

OCONEE COUNTY AERONAUTICS COMMISSION

Meeting Minutes of the OCAC

Date of Meeting: Dec 10th 2012, 5:30 pm

Commissioners present were Tom Luke, Dan Suddeth, Dan Schmiedt, Eddie Perry Michael Gray and Ron Chiles. Mr. Renz was absent.

County Council Member Corbeil was present along with Airport Director Kevin Short.

Public attendees Cookie Fitch

Chairman Luke called the meeting to order at 5:30 pm.

Mr. Luke asked for a motion to approve the Nov 2012 commission meeting minutes with a minor spelling error correction. Mr. Suddeth made a motion, seconded by Mr. Chiles and it 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 stated there was no issues to report from the COAA group. He announced their next meeting.

Old Business

Security Plan on hold

Airport Rules and Regs... on hold

Additional Hangars –tabled until the next county budget cycle.

Property Acquisition - Mr. Short stated the acquisition of the 10 acre tract of land on Airport Rd would no longer be pursued by County Council.

Avigation Easements/Obstruction Clearing -Mr. Short stated that the County would submit its yearly AIP Capital Project list to FAA before Jan 1 and that obtaining Avigation easements was at the top of the list. Following a 6-8 month process for obtaining the easements the next step would be the actual removal of the obstructions penetrating the Part 77 imaginary approach surfaces. Relocating Mt. Nebo Church road to clear the approach was mentioned as a possible option for removing obstructions from the appch to Rwy 7.

Contract Fuel Mr. Short stated he has worked out preliminary details to allow the FBO to offer SHELL brand Contract fuel to JET A customers. Further details have to be worked out with the new County Finance Director after the New year.

Mogas- Kevin confirmed 93 octane ethanol-free; low vapor pressure gasoline is definitely available thru local fuel vendors in the area. Mr. Short said he had obtained one quote for a MOGAS self service station and would attempt to get 2 more quotes by the next meeting..

New Business --- None

Commission Member comments - Mr. Perry asked a question about possible fill dirt from other county areas. Kevin said he would research and report.

Public Comments: County Councilman Corbeil commented County Council is supportive/appreciative of the Aeronautics commission's efforts to grow and promote the airport to the community.

Mr. Luke stated the next meeting would be Jan 14th. 2013 at 5:30 pm

The meeting was adjourned at 6:03 pm.