

COUNTY OF MARQUETTE, MICHIGAN

Sawyer International Airport Airport Advisory Committee Thursday August 13th, 2020

Held via Zoom Conference Call

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Agenda

1. Call to Order:

2. Approval of the Agenda:

3. Public Comment:

4. Approval of Minutes:

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5. Items of Discussion:

- A. T-Hangar Inspections: During the month of September the Sawyer Staff will be inspecting all t-hangars. This is an FAA requirement to ensure all hangars are used for aeronautical purposes.
- B. Airline Passenger Loads Update: Airline passenger numbers are steadily on the rise.
- C. New Plow Truck: A new plow truck will be delivered very soon for use during the Winter 2020-21 season.

6. Informational Items & Project Updates:

A. Project Updates

- i. MODT PFAS Investigation Grants: At the last Marquette County Board Meeting two grants were approved to be accepted to assist with PFAS investigation. The grants are awarded through MDOT and total to \$389, 925. These investigations will take place at both the Sawyer International Airport and the old airport located in Negaunee.
- ii. Heavy Duty Pick-Up: At the last Marquette County Board Meeting, the airport was approved to purchase a new 2021 1-Ton Heavy Duty Pick-Up Truck. Bids were received from Fox

Marquette and Riverside Auto Sales. The bid received by Fox Marquette was to specifications totaling to \$49,423. This will assist the Sawyer Maintenance/ARFF teams immensely. The last pick-up purchased was in 2006.

- iii. Hangar 665 Expansion Project: A recommendation to award has been given by the Contract Engineer, Mead and Hunt to Howard Immel, Inc. The project totals to \$7,997,900 and construction is expected to begin in early 2021. Crews will be stock piling materials at Hangar 665 throughout the end of this year. The Contractor contract for this agreement was approved for pre-approval at the last Marquette County Board. The Construction Administration Agreement for this project was also approved for pre-approval with Mead and Hunt.

1. Both the Construction Administration Agreement and Contractor Agreement are pre-approved to be funded through MAP funding for CY 2020, which was also approved at this meeting. This grant will fund Phase 1 of the project. CY2021 and CY2022 grants have not been issued yet, but are planned to fund phases 2 and 3. If the grants are not issued, the airport has the authority to pull out of either agreement.

- iv. Crack Sealing and Pavement Marking and De-Ice Storage Tank Projects:

1. The Crack Sealing and Pavement Marking Project was completed on September 3rd, 2020. The De-Ice Storage Tank project is currently under contract review. Sawyer staff received a recommendation to award for WR Construction. The project totals to \$139,442. The project is expected to begin September 2020.

B. National Carbon

- i. Roof repair coordination has begun with National Carbon. The roof repair is expected to begin this month.

- C. Frank Rosado shared concerns with the status of the Air Traffic Control's emergency escape system. The tower repeller system is currently not to code and needs to be re-certified. SAW has sent this system out for recertification and it has been repaired. We are currently waiting on it to be returned from the repair center and for two new harnesses to arrive.

7. Late Additions:

8. Public Comment:

9. Staff and Committee Member Comment:

10. Adjournment:

Save the Date: Sawyer Fest, 2021, Building 662