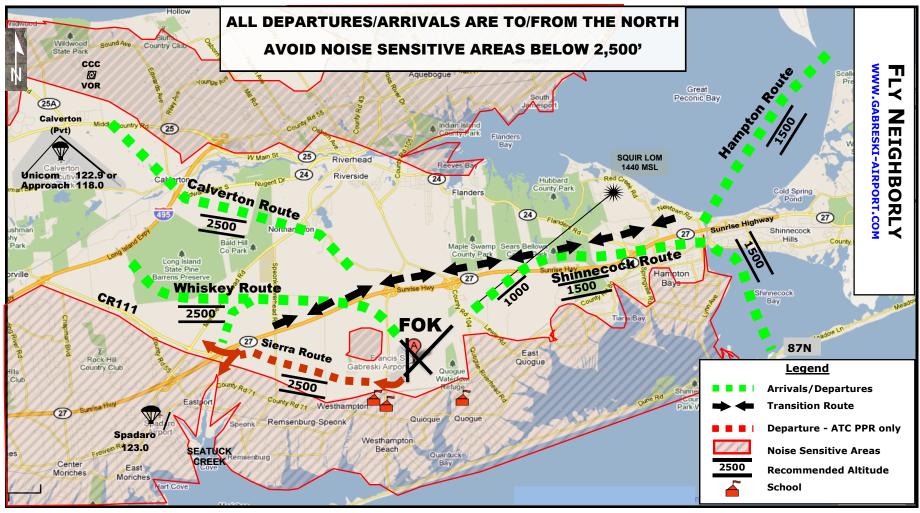
## GABRESKI AIRPORT (FOK) FLY NEIGHBORLY VOLUNTARY NOISE ABATEMENT PROGRAM HELICOPTER ROUTES



<u>ARRIVALS</u>: Enter Class D airspace from *NORTH* of *Sunrise Hwy* via the *WHISKEY*, *CALVERTON*, *or Shinnecock* routes. Fly over wooded area between the LIE (495) and Sunrise Highway (27).

<u>DEPARTURES:</u> Depart northbound climbing to 2500 ft on the WHISKEY or CALVERTON routes. Use southbound SIERRA route only at ATC direction due to traffic or weather.

**<u>Do not</u>** fly south of AIRPORT unless directed by ATC or the Tower. Remain at 2500 ft. until one (1) mile from the airport.

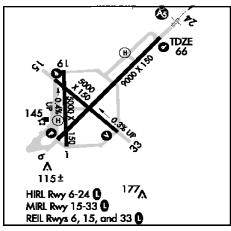
Note: The Transition can also be used to access other East End airports. Use the Transition Route to access the Hampton or Shinnecock Route.

### **FREQUENCIES**

ASOS: 119.925
GROUND: 121.8
TOWER: 125.3
APPROACH:
EAST: 125.97
WEST: 118.0
UNICOM:

SheltAir 130.20 Malloy 122.95

NOT TO BE USED FOR NAVIGATION



# RECOMMENDED VFR DEPARTURE PROCEDURES

Note: All departures should be flown Northbound whenever possible.

- North Use the Whiskey Route -Climb to 2500 ft. Turn on course after crossing Sunrise Highway or as directed by Tower.
- South (only if traffic or wind conditions require) - Use Sierra Route - Helicopter departures to the south should expect RWY 24. Fly RWY heading to airport boundary or railroad tracks. Turn right to 270 degrees and climb to 2500 ft. Turn south over Seatuck Creek (see map).
- To Southampton Heliport (87N):
   Use Shinnecock Route (see map)
  - Fly northeast bound. Climb to 1500 ft.
- Police Helicopter Operations:
   During non-emergencies, Police helicopters should plan to follow all helicopter noise abatement procedures whenever possible.

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#### TRANSITION PROCEDURES

- DO NOT ENTER GABRESKI AIRSPACE FROM THE SOUTHWEST OR WEST. These locations contain noise sensitive areas.
- Helicopter transitions through the Class D airspace will be granted via north of Sunrise Highway at 1600 ft. (see transition route on map). Do not request to over-fly the airport.
- Flight crews departing the New York Metropolitan area should brief the route into the wooded areas north of Sunrise Highway prior to departing the city to avoid over-flying noise sensitive areas. This will be especially important during MVFR conditions when the requested cruise altitude of 2500 ft. AGL cannot be flown.
- Follow Eastern Region Helicopter Council's recommended flight paths into the wooded areas north of Sunrise Highway. http://www.erhc.org
- SOUTH SHORE ROUTE If landing at FOK
   Helicopters using the South Shore Route should
   transition into the wooded areas north of Sunrise
   Highway west of Gabreski Airport. Enter Class D
   Airspace north of Sunrise Highway. Use one of the
   many sparsely populated areas along the south
   shore for access. If continuing on to Southampton
   Heliport (87N) or East Hampton Airport, continue
   along FAA published South Shore Route.
- NORTH SHORE ROUTE Helicopters using the North Shore Route should transition to the airport northwest of Gabreski using the Calverton or Whiskey Route. There are a number of open space and sparsely populated areas to cross into the wooded areas north of Sunrise Highway.
- <u>FROM THE WEST Use Whiskey Route</u> Follow the LIE East into the wooded areas north of Sunrise Highway. Stay north of Sunrise Highway until directed by Tower.
- FROM THE EAST, Use Hamptons or Shinnecock
   Route. Fly north of Sunrise Highway to the airport enter as directed by Tower. Plan on flying south of
   the RWY 24 final approach path or as directed by
   Tower.

### GABRESKI AIRPORT - KFOK VOLUNTARY NOISE-ABATEMENT PROCEDURES

### **HELICOPTERS**

THIS BROCHURE HAS BEEN PREPARED TO HELP HELICOPTERS OPERATE IN THE QUIETEST MANNER POSSIBLE CONSISTANT WITH SAFETY, AND HELP THE AIRPORT BE A GOOD NEIGHBOR TO ITS SURROUNDING COMMUNITIES.

Voluntary night curfew - 11PM to 7AM.

## RECOMMENDED VFR ARRIVAL PROCEDURES

#### Runway 6/24 in use:

- From northwest <u>Use Whiskey or</u> <u>Calverton Route</u>. Expect to make an initial approach from north of Sunrise Highway to the numbers of RWY 15.
- From northeast <u>Use Hampton/</u> <u>Shinnecock Route</u>. Remain east of the extended centerline of RWY 6/24 until directed by Tower.
- From Southampton Heliport (87N):

  <u>Use Shinnecock Route</u>. Fly North to
  Shinnecock Canal climb to 1500 ft.

  Turn west and remain north of Sunrise
  Highway. Follow Tower instructions.

  Descend to 1000 ft. by Sunrise Highway
  as you approach the airport from the
  northeast. Remain south of the RWY 24
  final approach path unless directed by
  Tower (see map).

#### Runway 15/33 in use:

- From northwest Remain north of Sunrise Highway and follow Tower instructions.
- From northeast Make an initial approach to the numbers of RWY 24.

These procedures are not intended to pre-empt the responsibilities of the pilot-in-command for safe aircraft operations. Recommended procedures are not intended to conflict with instructions from ATC or those which are the exclusive authority of the FAA.