

DISTRICT COURT, COUNTY OF BOULDER
STATE OF COLORADO
Boulder County Justice Center
1777 6th Street
Boulder, Colorado 80302

Plaintiffs:

CITIZENS FOR QUIET SKIES,
KIMBERLY GIBBS, TIMOTHY LIM,
ROBERT YATES, SUZANNE WEBEL, JOHN
BEHRENS, CARLA BEHRENS, and
RICHARD DAUER

Defendant:

MILE-HI SKYDIVING CENTER, INC.

COURT USE ONLY

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DEPOSITION OF YANCY O'BARR
February 26, 2015

The deposition of YANCY O'BARR, called for examination by the Defendant, was taken at Denver TRACON, 26705 East 68th Avenue, Denver Colorado, commencing at 2:00 p.m., on the 26th day of February, 2015, before Andrea E. Hunter, Certified Shorthand Reporter and Notary Public in and for the State of Colorado, pursuant to the Colorado Revised Rules of Civil Procedure.

1 flight operation area are still the conditions that are
2 present today?

3 A So this is what I do know. Twenty years ago
4 on Saturday Denver International Airport opened up,
5 Denver TRACON opened up, and Denver tower opened up.
6 We created a new -- they created a structure of
7 arrivals and departures that we're using today, in
8 1995. Okay.

9 Previous to that -- and I don't know how long
10 Mile-Hi has been in operation. But previous to that,
11 the structure was slightly different. So in 1995 the
12 arrivals were changed to the corner posts and the
13 departures. And that's what I understand, is that
14 departures then -- and the gates have modified, and we
15 have added a few things and taken away based on our
16 RNAV structure, like I was talking about. But the
17 basic structure has been in place for 20 years.

18 Q Does the FAA permit local airports to create
19 noise abatement procedures?

20 A Yeah. The Federal Regulations Airports
21 Division of the FAA and the airport operator are
22 responsible for that.

23 Q And do the -- Exhibit 19, the voluntary noise
24 abatement procedures, appear to you to be within the
25 authority granted to local airports?