



**ROBERT MUELLER MUNICIPAL AIRPORT  
PLAN IMPLEMENTATION ADVISORY COMMISSION  
MINUTES**

**REGULAR MEETING  
Tuesday November 12, 2013**

The Robert Mueller Municipal Airport Plan Implementation Advisory Commission convened in a regular meeting on November 12, 2013, at the Carver Library, Meeting Room #1, 1161 Angelina, in Austin, Texas.

**Commission Members in Attendance:**

- Carol Drennan, Chair
- Michael Jones, Vice-Chair
- James Dwyer
- Corky Hilliard
- Rick Krivoniak
- Jerry Perkins
- Jim Walker

**Staff in Attendance:**

- Pam Hefner, Economic Development Department
- Jill Fagan, Economic Development Department

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

- a. Chair Carol Drennan called the meeting to order at 6:04 p.m.

**2. CITIZEN COMMUNICATION: GENERAL**

- a. Dave Neider, a Mueller resident, spoke about his experiences living in a Mueller House and the noise issues that can arise while living in denser housing products.

**3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

- a. The minutes from the 10/08/13 meeting were approved on Commissioner Jones' motion and Commissioner Hilliard's second on a 6-0 vote with Commissioner Walker off the dais.

**4. NEW BUSINESS**

- a. The 2014 PIAC Meeting Schedule was approved on Commissioner Krivoniak's motion and Commissioner Jones' second on a 6-0 vote with Commissioner Walker off the dais.
- b. Staff provided updates on recent transportation items for Mueller, including the status of the light at Mueller Blvd and 51st St and temporary controls to be added to the intersection at Barbara Jordan and the Regional Retail center.

**5. OLD BUSINESS**

- a. Commissioners discussed and Dee Desjardin provided updates on the status on the Project Connect Central Corridor public process to select a locally preferred alternative for the first investment, including the upcoming decision by the Central Corridor Advisory Group, and outreach efforts at recent CCAG meetings.
  - i. The motion to approve and send a letter to Council to regarding the Commission's support for the northeast alignment in the initial phase of urban rail was approved on Commissioner

Hilliard's motion, Commissioner Jones' second on a 6-0 vote with Commissioner Walker off the dais.

- b. On behalf of the Mueller Neighborhood Association, Kathy Sokolic gave a brief summary of the May 20, 2014, Speak up, Speak out: Mueller at Mid-Course event and distributed copies of the final report. Commissioners discussed the recent meeting of the PIAC Neighborhood Outreach Working Group and potential steps for Mueller neighborhood outreach and partnering.

## **6. BRIEFINGS**

- a. Dee Desjardin provided an update of several planning topics related to Mueller: 1) TXDOT Interstate 35 Mobility Study, 2) upcoming Town Center discussion group meeting, and 3) the parking study underway. Ms. Desjardin also provided a summary of upcoming events and a brief development update on the Regional Retail Center; the AISD Performing Arts Center; the Market District; the Town Center, including the Thinkery children's museum, multi-family residential, and the Town Center parking garage; public art near the new EMS facility; and residential development, including the affordable multi-family workforce housing and shop houses.

## **7. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS UNDER CONSIDERATION**

- a. The Commissioners discussed potential future agenda items:
  - RMMA PIAC sunset date
  - Project Connect and Urban Rail
  - Builder update/panel
  - Local business update
  - Mueller Contact Team
  - Implications of future 10-1 Council Districts on Boards and Commissions
  - Neighborhood outreach
  - Traffic counts
  - Mueller Transportation Committee update

## **8. NEXT MEETING**

- a. The next meeting will be on January 14, 2014.

## **ADJOURN**

The meeting adjourned at 7:34 p.m. without objection.