

COUNTY OF MARQUETTE, MICHIGAN

Sawyer International Airport Airport Advisory Committee Thursday, July 9th 2020

Agenda

1. Call to Order:

2. Approval of the Agenda:

3. Public Comment:

4. Approval of Minutes:

➤ June 11th, 2020

5. Items of Discussion:

A. Marquette County Flying Club

- i. Further information was requested from the MCFC regarding the tax calculations of Hangar 402. Megan Murray with SAW reached out to Jackie Lykins with the county and also gave Greg Durand her contact info. Megan has continued to assist the MCFC in researching possible grants to assist with increasing the flying club's operating spaces and funding. Megan reached out to the Escanaba Airport as well to compare hangar rental prices.

6. Informational Items & Project Updates:

A. First Annual "Yooper Looper" Aerobatic Contest coordination/planning has begun. Event will be held at the EAA offices and open to the public. Event Head Coordinator is Roger Bentlage. SAW is assisting in all areas applicable. Volunteers needed if interested.

B. Project Updates

- i. Hangar 665 Expansion Project: The planning for the expansion of Hangar 665 is near completion. Construction is expected to begin in early 2021.
- ii. Crack Sealing and Pavement Marking and De-Ice Storage Tank Projects:
 1. Construction is still expected to begin August 2020 for both projects. No update.
- iii. Security Cameras
 1. Almost all of the cameras have been installed; currently waiting on 3 more cameras to be delivered.

C. CARES Grant Funds

- i. SAW granted \$18,075,846. Will be used for operational expenses and airport development projects. No update.

D. National Carbon

- i. Roof repair coordination has begun with National Carbon.

E. MLI Update

- i. As of now, there is no update regarding the vertical launch site.

F. Flat Tires on Airfield

- i. There has been an increased number in flat tires possible caused by FOD on the airfield. SAW has begun planning on purchasing FOD removal equipment. A capital improvement grant has been submitted to Marquette County for this equipment.

G. Greg Durand with the MCFC requested that a \$25 reduced rate be added to the rent for Hangar 38.

This request is needing to be reviewed by the Authority Board, as well as, all reduced agreements in place for the MCFC (Hangars 30, 32, and 39).

7. Late Additions:

8. Public Comment:

9. Staff and Committee Member Comment:

10. Adjournment:

Save the Date: Sawyer Fest, 2021, Building 662