



Meeting Minutes

City of Gainesville
Airport Advisory Board Meeting
Airport Conference Room
Monday April 20, 2015
10:30 A.M.

Members Present: Nancy Brannon, Ginger Herrmann, Earl Russell, and Jason Snuggs.

Absent: Carroll Johnson, Richard Lira, Mike McKenzie.

Staff Present: Dave Vinton.

Visitors Present: Brandon Ayers.

The **second item of business** was Discussion and Action on minutes from March 23, 2015

A motion to approve the minutes was made by Ms. Brannon with a second from Ms. Herrmann. Ayes: Brannon, Herrmann, and Snuggs. Nays: None. Absent: Johnson, Lira, and McKenzie.

The **third item of business** was Citizen/Tenant comments. Mr. Ayers suggested that the flight planning computer be replaced. Mr. Ayers also expressed his displeasure with the permitting process and the lack of cooperation between Ayers Aviation and various city departments. Mr. Ayers advised that he has requested a meeting to discuss the situation with the Mayor and City Manager.

The **fourth item of business** was Discussion and Action on Hay Lease Bids. Director Vinton stated to the board that two bids, 35% and 24.5% of production were received for this lease. A motion to award the bid to Mr. Larry Brandon for 35% of the hay production was made by Ms. Brannon with a second from Ms. Herrmann. Ayes: Brannon, Herrmann, and Snuggs. Nays: None. Absent: Johnson, Lira, and McKenzie.

The **fifth item of business** was Discussion on FY 15-16 Airport Budget/Capital Improvements. Director Vinton advised the board that there will be little change in the next budget. Funds to cover the crack/slurry sealing and painting of both runways are being submitted.

The **sixth item of business** was the Airport Director reports. The Director reviewed the fuel reports with the Board. Mr. Vinton advised the Board of the Medal of Honor Parade activities at the airport. Mr. Snuggs stated and others agreed that the flyover was a huge success and was an excellent contribution to the event. Director Vinton advised the Board that CFDI-Aero will be moving into the MUH May 1st and that interest in building hangars at the airport is increasing

The **seventh item of business** was to adjourn.

Earl Russell, Chairperson

David Vinton, Airport Director