



Hurricane Irene Impacts

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE --- August 26, 2011 --- While the path of Hurricane Irene may not have a direct impact on the Gulf Coast, flights to and from the east coast may be impacted.

Armstrong International Airport anticipates the cancellation of flights into the northeast over the weekend and into early next week. If you plan on traveling to any of the areas that may be impacted, please confirm your flight reservations with your airline prior to coming to the Airport.

The airlines are monitoring Hurricane Irene's path and forecasted intensity. The overriding factor in determining when to curtail aircraft activity is safety. The individual airlines will make decisions on when to cancel their flight operations based on their internal policies. Plans are evaluated and adjusted as the storm path and intensity varies.

Passengers need to keep themselves updated as to their flight status through their airline's web site.