

FAC OPERATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING

ORLANDO SANFORD INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

JANUARY 14, 2019 FROM 10AM - 2PM



AGENDA



10 YEAR ANNIVERSARY OF FLIGHT 1549

Via web conferencing, hear firsthand what it was like to be a passenger on the "Miracle on the Hudson". Mr. Dave Sanderson was the last person to exit the A320 on US Airways Flight 1549.



FAA UPDATE ON WILDLIFE ISSUES

John Weller, the FAA National Wildlife Biologist, will call in to the meeting to discuss wildlife issues and the new Advisory Circular 150/5200-38



BORDER COLLIES AT RSW

For many years, the Southwest Florida International Airport has used border collies as a wildlife management tool. Learn about their program from one of their canine handlers.



ORLANDO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT'S WILDLIFE PROGRAM

The Orlando International Airport has integrated many creative wildlife techniques - from using raccoons to naturally eradicate rookeries to shocking fish in ponds. Come hear more about their wildlife program.



USING EFFIGIES TO DETER ROOSTING VULTURES

Years ago, the staff at the Gainesville Regional Airport routinely observed vultures roosting on the airport's VOR. To solve this issue, an effigy was recommended as a strategy and has been proven to be very successful.



AIRPORT TOUR (ARTIFICIAL TURF AND PROPANE CANNONS)

The Orlando Sanford International Airport has arranged for a tour so that committee members can see the artificial turf that was used to deter gopher tortoises in the runway safety area. SFB also has a multi-location propane cannon system that is used to disperse wildlife.

An opportunity to discuss other airport operations topics and updates will be available throughout the meeting.

Our lunch sponsor will provide an overview of current wildlife hazard management issues.

