# GREAT FALLS INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AUTHORITY 2800 TERMINAL DRIVE, GREAT FALLS, MT 59404 BOARD MEETING MINUTES

# October 31, 2023

## CALL TO ORDER

The regular meeting of the Great Falls International Airport Authority Board convened Tuesday, October 31, 2023, at 1:00 PM in the Airport Board Room. Anthony Aretz called the meeting to order. Roll call was taken.

| Board Members Present: | Anthony Aretz<br>Jordan Husted | Richard Gibbs<br>Terry Thompson | Sean Hoven      |
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| Staff Present:         | John Faulkner<br>Lara Tait     | Rod Hall                        | Chayleen Person |

## CONSENT AGENDA:

A motion was made by Commissioner Thompson and seconded by Commissioner Gibbs to approve the Consent Agenda as follows:

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- a. Approval of Board Meeting Minutes for September 2023
- b. Payroll checks for September totaling \$171,299.32
- c. Maintenance & Operations checks # 27784 to 27835 totaling \$ 522,015.76
- d. Approve Passenger Facility Charge totaling \$63,514.65 for September
- e. Financial Reports for September 2023

## The motion passed unanimously.

## DIRECTOR'S REPORT:

Director Faulkner reported on the following:

- Commissioner Lalonde has been deployed. We wish him and his family the best.
- The Airport had the busiest September ever showing solid growth. Late season tourism from warm weather was likely the cause.
- After the Rendezvous, Staff has continued to have discussions with airlines interested in serving GTF which is positive.
- Construction progress was reviewed.

## **GENERAL BUSINESS:**

1:27 Holman Aviation Extension

A motion was made by Commissioner Gibbs and seconded by Commissioner Thompson to approve the Holman Aviation Extension as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

1:29 Capital Project-Phase II Terminal Improvement Program 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Remodel

A motion was made by Commissioner Hoven and seconded by Commissioner Gibbs to approve Capital Project-Phase II Terminal Improvement Program 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Remodel as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

1:45 Replace Parking Machine

A motion was made by Commissioner Hoven and seconded by Commissioner Gibbs to Replace the Parking Machine as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

1:47 Industrial Condos First Tenant Proposal

A motion was made by Commissioner Hoven and seconded by Commissioner Thompson to approve the Industrial Condos First Tenant Proposal as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

#### AIRPORT AUTHORITY BOARD COMMENTS:

o None

#### **PUBLIC COMMENTS:**

o None

Casey Lalonde, Chair

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John Faulkner, Secretary