall park, leave parked, or allow to remain stationary any aircraft at the airport except within an aircraft parking and storage area.

(b) No person shall park an aircraft in a based aircraft parking and storage area without applying for and obtaining an approved aircraft storage permit/agreement; and

(c) Any person who parks an aircraft in an aircraft parking and storage area shall remit to the City all applicable transient parking fees until such time as the person applies for and obtains an approved aircraft storage permit/agreement.

(d) If any aircraft is parked in violation of this section or, in the determination of the Airport Manager, presents an operational or safety concern in any area of the airport, the Airport Manager may cause the aircraft, at the owner's/operator's expense, to be moved. The City shall not be liable for any damages, which may result from the relocation of the aircraft.

(e) The Airport Manager may immobilize an aircraft by installing on the aircraft a propeller lock or by such other suitable means under any of the following circumstances:

1. Failure to apply for and obtain an approved aircraft storage permit/agreement.
2. Upon revocation of an aircraft storage permit/agreement pursuant to Auburn Code, and until such time as the aircraft owner/operator remits all fees and charges due the City.
3. If, in the determination of the Airport Manager, the aircraft presents an operational safety concern in any area of the airport, or otherwise constitutes a danger to the health, safety, or welfare of any individual or the public in general, and until such time as the aircraft no longer presents such health, safety or welfare concerns.

Section 2-7. Aircraft hangars

(a) Aircraft storage hangars shall only be used for the following purposes:

1. Aircraft parked in hangars shall be parked in a manner so as to be completely contained in the aircraft parking space and not obstruct

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adjacent aircraft parking and storage areas or taxi lanes, except for purposes of immediate and temporary staging and fueling of such aircraft.

2. Parking of vehicles in accordance with section 4-3.

(b) Use of aircraft storage hangars shall be subject to the following restrictions:

1. Major aircraft alterations and repairs may be performed in hangars on based aircraft with prior written approval of the Airport Manager and the Valley Regional Fire Authority or Fire Marshall, unless otherwise approved by a lease with the City.

2. Where no personnel exit is provided, the hangar doors shall remain open thirty-six (36) inches while the hangar is occupied by any person.

3. Oily rags, oil wastes, rags and other rubbish and trash may only be stored in containers with secondary containment and self-closing, tight-fitting lids.

4. Oxygen or any combustible compressed gas in a cylinder or portable tank must be secured to a fixed location or secured to a portable cart designed for the cylinder(s) or tank(s). Compressed gas cylinders or tanks must have pressure relief devices installed and maintained. Cylinders or tanks not in use shall have a transportation safety cap installed.

5. Batteries shall only be charged while the owner, operator or tenant is in attendance. Aircraft batteries shall not be connected to a charger when installed in an aircraft located inside or partially inside a hangar.

(c) Aircraft hangars shall be subject to annual and periodic inspections by the Airport Manager and Valley Regional Fire Authority or Fire Marshall to ensure compliance with all laws, ordinances and these regulations.

(d) Electrical outlet use restrictions. Lessees of aircraft hangars or storage units shall not leave unattended electrical cords plugged into convenience outlets. High amperage equipment, including but not limited to refrigerators, electric heaters, and compressors are not allowed.

Section 2-8. Aircraft tie downs

(a) Aircraft tie downs shall only be used for the following purposes:

1. Storage and parking of the based aircraft listed on the aircraft storage permit for that tie down and parked in a manner so as to be completely contained within the aircraft parking space and not obstruct adjacent aircraft parking and storage areas or taxi lanes, except for purposes of immediate and temporary staging and fueling of such aircraft.

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2. Conducting preventive aircraft maintenance on the based aircraft at the based location is in accordance with applicable regulations.
3. Parking of vehicles in accordance with section 4-3.
4. Aircraft equipment and supplies contained in a storage device with prior written approval from the Airport Manager.

(b) Use of aircraft tie downs shall be subject to the following restrictions:

1. Tie downs painted YELLOW are reserved tie downs and shall not be used without the user first receiving an approved aircraft storage permit.
2. Tie downs painted WHITE are transient tie downs for the purposes of short-term or overnight parking. Transient aircraft may park in yellow tenant tie downs at the discretion of the Airport Manager.
3. Transient aircraft shall park only in designated areas and shall pay a fee for parking based upon the fee schedule adopted from time to time by the City.

Section 2-9. Reserved

Section 2-10. Unattended aircraft – Securing required

No aircraft shall be left unattended unless properly secured including cabin access locked and flight controls/wheels secured. The Airport Manager may secure the aircraft at the owner’s expense and without liability for damage that may occur from such securing.

Section 2-11. Aircraft washing

(a) All aircraft washing shall be conducted in accordance with posted rules, with biodegradable soap, and without the use of solvents or degreasers, only:

1. At approved wash racks/pads.

(b) Airport designated wash racks/pads shall only be used for the purposes of aircraft washing.

Section 2-12. Aircraft Parking/Storage Registration

Any person electing to base his or her aircraft on the airport shall register the aircraft with the Airport Manager or with whomever in the employment of the City that the Airport Manager designates. Change of ownership or removal of the aircraft from the airport shall not relieve the registered owner from payment of applicable fees unless 30 days’ prior written notice is given.

Section 2-13. Airport perimeter road

The airport perimeter road shall only be used by authorized vehicles with appropriate signage as determined by the Airport Manager, which include all airport administration vehicles, fixed base operator fuel trucks, governmental vehicles, and other vehicles with prior approval from the Airport Manager.

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Section 2-14. Smoking areas

No smoking shall be permitted:

- (a) Within fifty (50) feet of an aircraft, fuel truck and/or fuel storage area;
- (b) Where specifically prohibited by City, County, State or Federal Laws.
- (c) Within 25 feet of any business entry door located on airport property.

Waste from smoking shall be disposed of properly.

Section 2-15. Restricted Areas

- (a) No person shall enter the airside area, except as necessary for the lawful use of an aircraft thereon, or to conduct a permitted business activity and with the consent of the Airport Manager.
- (b) No person shall enter any area posted as being closed to the public, except with the consent of the Airport Manager.
- (c) No person shall enter into, remain in or place in, or remove any object from, any hangar, T-hangar or other building at the airport without prior consent of the Airport Manager or the person with the legal right of possession of such building.

Section 2-16. Access codes/devices

- (a) One automatic gate electronic card will be issued to each airport tenant free of charge. Any additional electronic cards requested by a tenant are subject to a fee or refundable deposit charge as established in the City of Auburn fee schedule. A replacement fee as established in the City of Auburn fee schedule will be assessed against the tenant for all lost or damaged electronic cards. All electronic cards must be returned to the airport at the time of lease expiration.
- (b) Persons who have been provided either a code or device for the purpose of obtaining access to the airport shall only use airport-issued codes/devices and shall not divulge, duplicate, or otherwise distribute the same to any other person, unless otherwise approved in writing by the Airport Manager. Violation of this section may result in the loss of airport driving privileges.

Section 2-17. Self-services

- (a) Persons are permitted to fuel, wash, repair, or otherwise service their own based aircraft provided that they comply with these regulations and all applicable laws. No person shall provide such services for others.
- (b) An aircraft owner may hire an individual to provide, under the direction and supervision of the aircraft owner, services only on the owner's based aircraft. Such services may only be provided by a direct provider hired by the aircraft owner.
- (c) Aircraft owners shall notify the Airport Manager in advance of performing major maintenance services on any aircraft.

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Section 2-18. Aircraft maintenance

Major aircraft alterations and repairs are prohibited on the airport except in hangars, where it can be demonstrated that the area of alterations and repairs is equipped with oil/water interceptors into the sanitary sewer system and will not enter storm water drains, or other preventative measures are taken as approved by the Airport Manager, and are conducted:

- (a) By a person holding a valid aeronautical business permit for such activity; or
- (b) By the owner of the aircraft with an approved aircraft maintenance permit under the provisions provided in these regulations.
- (c) Maintenance requiring the handling of any hazardous liquid material must have a Hazardous Material Spill Kit readily available. This kit must have a demonstrated absorption rate of eight (8) gallons.

Section 2-19. Maintenance of premises

All persons using the airport shall maintain their premises in a condition of repair, cleanliness and general maintenance equal to that maintained by the City in comparable areas. All persons having possession, control or use of any portions of the airport shall at all times maintain such premises in clean, serviceable, safe and operable condition and repair.

Section 2-20. Floor and apron care

All tenants on the airport shall keep the floors of hangars and tie-downs leased by them, or used in their operations, clean and clear of fuel, oil, grease and other similar materials.

Section 2-21. Waste containers and disposal

All airport tenants, users, or visitors shall dispose of all waste in the appropriate waste containers. Types of waste containers and the location of waste accumulation areas shall be designated by the Airport Manager and no other containers or areas shall be used. Containers for recyclable materials shall be used in strict accordance with the rules posted for such use. No petroleum products, industrial waste matter, batteries, or other hazardous materials shall be dumped or otherwise disposed of except in accordance with local, county, state and federal law. Any hazardous waste or construction material shall be the responsibility of the originator under all applicable law and removed from Airport property.

- (a) Waste water shall not be disposed of in storm water drainage or dirt/grass areas under any circumstances. Waste water may be disposed of in sanitary sewer or sink drains, unless the waste water contains petroleum or hazardous materials or hazardous waste.
- (b) The waste and recycle containers provided by the Airport shall not be used to dump any construction material and debris. Airport users and tenants shall not bring onto Airport property off airport waste with the intention of using Airport containers.
- (c) Privately held hangar owners and their subtenants are prohibited from using any on airport waste or recycle containers. Condo Associations are to arrange through the City for their own waste and recycle containers, which shall be contained within their assigned property.

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Section 2-22. Storage

No person shall store or stock materials or equipment in an unkempt manner or in a manner that constitutes a hazard to life or property, as determined by the Airport Manager.

Section 2-23. Storage, transfer and cleanup charges

The City may remove and impose storage, removal and transfer charges upon any property unlawfully located at the airport. The City may clean up any material unlawfully spilled, placed or otherwise deposited at the airport and may charge the responsible person(s) for the cost of the cleanup, any required environmental remediation, and any expenses incurred by, or fines or damages imposed on, the City as a result thereof.

Section 2-24. Model aircraft, kites, fireworks, etc

No person shall fly or release a model aircraft, rocket, kite, fireworks, balloon, parachute, etc., within one (1) mile of the airport if such activity would create a hazard to aircraft operations, or as otherwise determined by the Airport Manager.

Section 2-25. Commercial photography

No person shall take still, motion or sound pictures of, or at, the airport for commercial purposes without first receiving written approval from the Airport Manager, paying any appropriate fee(s) to the City of Auburn.

Section 2-26. Advertisements

No person shall post, distribute or display signs, advertisements, circulars, printed or written matter at the airport without written permission from the Airport Manager.

- (a) All Airport Businesses that wish to post advertising signs will need to submit an application packet to the Airport Manager. At the discretion of the Airport Manager or if required by City code advertising signs may need the approval of the Airport Advisory Board and the City of Auburn. The minimum requirement will include detailed drawings and/or plans, a letter of explanation and location needs. A copy of Applicable City Business License and Insurance will also need to accompany the packet.

Section 2-27. Animals

No person shall enter the airport with a dog or other animal unless the animal is restrained by a leash (maximum length of 15 feet) or is properly confined. No person in charge of a dog or other animal shall permit the animal to wander unrestrained on any portion of the airport property.

- (a) Airport Management should report to 9-1-1 if an animal found running or roaming at large on Airport Property.
- (b) Animals found confined inside a car or aircraft that appear to be under distress should be reported to 9-1-1.
- (c) Any persons having control of an animal on airport property shall be required to pick up and properly dispose of any waste elimination by their animals.

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Section 2-28. Firearms, explosives, etc

(a) No person, except a sworn law enforcement officer, member of the Armed Forces of the United States on official duty, or persons holding a valid concealed weapons permit, shall possess any firearms on the airside, except firearms that do not contain live ammunition and are in an enclosed case intended for immediate transport off the airport.

(b) No person, except a sworn law enforcement officer or member of the Armed Forces of the United States on official duty or persons holding a valid concealed weapons permit shall possess any firearms in any airport building, except firearms that do not contain live ammunition and are in an enclosed case intended for immediate transport off the airport.

(c) No person, except a sworn law enforcement officer or member of the Armed Forces of the United States on official duty, shall possess any explosives on the airport.

(d) No person, other than those in the above-excepted classes, shall store, keep, handle, use, dispense or transport at, in, or upon the airport any class A or class B explosives, any radioactive substance or material (except for minimum amounts of radioactive substances, such as radioactive paint illuminating instrument dials), without prior written authorization from the Valley Regional Fire Administration or Fire Marshall and the Airport Supervisor.

Section 2-29. Disorderly conduct, alcoholic beverages, illicit drugs

(a) No person shall:

1. Commit any disorderly, obscene or unlawful act or commit any nuisance on airport property.
2. Drink any alcoholic beverage on any portion of the airport open to the public, except in such restaurant facilities as may be lawfully established or other place as shall be properly designated and licensed for on-sale liquor dispensing by the City, County and State or for the purpose of a special event that has received a special event permit where alcohol is not for sale.
3. Become legally intoxicated or use any illicit drug or conduct any drug activity on any portion of airport property.

(b) No intoxicated person shall enter upon or loiter on or about the airport, any of its facilities, or any City-owned property.

(c) Any person failing to comply with this section shall be in violation of these regulations and may be refused the use and access of any airport facility and property.

Section 2-30. Property damage, injurious or detrimental activities

No person shall destroy, deface, injure or disturb in any way airport property or conduct at the airport activities that are injurious, detrimental or damaging to airport property or to activities and business of the airport. Any person causing or liable for any damage shall be required to pay the City on demand the full cost of repairs. Any person failing to comply with this section shall be in violation of these regulations and may be refused the use of any airport facility until the City has been fully reimbursed for damage done.

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Section 2-31. Alteration of airport property

No person shall make any alterations to any signs, buildings, aircraft parking and storage areas, leased areas or other airport property, nor erect any signs, buildings or other structures without prior written permission of the Airport Manager. Any construction on the airport must be approved in writing by the Airport Supervisor. Such persons shall comply with all building codes and permit procedures of the City and shall deliver to the Airport Manager as-built plans upon completion.

Section 2-32. Lost articles

Any person finding lost articles in public areas of the airport shall immediately deposit them at the office of the Airport Manager. Articles unclaimed after thirty (30) calendar days may be turned over to the finder or otherwise disposed of in a legal manner.

Section 2-33. Abandoned property

No person shall abandon any property on airport property or in any building on the airport. Property found to be abandoned shall be disposed of or auctioned off according to Federal and State laws. Such property includes any item left behind after a lease termination date.

Section 2-34. Flying Clubs, Aircraft Rental Clubs

A flying club is a non-profit entity or organization organized solely for the purpose of providing its members with one (1) or more aircraft for their personal use and enjoyment. A flying club shall meet the following standards:

(a) At the time of applying for a lease, license, permit or agreement with or from the City to operate at the airport, the club shall furnish the Airport Manager with a copy of its articles of incorporation, if the club is a corporation; a copy of its articles of organization, if the club is a limited liability company; a copy of its certificate of limited partnership, if the club is a limited partnership; a copy of its partnership agreement, if the club is a general partnership; the club's roster or list of members, including names of officers and directors; evidence of required insurance; a description of all aircraft used; evidence that such aircraft are properly certificated; evidence of ownership of such aircraft; and any operating rules of the club.

(b) The club shall update its roster or list of members twice annually and provide the Airport Manager with such updated roster or list no later than June 30 and December 31 of each year.

(c) All aircraft used by the club shall be owned by the club or leased exclusively by written agreement to the club, and all ownership or lease rights to such aircraft must be vested on a pro-rata basis in all of the club's members. The property rights of the club members shall be equal, and no part of any revenues received by the club shall inure to the direct benefit of any member (e.g., by salary or bonus). The club shall not derive greater revenue from the use of its aircraft than the amount necessary for the operation, maintenance and replacement of its aircraft and facilities.

(d) The club's aircraft shall not be used by anyone other than the club's members and shall not be used by anyone for hire, charter or air taxi. Flight instruction only by a club member may be given in club aircraft to club members.

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(e) The club and its members are prohibited from leasing, selling, trading or bartering any goods or services to or with any non-members of the club, except that a club may sell or exchange its aircraft and equipment for replacement or liquidation purposes.

(f) The club shall at all times maintain in effect the types and minimum amounts of insurance specified in article 4 of the Airport Minimum Operating Standards for any of its activities at the airport which may be covered by such insurance.

(g) The flying club shall pay fees as prescribed by lease, license, permit or agreement, and any applicable fees identified on the airport rates and fees schedule.

ARTICLE 3 AIRCRAFT RULES

Section 3-1. Landing and takeoff of Aircraft

(a) The following operations are prohibited, except with permission of the Airport Manager for special events:

1. Stop and go takeoffs and landings on Runways.
2. Intersection takeoffs Except for Helicopters.
3. Formation takeoffs.
4. No person shall load or unload any persons or property from an aircraft when aircraft engines are in operation.

(b) Except in an emergency, all fixed wing aircraft landings and takeoffs shall be made on the runway.

(c) (Reserved).

(d) Landing aircraft shall clear the runway as soon as practical, consistent with safety, taxiing ahead to the nearest turn-off.

(e) Except in an emergency, No aircraft shall deviate from the prescribed airport traffic pattern.

(f) Runway 34 is the preferred calm-wind runway when winds are less than five (5) knots.

Section 3-2. Aircraft wingspan restrictions

(a) Aircraft shall not occupy a hangar or tie down, nor shall aircraft be operated in areas of the airport, where the aircraft's wingspan exceeds the maximum approved wingspan designation for that area as specified by the Airport Manager or as published.

(b) Aircraft – Weight restrictions. Usage of the airport runways, taxiways and ramp areas are restricted to aircraft with a maximum gross weight of 12,500 pounds.

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Section 3-3. Traffic patterns and noise abatement procedures

(a) Arrivals and departures to and from the airport or remaining in the Airport’s Traffic Pattern shall avoid flight over noise sensitive areas whenever possible, consistent with safety.

(b) When departing south under visual flight rules (VFR) on runway 16, aircraft after reaching a safe minimum altitude shall make a right turn to a heading of two-hundred ten degrees (210°).

(c) Practice instrument approaches to the Runway Threshold are discouraged. (d) All aircraft are required, unless in an emergency, to use the prescribed Fly Friendly Traffic Pattern, which can be picked up at the airport office or seen on the airport website..

(e) Upon reaching a safe altitude, aircraft with variable pitch props should set props to the lowest RPM’s needed to avoid the excess noise created at ground level.

(f) Numerous noise sensitive areas east and south east of the airport are heavily populated with commercial and residential uses and with schools. Noise abatement procedures require flying 1000 feet above ground level (AGL) or above unless operating in the traffic pattern.

Section 3-4. Traffic pattern altitudes

Traffic pattern altitudes above mean sea level (MSL) for all traffic operations at the airport are as follows:

(a) Helicopters, five hundred (500) feet (MSL).

(b) Propeller (piston), one-thousand (1,000) feet (MSL).

(c) Turbine-powered, one-thousand five-hundred (1,500) feet (MSL).

Section 3-5. Qualifications to operate aircraft

Operators of aircraft entering or leaving the traffic pattern of the airport or using the movement area for the purpose of landing, or taking off shall be holders of a current medical and pilot certificate with ratings appropriate to the type of aircraft operated and conditions under which they are operating. Reciprocal certificates issued by foreign governments are acceptable if accepted by the Federal Aviation Administration.

Section 3-6. Disabled aircraft

Aircraft owners and pilots shall be responsible for the prompt removal of disabled aircraft and parts thereof, unless required or directed by the Airport Manager NTSB or Federal Aviation Administration to delay such removal pending an investigation. In the event of failure to promptly remove such disabled aircraft, the Airport Manager may cause the aircraft to be removed and invoice the owners thereof for all charges incurred in the removal of same. The City shall not be responsible for any damage to disabled aircraft removed by the owner, the pilot, the City, Airport staff or other persons.

Section 3-7. Reserved

Section 3-8. Starting an Engine by Turning the Propeller by Hand (Hand Propping)

No person shall engage or lend assistance to hand propping an aircraft that has not been trained in such activity. Any aircraft requiring a hand prop start will have a properly trained

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person seated at the controls, or the pilot in command shall ensure that the aircraft is securely tied with a safety rope to a fixed object such that once the engine is started the pilot can safely return to the aircraft controls and then release the safety rope.

Section 3-9. Motorless aircraft

No motorless aircraft may land or take off at the airport without prior written permission of the Airport Manager and having complied with all sections of FAR Part 103.

Section 3-10. Running of aircraft engines

Aircraft engines shall only be run at idle except as may be necessary for safe taxiing operations, taking off, landing, preflight testing, and maintenance testing. All engine run-ups for maintenance testing purposes shall be performed in accordance with section 3-11 of these regulations. At no time shall an aircraft's engine(s) be operated while the aircraft is in a hangar or covered tie-down space.

Section 3-11. Aircraft engine run-ups

All aircraft preflight engine run-ups shall be conducted in the appropriate run-up areas located at each end of the runway.

Section 3-12. Exhaust and Propeller/Rotor Blast

No aircraft engine shall be started or aircraft taxied where the exhaust or propeller/rotor blast may cause injury to persons or do damage to property or spread debris on the airside area.

- (a) All rotorcraft are prohibited to hover or create rotor blast while at the fueling pumps or taxiway adjacent to the fuel pumps while a fixed wing aircraft is located within 50 feet of the pumps. At no time shall a helicopter hover and wait longer than safely necessary within the fueling area either before or after fueling operations.
- (b) All hover practice procedures shall take place on the runways upwind of engine run-up areas. Pilots of rotorcraft shall not hover in one location for a period of time so long that a conversation cannot take place, or in such a manner that the hovering produces turbulence causing visibility loss due to dust/snow being disturbed.

Section 3-13. Taxiing of aircraft

No person shall taxi an aircraft without first taking all necessary precautions to prevent a collision with other aircraft, persons or objects. Aircraft shall not be under Aircraft engine power into or out of any hangar, or other covered area. No person shall taxi an aircraft except on areas designated for taxiing. If it is impossible to taxi aircraft in compliance with this section, then the engine must be shut off and the aircraft towed to the new location.

Aircraft that are on the taxiway shall have right of way over any aircraft entering the taxiway from the east ramp areas or hovering rotorcraft.

At no times shall an aircraft taxi faster than 10 mph.

Navigation Lights shall be used from dusk till dawn while aircraft is in movement.

Pilots should communicate on CTAF their location and destination when entering Taxiway A.

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When aircraft are transitioning in opposite direction and one aircraft is required to utilize a turnout, pilots are encouraged to use CTAF to communicate intentions.

Helicopters may use taxiway A for hover landing and takeoffs when such operations do not impede other Aircrafts' use of taxiway A.

Section 3-14. Common air traffic advisory frequency

AIRCRAFT OPERATORS SHALL UTILIZE THE COMMON AIR TRAFFIC ADVISORY FREQUENCY CURRENTLY ASSIGNED TO THE AIRPORT. THIS FREQUENCY IS NOTED IN CURRENT AIRPORT/FACILITY DIRECTORY (AFD), AND USED FOR BROADCASTING AIRCRAFT INTENTIONS OF TAXING, TAKE OFF AND LANDING PROCEDURES AND AS PROVIDED IN THE AERONAUTICAL INFORMATION MANUAL (AIM) OFFICIAL GUIDE TO BASIC FLIGHT INFORMATION AND ATC PROCEDURES. IT IS SUGGESTED THAT OPERATORS MONITOR CTAF ANYTIME YOUR AIRCRAFT IS IN MOTION OR UNDER POWER. **Section 3-15. Aircraft**

accident reports

As defined in NTSB 830.

(a) Any persons involved in an aircraft accident occurring on the airport, within the City, or that involves an aircraft which departed from or en-route to the airport, shall make a full report thereof to the Airport Manager as soon after the accident/incident as possible. but in no event later than the time required for reporting the accident or incident to the FAA or to the NTSB or within forty-eight (48) hours of the accident or incident, whichever is sooner. The report shall include the names and addresses of the persons involved and description of the accident or incident . When a written report of an accident is required by federal or state law, regulation, or agency, a copy of such report shall also be submitted to the Airport Manager.

(b) Accidents and/or incidents causing damage to vehicles, aircraft structures, airport or personal property or major personal injury of any nature occurring on airport property shall be reported, as soon as practicable, to the Airport Manager in writing along with names and addresses of persons involved and witnesses.

Section 3-16. Reserved

Section 3-17. Interfering or tampering with aircraft

No person shall interfere or tamper with any aircraft or put in motion the engine of such aircraft, or use any aircraft, aircraft parts, instruments or tools without permission of the owner, or under the specific direction of the Airport Manager in an emergency.

ARTICLE 4 VEHICLES, PEDESTRIANS, ETC.

Section 4-1. General requirements

No person shall operate a vehicle on the airport in the Airport Operations Area except in accordance with the rules prescribed by the Airport Manager and all federal, state and local law. Only authorized business vehicles approved by the Airport Manager and conducting official business shall operate on the taxiway between the Fuel terminal and the north end hangar operations area.

(a) Vehicles shall only be operated in the areas authorized and in a manner that complies with these regulations.

(1) Vehicles shall be marked with the business name and phone number visible on each side.

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- (2) Vehicles shall have an orange beacon (rotating or flashing) located on the upper most prominent point of the vehicle or a 3'x3' orange and white checkered flag.
- (3) Vehicles shall be equipped with an operational permanent or handheld transceiver able to communicate with CTAF while driving on airport taxiways or runways.

(b) Vehicles shall access all airport facilities and businesses from the landside public parking areas for said facility or business.

(c) Vehicles shall obtain access to, and depart from, aircraft parking and storage areas via the gate closest to the user's hangar.

(d) When a gate is out-of-service, vehicles shall access a secondary gate as specified by the out-of-service notification.

(e) All vehicles shall pass no closer than one-hundred (100) feet to the rear of taxiing aircraft or hovering helicopters.

(f) No vehicle shall approach closer than one-hundred (100) feet to any aircraft whose engines are running, excluding ground service, emergency vehicles, airport service vehicles and any official vehicle conducting official airport business.

(g) All vehicles, upon entering or exiting an airport access gate, shall wait for the gate to completely close behind them before proceeding to their destination so as to not allow the entry of an unauthorized vehicle.

Section 4-2. Licensing, registration and insurance

(a) No person shall operate a vehicle of any kind on the airport without a current motor vehicle operator's license.

1. No person shall operate any vehicle in the airside area without having first registered the vehicle and its operator with the Airport Manager and obtaining an approved airport driver/vehicle permit.

2. A current State issued driver's license and current insurance card is required in order to obtain a gate entry card and this card will expire per driver/ vehicle permit rules.3. Each gate card holder and or lessee shall be photographed and filed as required by Airport Management per available equipment and technology.

(b) All vehicles shall maintain the appropriate type and amount of vehicle liability insurance required by state law.

Section 4-3. Control of vehicles

No person shall operate or park a vehicle at the airport in a manner prohibited by signs, pavement markings, or other signals posted by the City or by regulations under this article. The Airport Manager has power to regulate or prohibit any class or type of vehicle or any other type or class of wheeled vehicle or other form of transport that operates in the airside area.

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(a) Vehicles left parked longer than 3 days on airport property shall be towed at owners expense, this does not apply to section 4-5 B,5.

(b) Recreational Vehicles (motor class campers) weighing more than 12,500 lbs shall not be permitted to enter the airside of the airport.

Section 4-4. Speed limits

All vehicles shall be operated in strict compliance with all posted speed limits at the airport. The maximum speed limit for all vehicles in the airside area, with the exception of authorized municipal vehicles in the performance their official duties, is ten (10) miles per hour or less if conditions warrant in order to ensure safe operation or as otherwise posted.

Section 4-5. Vehicles operating on runway and taxiways

(a) No vehicle shall be operated on runway or taxiways unless authorized by the Airport Manager.

(b) Any vehicle authorized to operate on airport runway or taxiways shall operate a rotating or steady yellow or orange beacon or attach an aviation 3'x 3' flag that complies with FAA Advisory Circular 150/5210-5, as amended. Exceptions to this rule must be authorized by the Airport Manager.

1. Unless authorized by the Airport Manager, no highway vehicle or bicycle shall be operated on the airport except on roadways, parking areas or places that are designated for such vehicles.

2. No person shall operate any vehicle in a careless or negligent manner or in disregard for the safety of others.

3. Highway vehicles shall always yield the right-of-way to aircraft on the ground or in the process of landing or taking off.

4. Any accident involving motor vehicles on the airport shall be reported to the Airport Manager. This shall not be taken to mean that the normal requirement to report accidents to the police department is waived, but is in addition to that requirement.

5. Vehicles shall only be parked in a manner and in areas so designated for such purpose. Aircraft owners who lease storage hangar space from the City may, at the discretion of the Airport Manager, park their automobiles within that hangar for the duration of time that the aircraft housed therein is on a cross-country flight, with the reservation that any and all such vehicles would be under the control of the Airport Manager, and the vehicle parked therein shall be so parked at the owner's risk and the City accepts no liability for loss thereof or damage of any kind.

6. Illegally parked vehicles may be issued parking violation citations, moved to designated parking areas, impounded, or any combination of the above three provisions. A charge for such towing will be levied by

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the tow company, and the airport shall not assume any liability for damage while moving such vehicle.

Section 4-6. Authority to remove vehicles

The Airport Manager may cause to be removed from any area of the airport any vehicle which is disabled, abandoned, parked in violation of Airport regulations, or immediately presents an operational problem to any area of the airport, at the operator’s expense and without liability for damage which may result in the course of such movement.

Section 4-7. Bicycles

The use of bicycles shall only be permitted during daylight hours and in accordance with all applicable regulations set forth herein for vehicles, except as to regulations that by their nature have no application. All bicycle riders must adhere to local and state laws and must wear a safety helmet.

Section 4-8. Scooters and miscellaneous vehicles

No person shall use at the airport any go-cart, go-ped, skateboard, rollerblade, all terrain vehicle or other vehicle not legally licensed or otherwise permitted by state law for operation on a public street or highway. This section does not pertain to Official Federal, State or City vehicles or vehicles used solely for tugging, marshaling, or refueling aircraft. On a case-by-case basis, and with the prior approval of the Airport Manager, other modes of transportation may be used on the airport.

Section 4-9. Motor homes, boats and recreational vehicles

Motor homes, boats, and recreational vehicles shall not be stored anywhere on the airport unless in accordance with a City-approved lease or with the consent of the Airport Manager.

Section 4-10. Vehicle accidents

The driver of any vehicle involved in an accident on the airport which results in injury or death to any person, or damage to any property, shall immediately stop such vehicle at the scene of the accident; render reasonable assistance to a person injured in the accident, including making arrangement for the caring of the person for medical or surgical treatment if it is apparent that treatment is necessary or if the caring is requested by the injured person; and give his or her name, address and operator’s license and registration number to the person injured, the Airport Manager and to any police officer or witnesses of the accident. The operator of such vehicle shall make a report of such accident in accordance with state law and provide a copy of same to the Airport Manager.

Section 4-11. Careless operation, driving while intoxicated, etc

No vehicle shall be operated at the airport or upon any area thereof:

- (a) In a careless, negligent or reckless manner;
- (b) In disregard of the rights and safety of others;
- (c) Without due caution or circumspection;
- (d) At a speed or in a manner which endangers or is likely to endanger persons or property;

(e) While the driver would be prohibited by law from operating an automobile upon the public streets of the City due to drug or alcohol impairment or influence;

(f) If the vehicle is so constructed, equipped or loaded as to endanger or be likely to endanger persons or property, or to result in the load or other materials becoming separated from the vehicle;

(g) Without operating headlights, tail lights, turn signals, and brake lights during hours of darkness or during inclement weather; or

(h) In a manner that does not allow the vehicle to be immediately driven or towed away from any nearby aircraft.

Section 4-12. Loading or unloading passengers

No person shall load or unload any persons or property from an aircraft when aircraft engines are in operation.

Section 4-13. Parking restrictions

(a) No person shall park or leave any vehicle standing, whether occupied or not, except within a designated parking area.

(b) Aircraft owners and operators shall only park their vehicle in the aircraft storage and parking space designated for their aircraft.

(c) Vehicles parked in an aircraft parking and storage area shall be parked in a manner so as to be completely contained in the aircraft parking or storage space and not obstruct adjacent aircraft parking and storage areas, or taxi lanes unless for the purposes of immediate and temporary loading, unloading, or staging of an aircraft.

(d) Illegally parked vehicles may be issued parking violation citations, moved to designated parking areas, impounded, or any combination of the above three provisions. A charge for such towing will be levied and the airport shall not assume any liability for damage while moving such vehicle.

Section 4-14. Volunteer Assistance

No person shall enter the airside area of the airport for the purposes of attending, observing or assisting at the scene of an accident except persons authorized by law, or as requested by or with the consent of the Airport Manager.

Section 4-15. Pedestrians in the airside area

No person shall walk, stand, or loiter in the airside area if such activity is determined to be an operational, security, or safety concern as determined by the Airport Manager.

Section 4-16. Pedestrians soliciting rides

No person shall solicit aircraft rides from any area of the airport.

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Section 4-17. Vehicle repair

No person shall clean or make any repairs to vehicles anywhere on the airport, other than in designated shop areas, except those minor repairs necessary to remove such vehicles from the airport.

Section 4-18. Airport Security

a. No person(s) other than a tenant or a person being escorted by a tenant or by Airport personnel shall enter Airport Property without the Airport Manager’s permission.

b. The owner/operator of an aircraft or any facility located within the airport shall at all times maintain security and safety awareness and report any suspected or suspicious activity or persons to the Airport Manager or 911 as appropriate.

ARTICLE 5 FUELING, FLAMMABLE FLUIDS AND SAFETY

Section 5-1. Fuel safety

All transportation, storage and other handling of aircraft and vehicle fuel shall comply with the Uniform Fire Code, as amended, the National Fire Protection Association's codes and standards, as amended, FAA Advisory Circular 150/5230-4, as amended, all requirements of these regulations, and all other applicable law.

Section 5-2. Unauthorized fuel possession and storage

Except as expressly permitted by these regulations, no person shall possess fuel at the airport.

Section 5-3. Storage of aircraft fuel trucks, trailers and other aircraft refueling devices

(a) Aircraft refueling vehicles, other moveable aircraft fuel containers and refueling devices shall be stored outside and not less than fifty (50) feet from a building or such other distance as shall be approved by Airport Manager, the City Building Official and the Valley Regional Fire Authority.

(b) Aircraft refueling vehicles shall be parked in a manner that provides a minimum of ten (10) feet of separation between said vehicles and any other vehicle or aircraft refueling device.

(c) No aircraft refueling vehicle, aircraft fuel container, or other aircraft refueling device, empty or otherwise, shall be brought into, kept or stored within any building at the airport unless the building is used exclusively for that purpose. This section does not apply to vehicle fuel cans with a capacity of not more than five (5) gallons, provided no more than one (1) such can may be located within a single vehicle, and not more than two (2) such cans in any hangar.

(d) Direct fueling of boats, motor homes, ATVs or other recreational vehicles is prohibited.

Section 5-4. Aircraft fueling locations

All aircraft fueling/de-fueling shall be performed outdoors. Aircraft being fueled/de-fueled shall be positioned so that aircraft fuel system vents or fuel tank openings are not closer than fifty (50) feet from any building or hangar unless otherwise approved by the Airport Supervisor and Valley Regional Fire Authority or Fire Marshall.

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Any and all fueling operations must have a Hazardous Spill Responder Kit readily available with a minimum absorption rate of eight (8) gallons.

Section 5-5. Maintenance of fuel servicing vehicles

Maintenance and servicing of aircraft fuel servicing vehicles shall be performed outdoors or in a building approved for that purpose by the fire department.

Section 5-6. Aircraft storage hangars – Spraying flammable liquids prohibited

No flammable liquid (paint or other combustible) shall be sprayed within a storage hangar.

Section 5-7. Open flame

There shall be no open flames in the airside area, within fifty (50) feet of any aircraft, fuel truck, and/or fuel storage area, or where specifically prohibited by the City. The category of open flames and lighted open-flame devices shall include, but shall not be limited to, the following:

- (a) Exposed flame heaters, liquid, solid or gaseous devices, including portable and wheeled gasoline or kerosene heaters and gas or charcoal grills;
- (b) Heat-producing, welding, or cutting devices and blowtorches;
- (c) Flare pots or other open-flame lights.

Section 5-8. Environmental spills and removal

Persons shall not fuel an aircraft in a manner that overfills the tank(s) or causes the tank(s) to leak fuel through its vent, and/or dumping fuel. In the event of spillage or dripping of gasoline, oil, grease or any material that may be unsightly or detrimental to the airport, the same shall be removed immediately and the incident reported to the Airport Manager within two (2) hours. The responsibility for the immediate removal of such gasoline, oil, grease or other material shall be assumed by the operator or owner of the equipment causing the same or by the tenant or concessionaire responsible for the deposit. In the event of such spillage, and the failure of the operator or owner to restore the area to its original safe and environmentally sound status, the City or approved contractor may clean up any material unlawfully spilled, placed or otherwise deposited at the airport and may charge the responsible person(s) for the cost of the cleanup, any required environmental remediation, and any expenses incurred by, or fines or damages imposed on the City as a result thereof.

Section 5-9. Lubricating oils

A total of sixty (60) gallons of lubricating oils which are necessary for minor aircraft maintenance and have a flash point at or above one-hundred degrees (100°) Fahrenheit may be stored in hangars or other suitable storage devices as approved by the Airport Manager, provided they are stored in their original container and have original manufacturer’s labeling.

Section 5-10. Fire extinguishers

(a) All tenants and businesses shall supply and maintain such adequate and readily accessible fire extinguishers in their hangar or building as required by Chapter 15.36A ACC. This chapter is administered by the Valley Regional Fire Authority, and each occupant is required to check with the Fire Authority to determine their individual needs. Each fire extinguisher shall carry a suitable tag showing the date of most recent inspection.

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(b) At least two (2) fire extinguishers, each having a rating of at least 20-BC, shall be available for use in connection with aircraft fueling handling operations.

Section 5-11. Underground and Aboveground tanks

Subject to the other requirements of these regulations, a person may possess fuel within an underground/aboveground fuel storage tank constructed, operated and maintained in all respects as required by federal, state, county, and local law. Fuel so stored may be dispensed only into aircraft owned by the person who owns, operates and maintains the tank, unless the tank is located at the airport and operated and maintained by a fixed base operator.

Section 5-12. Moveable fuel storage tanks

Unless otherwise approved by the Airport Supervisor and Valley Regional Fire Authority moveable fuel storage tanks are prohibited at the airport except for:

- (a) Fuel trucks constructed, operated and maintained in all respects as required by law.
- (b) Permanent fuel tanks in an operable aircraft.
- (c) Tanks not exceeding two (2) gallon capacity used solely for sampling and testing fuel, engines and fuel handling apparatus.
- (d) No more than one (1) tank with a capacity of not more than fifty-five (55) gallons used by a person to fuel his or her own aircraft pursuant to a self-fueling permit.
- (e) Tanks lawfully transporting fuel for immediate dispensing into a fuel storage tank permitted by the City. Such vehicles shall access the airport at a point approved by the Airport Manager and remain under escort by a representative of the company receiving the fuel.

Section 5-13. Self-fueling Operations (mogas, avgas, auto)

Except as may be prohibited by other provisions of these regulations and any other applicable law, owners of a based aircraft that desire to self-fuel their aircraft, must receive written permission from the Airport Manager. This does not apply to the use of a self-service fuel facility provided by a fixed base operator.

- 1. Those operators that self fuel shall have readily available fire extinguishers per section 5-10(b).
- 2. Self fueling pilots will have available within 15' of the fueling operation an approved hazardous waste spill kit that will be able to contain at minimum a 10 gallon fuel spill.

Section 5-14. Vehicle fuel

No person shall possess vehicle fuel on the airport except:

- (a) Within the permanently installed fuel tank of a vehicle for use only by that vehicle;
- (b) Within a moveable container designed for storage of vehicle fuel and having a capacity of not more than five (5) gallons. No more than one (1) moveable container containing vehicle fuel shall be located in a single vehicle. No more than two (2) such containers shall be located

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in any hangar. No such containers shall be stored either empty or full in a City-owned storage unit. See section 5-3.