

OCONEE COUNTY AERONAUTICS COMMISSION

Meeting Minutes of the OCAC

Date of Meeting: June 11th 2012, 5:30 pm

Commissioners present were Dan Suddeth, Randy Renz, Dan Schmiedt, Eddie Perry and Ron Chiles. Chairman Tom Luke was absent.
Airport Director Kevin Short was also in attendance.

Public attendees David Bryant

Vice Chairman Suddeth called the meeting to order at 5:33 pm.

Mr. Suddeth asked for a motion to approve the May 2012 commission meeting minutes. Mr. Renz made a motion to approve & seconded by Mr. Schmiedt. The minutes then passed unanimously.

Public comments –none

Airport Director Report: Kevin Short reviewed his monthly director's report highlighting last month's retail fuel sales, hangar rents, misc sale etc.

Airport Assoc. Mr. Schmiedt mentioned two items the group held a cookout event on the Eagle Ridge airport on the evening of April 26th at Don Frasers hangar announced the group would be part of the SC DOT Adopt a highway program and clean up Airport Rd between Shiloh Rd and Seneca Creek Road.

Old Business

Security Plan on hold

Airport Rules and Regs... on hold

SC Title 55 - SC legislature still in discussions on changes/updates

Additional Hangars –Mr. Renz stated the issue would continue to be tabled until the next county budget cycle.

Avigation Easements/Obstruction Clearing - Next FAA project after Land acquisition.

New Business

Summer break- the commission will not meet in July and Aug. If needed Mr. Short can call each member if a meeting is needed.

Property Acquisition The County is in the initial stages of acquiring two parcels of land for future airport development.

Adopt a highway - Members of the COAA group have petitioned to get Airport Road on the adopt a highway program.

AOPA regional rep Mr. Suddeth stated he had requested the commission contact the regional AOPA for Airports to discuss measures to promote the airport to the community. Mr. Schmiedt mentioned a recent article on the airport Adopt a highway program.

Commission Member comments - Mr. Schmiedt mentioned the CEO of Cessna Aircraft would visit Clemson Univ. on June 14 on business.

Public Comments: David Bryant mentioned several lights on the outside of hangar B and C needed replacing... Kevin said he would notify Jules and get them repaired.

Mr. Suddeth stated the next meeting would be Sept 10th 2012 at 5:30 pm

The meeting was adjourned at 6:03 pm.