

# Moore County Airport Authority Tuesday, December 12<sup>th</sup>, 2017 **Board Meeting** – 10:00 a.m.

**Minutes** 

The Moore County Airport Authority Meeting was held on December 12th, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. at the Moore County Airport Terminal Conference Room.

**Authority Members Present:** 

Bob Zschoche, Chairman

Mike Jones, Secretary/Treasurer

Pat Corso, Member

Tom McPherson, Member

**Authority Members Absent:** 

Barry Lerman, Vice Chairman

**Authority Members Present** 

**Participating Electronically:** 

(None)

**Staff Present:** 

Greg Hudson, Airport Manager Bobbie Cox, Operations Director

Crystal Meyers, Administrative Assistant

Jane Long, Finance Administrator Gale Vencill, Customer Finance

**Others Present:** 

Steve Bright, Talbert & Bright Phil Greene, Total Flight Solutions Tim Riley, Local Lacrosse Coach

Mary Kate Murphy, the Pilot Newspaper

#### **CALLED TO ORDER**

# A. Opened Session

- 1. Member, Bob Zschoche, requested a moment of silence for the late, Bob Norman.
- B. Pledge of Allegiance was led by Chairman, Bob Zschoche.
- C. Conflict of Interest Inquiry was made by Chairman, Bob Zschoche.

(None)

# D. Approval of Agenda Presented

- 1. By consensus, all Authority members present were in agreement with the proposed meeting Agenda to include the following additions:
  - Steve Bright, with Talbert & Bright, was invited by member, Bob Zschoche, to discuss the Strategic Planning Project in closed session with the Authority.
  - Authority consideration to submit to the NCDOT NCDOA a request for aid to utilize 2014/2015 Non-Primary Entitlement Grant Funds and to certify the local match for the Airfield Storm Drain Rehabilitation Project.

### E. Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes

- 1. Moore County Airport Authority Meeting Minutes: November 14, 2017.
  - Upon motion made by member, Tom McPherson, and seconded by member, Pat Corso, the Authority voted 4 to 0 to approve the November 14, 2017 Moore County Airport Authority Meeting Minutes.

#### F. Public comment

- 1. Local Lacrosse Coach, Tim Riley, requested the Authority to consider utilizing Airport property for a practice field.
  - o Member, Bob Zschoche, instructed the Airport Manager, Greg Hudson, to research to possibility in accordance with all applicable laws/guidelines/etc... and to advise the Authority of the findings. The decision of the Authority will be provided to Mr. Ripley.

#### G. Presentations/Guest Speakers

- 1. Peter Stilwell, Tarheel Communications, provided answers to the Authority regarding the Festival D'Avion event to be held in the spring 2018 at the Moore County Airport.
  - Upon motion made by member, Pat Corso, and seconded by member Tom McPherson, the Authority voted 4 to 0 to approve the Festival D'Avion Event to be held in the spring 2018 as proposed by Peter Stilwell.

#### H. Public Hearing

(None)

# I. Report Inquiries

- 1. The Authority members had questions/comments on the provided reports listed below:
  - o Financial Report (100LL Comparison) (Jet A Comparison)
    - Member, Tom McPherson, inquired about the higher expense in Maintenance Operations compared to last year.
    - Finance Administrator, Jane Long, explained the Hanger Door Repair Project & the Camera/Security System upgrade had been budgeted for

this fiscal year and has now been completed, accounting for the variance in expenses.

- o Director's Report
  - (None)
- o Operation's Report
  - Member, Mike Jones, requested an update to the repositioning of the fence.
  - Operations Director, Bobbie Cox, informed the Authority the fence was expected to be complete within a couple of days.

#### J. Unfinished Business

- 1. The Authority discussed support for Sandhills Community College's Professional Pilot Program.
  - Upon motion made by member, Tom McPherson, and seconded by member, Pat Corso, the Authority voted 4 to 0 to approve the support of \$20K to the Sandhills Community College for the Professional Pilot Program.

#### K. New Business

- 1. The Authority considered the proposed update to the Airport Personnel Policy reinstating the Longevity Benefit to Airport Employees.
  - Upon motion made by member, Mike Jones, and seconded by member Tom
    McPherson, the Authority voted 4 to 0 to approve the revised Personnel Policy.
- 2. A request to send Project 36237.67.6.1 Budget Ordinance and Resolution to the Moore County Board of Commissioners for approval.
  - Upon motion made by member, Tom McPherson, and seconded by member, Mike Jones, the Authority voted 4 to 0 to approve submittal of Project 36237.67.6.1
     Budget Ordinance and Resolution to the Moore County Board of Commissioners for approval.
- 3. Requested a Resolution be approved for Finance Officer, Caroline Xiong, to preform grant functions within the NC DOT, NCDOA Partner Connect Grant Authorizations Program.
  - Upon motion made by member, Mike Jones, and seconded by member, Tom McPherson, the Authority voted 4 to 0 to approve Caroline Xiong Access Authorization within NCDOT NCDOA Partner Connect.
- 4. Requested approval of Reimbursement Resolution for the Airfield Storm Drain Rehabilitation.

- o Upon motion made by member, Pat Corso, and seconded by member, Mike Jones, the Authority voted 4 to 0 to approve the Reimbursement Resolution.
- 5. Requested approval for a RFP from Airport Engineering Firms.
  - Upon motion made by member, Mike Jones, and seconded by member, Tom McPherson, the Authority voted 4 to 0 to approve submitting an RFP for Engineering Services.

# L. Additional Agenda Items

- Authority considered the request for aid submission to the NCDOT to utilize 2014/2015
   Non-Primary Entitlement Grant Funds and to certify the local match for the Airfield
   Storm Drain Rehabilitation Project.
  - Upon motion made by member, Mike Jones, and seconded by member, Tom McPherson, the Authority voted 4 to 0 to approve submitting the request for aid to utilize 2014/2015 Non-Primary Entitlement Funds and certified the local match for the Airfield Storm Drain Rehabilitation Project.
- 2. Member, Bob Zschoche, informed the public a closed session will be held following the open session in order to confer with Steve Bright, Talbert & Bright Engineering Firm.

#### M. Announcements/Comments

- 1. The Moore County Airport Authority meeting will be held at 10:00 a.m. at the Airport Terminal Conference Room, Carthage, North Carolina, on Tuesday, January 9th, 2018.
- 2. Announce the Moore County Airport Authority Planning Meeting on Friday, January 5th, 2018 located in the Sandhills Community College Clement Dining Room beginning at 9:30 a.m.
- 3. The NCAA Annual Conference was announced to the Authority for consideration to attend, to be held in Ashville, North Carolina on March 26th through March 28th, 2018.

#### N. Closed Session

- 1. Member, Bob Zschoche, recessed Open Session to enter Closed Session.
  - o Closed session recorded by member, Mike Jones.

Bob Zschoche, Chairman

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Michael Jones, Secretary

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