

RESOLUTION 46-21

AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO SIGN AND SUBMIT A GRANT AGREEMENT AND SUPPLEMENTAL CO-SPONSORSHIP AGREEMENT IN SUPPORT OF THE GRAND JUNCTION REGIONAL AIRPORT

RECITALS:

The Grand Junction Regional Airport Authority (GJRAA or Airport) has a multi-year program to improve the Airport. The Airport Improvement Program is continually coordinated with the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) and Colorado Department of Transportation (CDOT) Aeronautics. The subject of this Resolution is the Airport Development Plan grant offer from the FAA which will fund various planning elements to develop an updated airport layout. The updated plan will help to inform future decisions regarding growth of the Airport and its facilities.

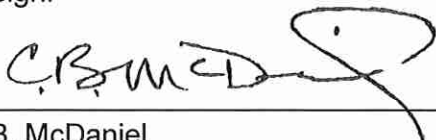
With the passage of the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, the amount funded in the grant represents 100% of the estimated costs of the plan. As creators and co-sponsors of the Airport Authority, both the County Commissioners and the City Council must approve grant awards from the FAA to the GJRAA.

The grant is scheduled to be reviewed by the Airport Board at its June 15, 2021 meeting and by City Council at its June 16, 2021 meeting.

The FAA grant offer is \$1,039,904.00; for the grant to benefit the GJRAA the City and Mesa County, as co-sponsors of the GJRAA, must execute the Grant Offer and Co-Sponsorship Agreement.

Having been fully advised in the premises, the City Council by and with this Resolution affirms and directs the execution of the Grant Offers and Agreement(s) from the Federal Aviation Administration in the amount of \$1,039,904.00 in support of the GJRAA as described generally herein and in more detail in the Grant Offer and Agreement(s) (grant offer No. 3-08-0027-069-2021.)

NOW THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Grand Junction authorizes the execution of the Grant Agreements(s) in the amount of \$1,039,904.00 between the Federal Aviation Administration, Mesa County, the City of Grand Junction, and the Grand Junction Regional Airport Authority and the Co-Sponsorship Agreement between the City of Grand Junction and the Grand Junction Regional Airport Authority and authorize the City Manager and City Attorney to sign.



C.B. McDaniel
President of the Council



ATTEST:



Wanda Winkelmann
City Clerk