

AIRPORT JOINT OPERATIONS AND MANAGEMENT BOARD

Meeting Minutes

Thursday, July 21, 2022

3:30-5:00 p.m.

Airport Terminal Building

- I. Call to Order
Chairman Nanney called the meeting to order at 3:35 p.m.

II. Roll Call

Member	Present
Aaron Desentz	No
Nicole Frost	Yes
James McBryde	Yes
Rodney Nanney	Yes
Gayle Ruhl	No

Staff: Bill Brickner, Jason Moore

- III. Additions/Deletions to Agenda
Motion by McBryde, support by Frost, to approve the agenda
Motion passed unanimously
- IV. Public Input on Agenda Items
None
- V. Approval of Meeting Minutes – June 23, 2022
Motion by McBryde, support by Frost, to accept the minutes as written
Motion passed unanimously
- VI. Airport Manager's Report – June 2022
Brickner presented the manager's report
Motion by McBryde, support by Frost, to accept the airport manager's report.
Motion passed unanimously

VII. Old Business

a. Education

Frost confirmed airport is listed on County's website

b. Additional ideas to promote corporate traffic and airport growth

Discussion took place of ways to support airport. Need to control social media (Bangor, ME as an example). McBryde stated Jessie Stickler at MMDC could help.

Brickner mentioned highlighting the EAA

Discussion held about maintaining privacy and not wanting airport users (visitors) to feel uncomfortable.

Keep generating interest in flight school

Discussion held if Board could do anything to help, such as putting together economic development package. Bricker explained he does not think they are that point yet.

VIII. New Business

a. Check into fiber optic line for airport

Brickner exchanged email with Gale and she is checking with SCIT IT staff. Nanney spoke with CMS Internet; no service in the area.

IX. Announcements on Airport Related Issues and Concerns

Brickner reported this month was a little slow for traffic and staff was able to cut back vegetation on outskirts of airport.

Discussion about cost of fuel not being a major factor to corporate traffic.

Discussion about older pilots getting out of general aviation. Nanney spoke about demographic challenges in general.

Nanney detailed the airport destination marketing application process.

Brickner announced the EAA's 2022 Fly-In and Drive-In Breakfast event is scheduled for August 6th.

X. Public Comment on Non-Agenda items

None

XI. Adjournment

Nanney adjourned the meeting at ____ p.m.