

PERSON SPECIFICATION

Community Representative for London City Airport's Consultative Committee

Background

The membership of the London City Airport Consultative Committee (LCACC) comprises representatives of local communities, local and public authorities, the airport and airport users.

The function of the Committee is to provide a forum within which those with an interest in the airport can discuss matters relevant to the operation of London City Airport and its impact, either positive or negative, on those affected.

The Committee is not a decision making body but an organised forum to inform the diverse range of stakeholders of current issues relating to London City Airport and the aviation industry and seek feedback. The Committee liaises between the airport operator and its users and those affected by its use with the object of resolving matters of concern which arise from time-to-time. It is not a forum for those opposed to the existence or legitimate operation of the airport.

Community Representation

London City Airport is seeking nominations for a volunteer from the West Silvertown community who would be willing to serve on the Committee until the Committee is renewed in April 2012. The chosen representative will, of course, be eligible for re-appointment for the ensuing period of three years until 2015.

Requirements

To be eligible a community representative on the Committee must:

1. Have lived in the area they wish to represent for at least 12 months.
2. Be aged 18 years or over.
3. Be willing to provide their contact details to appear on the Committee's website and in the local media.
4. Be willing and able to attend quarterly meetings of the Committee at the airport from 16:30hrs on a weekday.
5. Be willing and able to keep up to date with the consultation papers, airport notices and information from the Committee's Secretary and Chairman and provide views as appropriate.
6. Be able to demonstrate, perhaps through membership of a Tenants' and Residents' Association or local community group, that they have the means to collect views, information and enquiries from members of the community in their particular area, and to disseminate information back to the community from the Committee's meetings, consultations and airport updates.
7. Be able to demonstrate that in participating in the work of the Committee they would have no political bias and/or they are not seeking to join the Committee as a means to oppose particular proposals of the airport.

Members of the Committee are not paid and do not have their expenses reimbursed. Car parking at the airport is provided free of charge for those attending meetings of the Committee and tea and coffee is provided.

There is more information about the Committee and the airport on the Committee's website at www.lcacc.org