RESOLUTION 79-23

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 subjects of this Resolution are relocation of the navigational aids (NAVIDS) for runway 11/29, and the pavement design, grading and drainage schedules for the relocation of runway 12/30.

The grant was reviewed by the Airport Board at its August 15, 2023, meeting, by the Board of County Commissioners at its August 29, 2023, meeting and by the City Council at its September 6, 2023, meeting. Approval of all three bodies is necessary.

The FAA grant offer is \$7,210,599.00; 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 \$7,210,599.00 in support of the GJRAA as described generally herein and in more detail in the Grant Offer and Agreement(s) (grant offer No. 3-08-0027-078-2023.)

NOW THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Grand Junction authorizes the execution of the Grant Agreements(s) in the amount of \$7,210,599.00 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.

Anna M. Stout

President of the City Council

Amy Phillips

City Clerk

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