

Will Rogers World Airport

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Winter Storm Impacts Air Travel for Second Day in a Row *Airport Reopens Runway After Three Hour Closure*

OKLAHOMA CITY, January 29, 2010 – Aircraft operations continue to be significantly impacted at Will Rogers World Airport. A total of 133 arrivals and departures were cancelled today, bringing the total for the last two days to 233.

Because of today's cancellations and the inability to bring in aircraft overnight, all early Saturday morning departures have been cancelled. Airlines are predicting that they will resume operations mid-morning to early afternoon tomorrow.

Heavy snow and near-zero visibility earlier today caused Will Rogers to close the runways and taxiways. Airport crews continued to plow and sweep to prevent substantial accumulation. As the snow lessened conditions improved allowing one runway and connecting taxiways to be reopened. Crews will continue to work the airfield throughout the night.

Travelers are still advised to contact their airline for flight status or to change reservations.

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Will Rogers World Airport is owned and operated by the City of Oklahoma City Department of Airports. Will Rogers is the city's commercial airport and accommodates over three and a half million passengers each year. The airport services 22 nonstop markets with an average of 75 daily departures. Wiley Post and Clarence E. Page airports are also owned and operated by the City.



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