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WEST HOUSTON AIRPORT

Save An Airport
Quiet Flying
is good business!



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HAPPY BIRTHDAY AMERICA!!!

West Houston Airport wishes everyone a joyous and safe July 4th celebration.

What will the future be for Avgas?

New formulated G100UL held up by FAA, high prices and limited refining, politics and environment.....

These are all issues confronting GA. We are the pawns in this tug of war from all sides. We have little to say and very little we can do. We are in a waiting game with bigger players then we are.

With consumption of Avgas less than 1% of total gas usage, we are not the highest priority. Environmentalist see us as a big issue and one that must be eliminated.

What are we to do?

We must be aware of our surroundings and alert to actions requiring our immediate attention. This is extremely important as without a watchdog to guard the door, we will windup being taken by surprise as has happened in states like California and New York.

The answers to the questions will be coming in the future. They may not be the best solution but we will be a participant, like the outcome or not.

Let's all be cognizant of what's going on in our industry and alert to possible changes that we can effect.

Woody Lesikar
Airport Manager

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West Houston Airport	6.25*	6.25*	6.25*	West Houston Airport	6.88*	6.88*	6.88*

*With Volume/Weekend discount

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