

Oconee County Aeronautics Commission
Meeting Minutes

Date/Time: October 15, 2013 at 5:30PM

Place of Meeting: Oconee County Regional Airport
365 Airport Road Seneca, SC 29678

Members Present: Randy Renz, Mike Gray, Tom Luke, Dan Schmiedt, David Bryant,
Ron Chiles

Members Absent: Edward Perry

Additional Attendees: Kevin Short, Melinda Anderson, Cookie Fitch, Randy VanSurdam

Media Present: None

Mr. Randy Renz called the meeting to order at 5:30pm.

Approval of September 2013 Minutes: Mr. Schmiedt made the motion with Mr. Luke providing the second. All members concurred. September 2013 Commission Meeting Minutes passed.

Airport Directors Report: Mr. Short reviewed his Airport Directors report focusing on a;; FBO retail sales, including Aviation Fuel sales. He also stated that Pace Pavement has finished painting the runway markings. The runway was never closed during the process. He also interviews for the Airport Attendant position will be held this week. No legal issues to discuss.

COAA Report: Meeting will be held a week from this coming Thurs. Place TBD.

New Officers:

Chair: Eric Barnhill

Vice Chair: David Bryant

Treasurer/Secretary: Doyce Graham

Old Business:

Airport Security Plan, Rules & Regulations, and Additional hangar Units still on HOLD.
Please talk with your County Councilman regarding these issues.

Project update:

- 1.) Nebo Church Road House has been removed and lot cleared.
- 2.) Hangar E materials and septic tank permits received
- 3.) Runway Painting: Completed
- 4.) Restroom Updates: Completed

New Business:

- A) Potential FAA Projects: Mr. Short stated there is 450,000 of entitlement money available to the County. Possible category X projects include a new sub taxiway design and build, Ramp Expansion, Sub-taxiway between Hangar E and Corporate Hangar, ASAS weather station, and relocating Windsox.
- B.) Aeronautics Commission Fall/Winter Schedule: Meeting to be held in November 2013 and a brief meeting in December 2013 prior to the Christmas Potluck Dinner.

Commission Member Comments: Mr. David Bryant suggested to research solar taxiway lights. Mr. Short stated he would research.

Public Comments: Mr. Randy VanSurdam with the Oconee Humane Society presented Mr. Short and the Airport Staff with a plaque in recognition of their willingness and hard work during the annual Fly-In events held at the Airport. These events have brought around \$50,000 in proceeds that goes directly to Oconee County Humane Society and saved thousands of helpless animals within the community. Mr. VanSurdam extended his sincere and heartfelt thanks to all those that have made this possible.

There being no other business, Mr. Renz asked for a motion to adjourn. Mr. Chiles offered the motion with Mr. Gray providing the second.

The Oconee County Aeronautics Commission adjourned at 6:25pm.

Respectfully Submitted,
Melinda C. Anderson