

**Chapter 12-14**

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**Section 12-14-01 AIRCRAFT REGULATIONS**

Within Zone J of the Airport District, aircraft shall be operated in a manner by which to minimize the noise and provide maximum safety of aircraft operation. The Commission may from time to time recommend proper and necessary regulations to abate noise and provide maximum safety. Notice of such recommended regulations shall be given to the Idaho Department of Aeronautics, the Federal Aviation Administration, the Idaho Military Department, and other users of the Air Terminal. The Board or Council may either approve, modify or reject, in whole or in part, the recommendations for proposed regulations of the Commission. Any violation of regulations adopted and approved by the Board or Council shall be both a violation of the pilot in command of the aircraft and of the aircraft owner or operator.

**Section 12-14-02 POLICY FOR ESTABLISHING REGULATIONS**

The Airport Commission, in making recommendations by which to minimize noise, maintain minimum noise levels and provide maximum safety of aircraft operations within Zone J, shall consider the effect of prevailing winds, visibility and operation safety factors of the aircraft, the use of runways and the routing of aircraft over the least populated area, the maintenance of minimum altitudes on take off before reaching populated areas, the power settings used on take off and climb out before crossing populated areas, the minimum glide slope in landing operations, the speed limitations of aircraft below certain minimum elevations, and any other fact by which to accomplish the purposes, objectives and intent of this Ordinance. In the event of repugnancy or conflict between regulations adopted and regulations promulgated by the Federal Aviation Administration, regulations of the Federal Aviation Administration shall govern. Further, any such regulations shall not apply to emergency operations of aircraft or operations of aircraft in adverse weather conditions.

**Section 12-14-03 COMPLAINTS**

Any complaints received as to noise and safety problems in the operation of the Airport District shall be referred to the Administrator, to the Commission, and to the Idaho Department of Aeronautics for appropriate action. A report of the complaint and the action taken shall be given to the Federal Aviation Administration. (Ord. 3601, 9-23-74)