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TO: All Tenants and Contractors
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CC: Airport Operations, Airport Police, Security Ops, SMS
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SUBJECT: Bicycles on Airport Operations Area

Recently, we have observed occurrences of tenants riding bicycles field side, on the airport operations area of the airport, presumably commuting to and from their work location. St. Louis County Code of Ordinances stipulates that the field side of Lambert – St. Louis International Airport is not designated for public vehicular traffic, or for other public use, except for the boarding and leaving of aircraft, and for commercial aeronautical activity. Airport tenants and contractors commuting to and from their home to work location, or between different work locations, is a public activity, and not permitted on the field side of the airport.

Further, as defined by St. Louis County Ordinance, only vehicles authorized by the Airport Authority are permitted on the airport operations area of the airport. **Bicycles are not authorized by the Airport Authority and are strictly prohibited from the field side or ramp side of Lambert – St. Louis International Airport.**


We encourage those employees that wish to commute to the airport on a bicycle to park and lock their bike up on the airport provided bike racks at the Terminal 1 and Terminal 2 loading docks. We are not opposed to adding more bike racks where there is demand and appropriate, however, bikes must stay off the ramp and kept exclusively to the landside portion of the airport.

Lambert – St. Louis International Airport is required by Federal Aviation Regulations to develop procedures and regulations to ensure the safe operation on the airport, for the safety of aircraft, drivers and personnel.

The airport is required to enforce the rules and regulations and have a system in place for the consequences of non-compliance, including penalties for violations and revocation of airport issued identification. Airport badge holders that have been granted Security Identification Display Area (SIDA) privileges must follow the Airport's rules and regulations, and **keep bicycles off the ramp, or risk having their STL airport identification privileges revoked.**

Please distribute this policy, and consequences of non-compliance, to all applicable employees at your company. If you have any questions on this policy, please contact me or Airport Operations at 314-426-8040.

Thank you for your assistance.



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