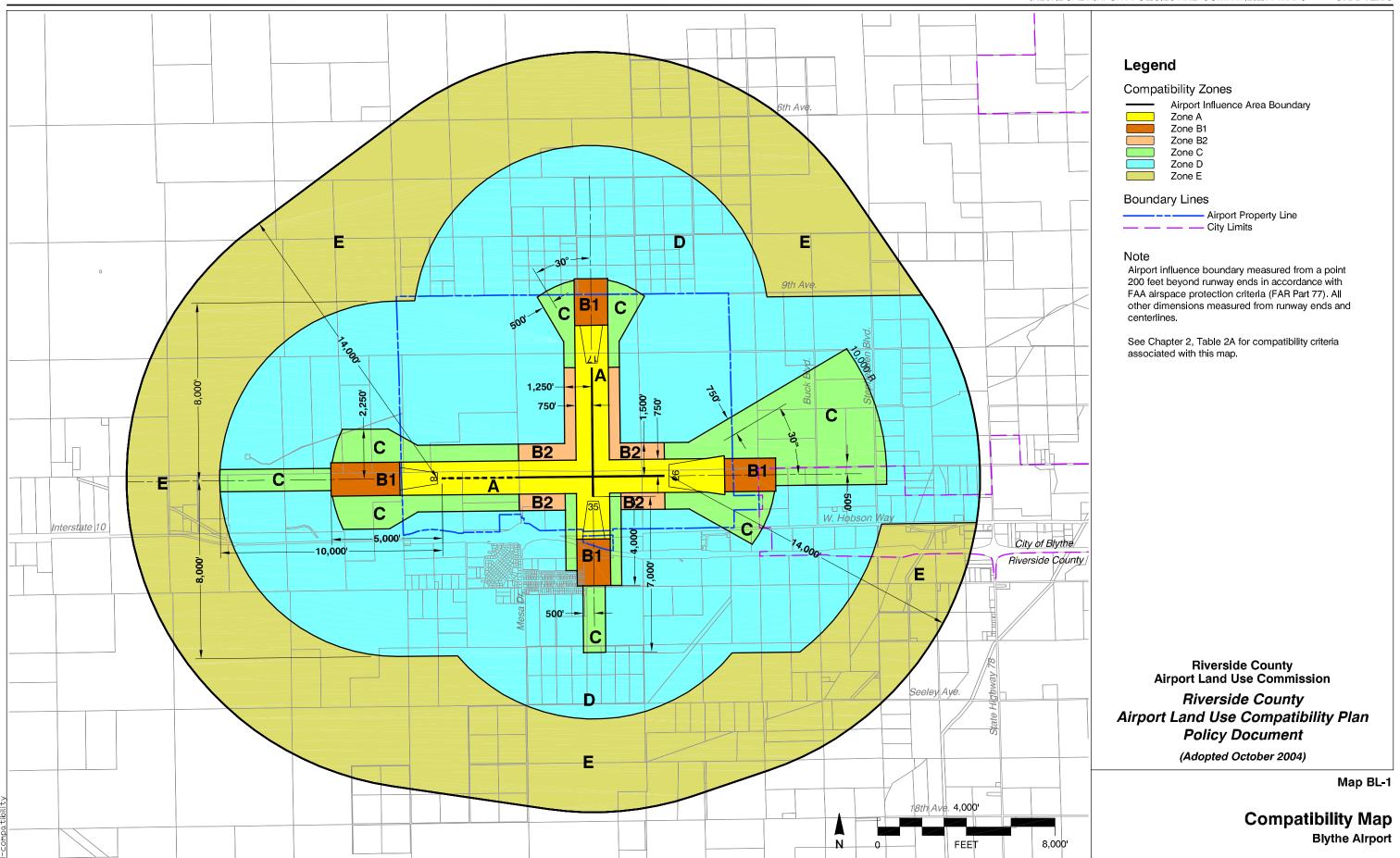
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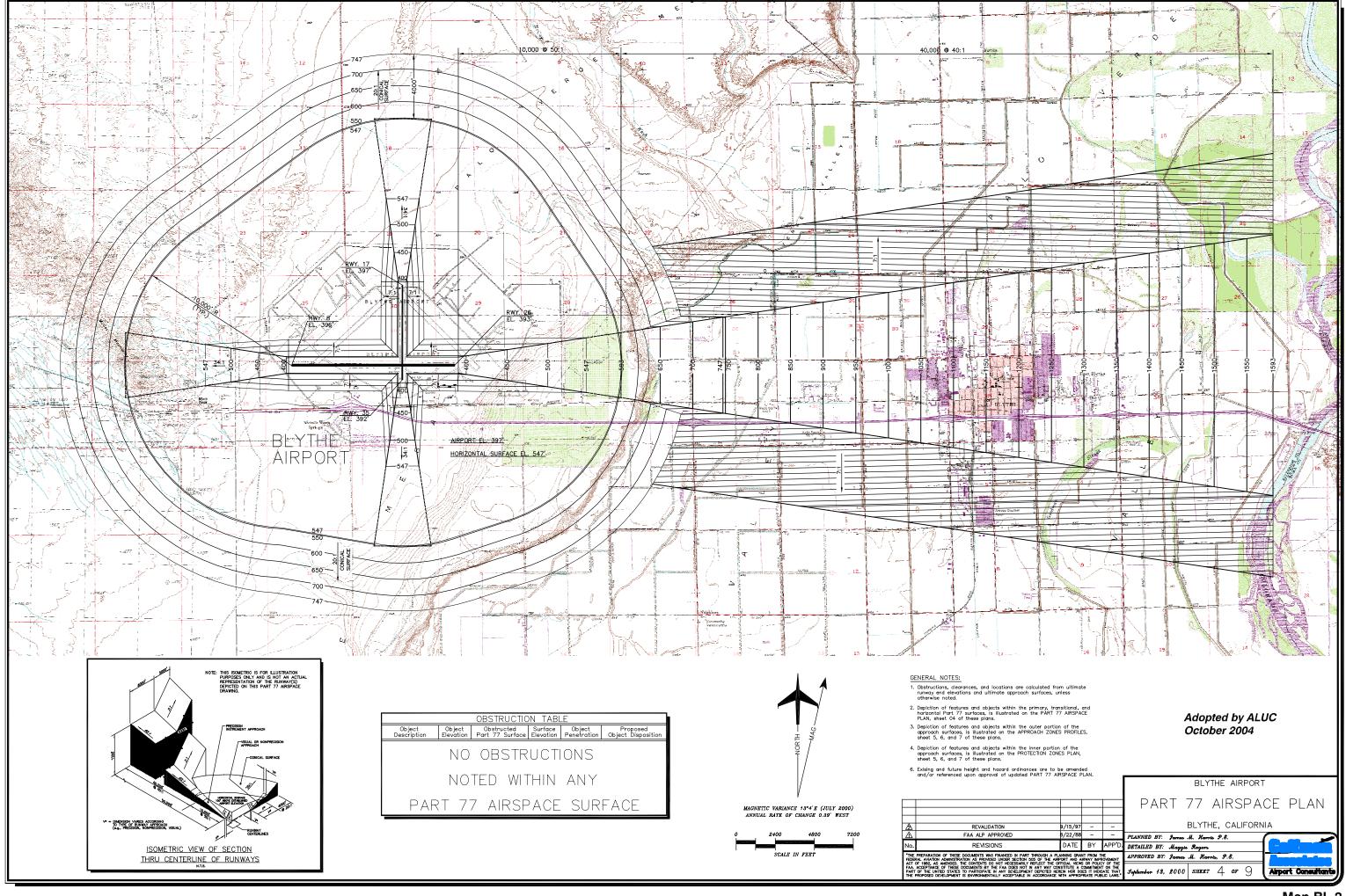
BL.1 Compatibility Map Delineation

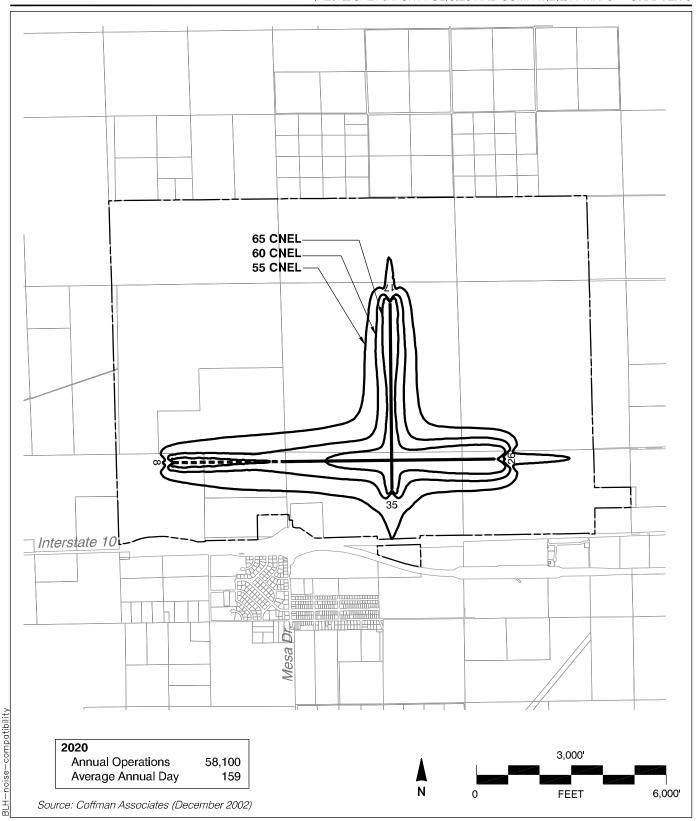
- 1.1 Airport Master Plan Status: The Compatibility Plan for Blythe Airport is based upon the Airport Master Plan adopted by the Riverside County Board of Supervisors in 2001.
- 1.2 Airfield Configuration: The Airport Master Plan proposes extension of Runway 8-26 3,450 feet westward to a total length of 10,012 feet. No improvements to instrument approach capabilities are planned. These features are reflected in the Compatibility Plan.
- 1.3 Airport Activity: The Compatibility Plan assumes a long-range future activity level of 58,100 annual aircraft operations, including up to 2,200 airline aircraft operations. Total operations in 2003 are less than half of this number and there is no airline service. The long-range numbers are consistent with the Master Plan forecast. The Master Plan also describes a theoretical "ultimate" airport activity level that includes a large volume of large jet transport aircraft operations. Because the Master Plan does not contain recommendations, beyond extension of the runway, that would help generate activity of this magnitude, the "ultimate" activity level has not been explicitly reflected in preparation of the Compatibility Map for Blythe Airport.
- 1.4 Airport Influence Area: The airport influence area boundary is defined by the outer edge of the FAR Part 77 conical surface.

BL.2 Additional Compatibility Policies

2.1 None.







Map BL-3

Noise Compatibility Contours

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