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COMMUNITY ADVISORY:
EA6B Prowler and Boeing 707 to Arrive at Republic Airport
Friday October 21 and Sunday October 23
- *expect unusual local aircraft noise levels* -

(Farmingdale, NY) – **A Grumman EA6B Prowler will visit Republic Airport on Friday October 21, 2011 at approximately 12:00 noon and a Boeing 707 will visit Republic Airport on Sunday October 23, 2011 at approximately 12:00 noon.**

The Prowler will be flying in on Friday to become another featured aircraft at the Northrop-Grumman facility in Bethpage. As it arrives in the area it will fly over the Northrop-Grumman facility before arriving at Republic Airport. Once retired, the aircraft will be on display at the American Airpower Museum at Republic Airport until its final destination at Northrop-Grumman is available.

In addition, a Boeing 707 is scheduled to arrive on Sunday for use in filming of the ABC TV series “Pan Am”. The Boeing 707 was developed as a commercial airliner in the 1950’s and Pan American World Airways was the first commercial user of the aircraft. The aircraft will be based at Republic Airport during the week of October 23. As an older model commercial aircraft, this classic Boeing 707 is much noisier than current commercial airliners.

WHO: Grumman EA6B Prowler and Boeing 707 to fly in vicinity of Republic Airport and land at the American Airpower Museum at Republic, 1230 New Highway, Farmingdale

WHEN: Friday, October 21, 2011 approximately 12:00 noon (Grumman EA6B Prowler)
Sunday, October 23, 2011 approximately 12:00 noon (Boeing 707)

WHY: The EA6B Prowler will be staged at Republic Airport pending its retirement and display at Northrop-Grumman in Bethpage

The classic Boeing 707 will be filmed for the ABC TV series “Pan Am” during the week of October 23.

EDITORS NOTE: Remind children and the public not to be alarmed by loud aircraft jet noise on approach to Republic Airport

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