

SOUTHWEST GEORGIA REGIONAL AIRPORT
ALBANY DOUGHERTY COUNTY AVIATION COMMISSION
February 15, 2024
ZOOM VIDEO CONFERENCE

TRANSPORTATION DIRECTOR: DAVID HAMILTON, present

CHAIRMAN: FRANK MIDDLETON, present

VICE CHAIRMAN: KEN HODGES, Not Present

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT: DONTRAVIOUS SIMMONS, DOUG FAIRCLOTH, PAMELA GREEN JACKSON

COMMISSIONERS ABSENT: SANFORD HILLSMAN, BOB LANGSTAFF

MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER AT 5:03 P.M.

- **AGENDA** – Approved
- **MINUTES-** Chairman Middleton asked for a motion of approval on minutes from July 2023 meeting. Minutes will stand as distributed.
- **Frank Middleton** – Chairman Middleton asked meeting attendees if there was anything to add or questions regarding the reports that were sent out via email prior to the meeting. Doug Faircloth had a question regarding (ITR) Itinerate information, airport admin will get some clarity on this information.
- **David Hamilton-** David Hamilton introduced ABY's brand new Superintendent of Operations, Roberto Pagan. David Hamilton also spoke on behalf of Kyle Jackson of G2 Secure staff (Delta) stating that revenue numbers have recently been the highest since Christmas of 2019 with load factors averaging ninety one percent. Additionally, Sky West has made their way back to ABY while Delta makes significant upgrades to their gate experience. At the end of our meeting, David Hamilton stated that the city will be presenting a contract to Eagles of America, on Monday.
- **Chris Lowery-** Chris Lowery provided updates on our current construction project and upcoming design projects. Currently, on the GA Terminal project, the contractor is going through the punch list with new furniture arriving next week.
- **Javiation-** J'aviation representatives spoke in regard to our upcoming airport master plan project.
- **Roberto Pagan-** Roberto Pagan introduced a software solution called Aerosimple to the commission. Aerosimple will help organize the airport as far as documents, work orders, operations, contracts and more! Also, Virtower will allow the airport to collect flight traffic which will in turn help justify the need for more funding from the FAA.
- **Debbie Davis-** Debbie Davis spoke in regard to parking lot upgrades we are considering for our parking lot at the Southwest Georgia Regional airport.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:48 P.M. The next scheduled Aviation Commission Meeting is on April 18, 2024, at 5pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

David Hamilton, Transportation Director