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RESOLUTION NO. 120226

PASSED September 6, 2012

A Resolution of the City of Gainesville, Florida, accepting FAA AIP Grant No. 3-12-0028-034-2012 from the US Department of Transportation, Federal Aviation Administration, and authorizing execution by the Mayor and the Clerk of the Commission on behalf of the City of Gainesville; and providing an immediate effective date.

WHEREAS, On July 6, 2012, the GACRAA submitted a Project Application to the Department of Transportation, Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) of the United States of America for the following projects at Gainesville Regional Airport: **1) Rehabilitate and Improve Internal Service Road, 2) Rehabilitate Apron High Mast Lighting and Related Work, 3) Taxiway E Rehabilitation – Design Only, 4) Prepare Airport Wildlife Hazard Management Plan, 5) Acquire / Replace ARFF Equipment Mutual Aid Radios, and 6) Acquire Emergency Command Communications Vehicle**, seeking federal funds in the amount of up to \$1,253,517.00, representing 95% of the eligible project costs;

WHEREAS, at this time, the FAA is anticipated to submit a Grant Agreement, which constitutes an Offer to the City of Gainesville and the GACRAA to be executed by the appropriate officials which, when so accepted, will constitute a Grant Agreement by which the United States Government will participate in the allowable costs of the Project with the Federal Share to be estimated up to \$1,187,542.00, or 90% of eligible project costs; and

WHEREAS, for the purpose of receiving Federal Grant funds, the FAA requires that the City of Gainesville and the GACRAA both approve the Offer; and

WHEREAS, the GACRAA adopted Resolution 12-030 and authorized execution of the anticipated Grant Offer at its meeting on August 30, 2012, and has authorized the Airport's Chief Executive Officer to prioritize and negotiate any needed reductions in the project scope of work with the FAA to match the available federal funding; and

WHEREAS, Gainesville Regional Airport staff has requested that the City of Gainesville approve the anticipated Grant Offer subject to final approval by GACRAA and timely review by the City Attorney;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA:

Section 1. The City of Gainesville shall enter into Grant Agreement 3-12-0028-034-2012, for the purpose of obtaining Federal aid in the development and operation of the Gainesville Regional Airport under Grant Agreement 3-12-0028-034-2012 that is to be implemented, constructed and operated by the Gainesville-Alachua County Regional

Airport Authority in accordance with Chapter 2006-363, Laws of Florida, and that such Grant Agreement shall hereby be made a part hereof.

Section 2. The City of Gainesville does hereby ratify and adopt all statements, representations, warranties, covenants and agreements contained in FAA Grant Agreement 3-12-0028-034-2012, and incorporated material referred to in the said Grant Agreement, and by such acceptance, and in reliance upon the GACRAA's Chief Executive Officer assurances that the GACRAA agrees to abide by all of the terms and conditions of said Grant Agreement and the assurances made by GACRAA in Resolution No. 12-030, does agree to all of the terms and conditions thereof.

Section 3. The GACRAA represents to the City of Gainesville that GACRAA has adequate available funds to pay GACRAA's ten percent (10%) share of the project's anticipated costs.

Section 4. That Craig Lowe, Mayor, is hereby authorized and directed to execute said Grant Agreement 3-12-0028-034-2012 on behalf of the City of Gainesville in the amount of \$1,187,542.00 or any lesser amount that may be approved by the Airport's Chief Executive Officer, with a corresponding reduction in the scope of work and related costs as itemized in the Project Application dated July 6, 2012, and Kurt M. Lannon, Clerk of the Commission, is hereby authorized and directed to impress the official seal of the City of Gainesville and to attest to said execution.

Section 5. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

Passed and adopted this ____ day of September, 2012.

CRAIG LOWE
MAYOR

ATTEST:

Approved as to form and legality:

KURT M. LANNON
CLERK OF THE COMMISSION

MARION J. RADSON
CITY ATTORNEY