

MOSES LAKE MUNICIPAL AIRPORT COMMISSION

April 28, 2022

A special meeting of the Moses Lake Airport Commission was held in person and remotely on April 28, 2022, at 6:00 p.m. at the City Council Chambers.

Commission members present were Finley Grant (via zoom), Richard Pearce, Darrin Jackson, Richard Waltman, and Rod Richeson. Others present were Trisha Kehret, Engineering Administrative Technician; Micah Troutman, Greg Hutchison, and Larry Wheat.

The meeting was called to order by Commissioner Pearce. The meeting began with Commissioner Pearce making a motion to recommend Commissioner Finley Grant as Chair, Commissioner Richard Pearce as Vice Chair, and Commissioner Darrin Jackson as Secretary. It was seconded by Commissioner Richeson and passed unanimously.

The Commissioners discussed the requirements and duties of the Commission. Commissioner Pearce presented the Commission with a printed breakdown of the requirements and duties, and requested the Commissioners review them before the next meeting.

The Commission also discussed leases. Micah Troutman of Basin Pacific Insurance spoke as to coverages and what might be needed for leases. Commissioner Pearce asked the Commissioners to make notes on the leases and return them to him.

Commissioners discussed the dates for future meetings. Commissioner Pearce motioned to schedule the dates of May 19th, June 9th, July 21st, August 18th, September 8th, October 20th, November 17th, and December 8th. Commissioner Jackson moved as stated. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Waltman and passed unanimously. Commissioner Richeson motioned to have the meetings start at 6:00pm. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Jackson and passed unanimously. Commissioner Pearce also suggested that they hold another unofficial study session at the airport monthly.

Commissioner Grant spoke about the greenbelt project (grass runway) the Commission is working on. He also discussed the need for irrigation and a list Lad Irrigation put together to have it installed. Another topic that was addressed was the need to get the fuel system brought over from Arlington. Commissioner Pearce suggested that Commissioner Grant get quotes to accomplish these projects.

Commissioner Richeson announced someone donated a mower to the municipal airport and motioned a thank you letter be sent to the donator. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Jackson and passed unanimously.

Commissioner Jackson made a motion to have plaques made for Representative Tom Dent and Board member Tim Prickett who stepped down to make the Commission possible. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Grant and passed unanimously.

The special meeting was adjourned at 7:11 p.m.


Trisha Kehret, Engineering Administrative Technician