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TO:

Mayor and City Commission

DATE:

September 24, 2001

RESOLUTION

FROM:

City Attorney

SUBJECT:

Airport Improvement Program Grant

A resolution of the City of Gainesville, Florida, accepting grant offer from Department of Transportation, Federal Aviation Administration, and authorizing execution by the Mayor and Clerk of the Commission on behalf of the City of Gainesville; and providing an immediate effective

date.

Recommendation: The City Commission adopt the proposed resolution, subject to the approval of the City Attorney as to form and legality.

The Gainesville-Alachua County Regional Airport Authority has requested a Federal grant from the Federal Aviation Administration for four (4) proposed projects at the Gainesville Regional Airport in the total amount of \$3,899,692. The projects are for the rehabilitation of and/or enhancements to existing airport facilities as follows:

Project A - Airfield Lighting Improvements.

This project consists of the installation of new high intensity runway edge lights on Runway 10-28 with lightning resistant cables; raising the height of the existing rotating beacon to clear the trees in the vicinity of the beacon that are blocking the light beam in certain quadrants; the installation of a Runway Visual Range System for Runway 28; rehabilitation of taxiway edge lighting and signage; and minor modifications to the airfield lighting electric vault.

Project B – Rehabilitate General Aviation Apron Pavements

The project consists of the milling and overlaying of existing bituminous pavement areas; the application of asphalt rejuvenator to existing bituminous pavement areas; removal and reconstruction of existing pavement areas; corner break repair, crack/joint sealing, and spall repair of existing concrete pavement areas; minor apron drainage enhancements; replacement of aircraft tie-down anchors; and repainting of taxiway and runway striping.

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Project C – Upgrade Perimeter Fencing

The project involves the installation of 8' high security fence parallel with and airside of the existing 6' high perimeter fencing for animal control purposes in the area of dense vegetation adjacent to the airfield; upgrading/replacement of existing gate and/or gate operators; upgrading the access control system; and relocation of the CCTV system.

Project D – Repainting of "Hold-Short" Lines
This project involves the repainting of the "hold-short" lines to current FAA guidelines.

For the purpose of receiving Federal Grant funds, the FAA requires that the City of Gainesville and the Gainesville-Alachua County Regional Airport Authority both approve the Offer and the Gainesville-Alachua County Regional Airport Authority has requested that the City of Gainesville approve said Offer.

Prepared by:

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Sr. Assistant City Attorney

Approved and Submitted by:

Marion J. Radson

City Attorney

MJR:CLH:sw

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| | 5 | A resolution of the City of Gainesville, Florida, accepting grant offer |
| | 6 | from Department of Transportation, Federal Aviation |
| | 7 | Administration, and authorizing execution by the Mayor and Clerk of |
| | 8 | the Commission on behalf of the City of Gainesville; and providing an |
| | 9 | immediate effective date. |
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| | 11 | WHEREAS, the Gainesville-Alachua County Regional Airport Authority has |
| | 12 | previously submitted a Project Application to the Department of Transportation, Federal |
| | 13 | Aviation Administration of the United States of America, for improvements projects at |
| | 14 | the Gainesville Regional Airport; and |
| | 15 | WHEREAS, the said Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) has submitted a |
| 7. | 16 | Grant Agreement which constitutes an Offer to the City of Gainesville and the |
| | 17 | Gainesville-Alachua County Regional Airport Authority to be executed by the |
| | 18 | appropriate officials which, when so accepted, will constitute a Grant Agreement by |
| | 19 | which the United States Government will participate in the allowable costs of the project |
| | 20 | with the Federal Share to be \$3,899,692; and |
| | 21 | WHEREAS, for the purpose of receiving Federal Grant Funds, the FAA requires |
| | 22 | that the City of Gainesville and the Gainesville-Alachua County Regional Airport |
| | 23 | Authority both approve the Offer and the Gainesville-Alachua County Regional Airport |
| | 24 | Authority has requested that the City of Gainesville approve said Offer. |
| | 25 | NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF |
| | 26 | THE CITY OF GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA: |
| | 27 | Section 1. The City of Gainesville shall enter into a Grant Agreement for the |
| . j. | -28 | purpose of obtaining Federal aid in the development of the Gainesville Regional Airport |
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| KURT M. LANNON CLERK OF THE COMMISSION | MARION J. RADSON CITY ATTORNEY |
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| ATTEST: | Approved as to form and legality |
| | THOMAS D. BUSSING MAYOR |
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| Passed and adopted this day of | , 2001. |
| Section 4. This resolution shall take effect | t immediately upon adoption. |
| official seal of the City of Gainesville and to attes | t said execution. |
| Lannon, Clerk of the Commission, is hereby author | orized and directed to impress the |
| execute the said Grant Agreement on behalf of the | e City of Gainesville and Kurt M. |
| Section 3. That Thomas D. Bussing, May | or, is hereby authorized and directed |
| Grant Agreement, does agree to all of the terms as | nd conditions thereof. |
| Authority's assurances that it agrees to abide by a | ll of the terms and conditions of the |
| acceptance, and in reliance upon the Gainesville-A | Alachua County Regional Airport |
| Application, and incorporated material referred to | in the said Offer, and by such |
| representations, warranties, covenants, and agreer | nents contained in the Project |
| Section 2. The City of Gainesville does h | ereby ratify and adopt all statements, |
| part hereof. | |
| Chapter 95-457, Laws of Florida, and that such G | rant Agreement shall hereby be made |
| by the Gainesville-Alachua County Regional Airp | ort Authority in accordance with |
| under Project No. 3-12-0028-1701 that is to be im | plemented, constructed, and operated |