

# Brackett Field Airport

## Monthly Newsletter

November 18, 2024

### From the Airport Manager

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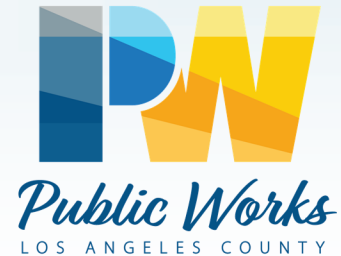
Brackett Field Airport is in the process of getting a new Airport Traffic Control Tower. The FAA has hired a drone mapping consultant to “3-D” map the airport. Starting the week of November 18th, you may see crews operating around the airport taking photos of the grounds. Air Traffic personnel and Airport Administration will ensure that related impacts on air and ground traffic are minimized. See the article on Page 2 for more information.

### Airport Ops & Admin

The Sewer Pump Lift Station project is set to begin December 2nd and is anticipated to be completed by April 18, 2025. A portion of the Terminal Building parking lot will be fenced off for staging of construction equipment. Please contact the airport office if you have any questions regarding the project.

We have been conducting airport hangar inspections. To schedule your inspection, please contact Airport Manager, David Price at [dprice@dpw.lacounty.gov](mailto:dprice@dpw.lacounty.gov), Assistant Airport Manager, Carlos Diaz at [cdiaz@dpw.lacounty.gov](mailto:cdiaz@dpw.lacounty.gov), or call the office at (909) 844-7805 . Please make sure that you are able to provide verification that your aircraft is airworthy or that you have a plan in place to bring the aircraft into airworthy status and that you have proof of the proper general insurance consistent with the requirements described in your hangar aircraft storage license agreement. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated. A current annual on your aircraft is also required.

As we conduct hangar inspections, we have observed some hangars that have miscellaneous equipment and or items on top of the hangar door track. Please ensure that your hangar is tidy and there are no objects on the door track which could impede your ability, or your neighbor’s ability, to open and close the hangar doors.



### Airport Events & Activities

**Aircraft Display Day**  
December 18th —  
9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

### Aviation Commission Meetings

**Wednesday, November 27**  
10 a.m. to 12 p.m.  
San Gabriel Valley Airport  
4233 N. Santa Anita Ave.  
El Monte, CA 91731

**No Meeting**  
**December 2024**

### Other Meetings

**BAA Meeting**  
Brackett Airport  
Thursday, December 5th  
7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

## Contact the Airport for Available Hangars & Tiedowns

**Brackett Field Airport**  
(909) 593-1395

**Compton/Woodley Airport**  
(310) 631-8140

**Fox Airfield**  
(661) 940-1709

**San Gabriel Valley Airport**  
(626) 448-6129

**Whiteman Airport**  
(818) 896-5271

## Fuel Services

**Billion Air Aviation**  
Full and Self-Service 100LL  
+ Full-Service Jet A  
(888) 818-8177

**Los Angeles County**  
Self-Service 100LL;  
(909) 844-7805

## Airport Tenant Portal

Scan the QR Code below to make **hangar/tiedown rent payments** and **file hangar maintenance requests**.



## Holiday Toy Drive



Public Works is partnering with Los Angeles County Department of Parks and Recreation and Brotherhood Crusade to collect toys for children in need. Toys are being collected from **Tuesday, November 12, through Tuesday, December 10, 2024**. New, unwrapped, gifts may be deposited into the marked bins located in the airport terminal buildings at each of the County airports. Your contributions are greatly appreciated and help make a positive difference in the lives of underprivileged children.

## New ATCT Facilities for Two County Airports

Two of the County's general aviation airports, Brackett Field Airport and San Gabriel Valley Airport, are slated for the construction of new Airport Traffic Control Tower (ATCT) facilities to replace the current facilities.

The initiatives will be funded through the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) which is providing \$5 billion over five years starting in Federal Fiscal Year 2022, to upgrade the foundation of the Federal Aviation Administration's (FAA) air traffic control system.

To qualify for the new facilities through the BIL program, the current ATCT facilities at both airports met various criteria based on ownership (they are both owned by the FAA), age (both are over 40 years old), and design characteristics/limitations, among others.

The FAA is currently conducting site selection for the new facilities with design, construction, and equipping the new facilities to follow. Construction of the new ATCT facility at San Gabriel Valley Airport may commence as soon as late 2026. Timing for construction of the new ATCT facility at Brackett Field Airport is yet to be determined.

There will be no interruption in the FAA's airport traffic control services at the airports throughout construction of the new facilities which will bring enhanced safety and efficiency of operations to the airports.

## Contact Us

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*More information about the airport and the other 4 County-owned airports is available at:*

**<https://pw.lacounty.gov/avi/airports/>**

