Rapid City Airport Advisory Committee Minutes  meeting Jan 21, 2017  by Les Mittleider

Members present,   Bert Corwin, Gary Telkamp, Jerry Mitchell, Milo Schindler and Les Mittleider.

Approval of Minutes from previous meeting motion by Jerry Mitchell, second by Gary Telkamp and passed.

John Glasford EAA pres., and Shawn Gab reported on setting up an account for funds that will be transferred from the Advisory Board to the EAA for use in future Open House and EAA events. The local EAA chapter will be taking charge of future events with help from the board. The time frame on transfer is TBD at a later date.

Bill Eldridge reported on helping interested parties that would like to build hangars in possible ways to fund and getting proper approval. The airport does not plan on building any hangars at the present time.

Patrick gave an update on a possible private hangar to be built along the hangar next to Jerry Dales where NAU has their aircraft hangered. The hangar would be a 60’ x 50. Patrick also commented that the private hangar removal may be delayed.

Linda Rydstrom stated that WestJet is still planning on removing their hangars possibly by or in 2020.

Patrick Dame reported on future projects which include some unfinished ramp, terminal improvements in baggage handling and also work on the roadway entrance to the airport and the lagoon.

Patrick introduced Matt Whitelock the new airport deputy director. Matt gave an update on new badge revisions and reported on snow removal.

Milo brought up concerns about the snow removal in the terminal parking lot about impression it leaves for visitors and customers using the airport. Patrick said they would look into it.

Bert opened the floor for election of committee members. Milo, nominating chair, asked for nominations from the floor, and after no new names were entered, he recommend Jerry Mitchell, Bert Corwin and Les Mittleider be re-appointed. Milo made the motion and Gary Telkamp seconded the motion and vote taken and passed.

Dr. Bob Allen volunteered to stay after the meeting and discuss changes to the new medical standards that have been passed by the FAA.

Jerry Densmore stated that there will be FAST Safety meeting Feb. 25th at 9:00 am and will have representatives from Ellsworth and the Tower present for updates and questions.

Next meeting is set for May with the day to be determined.

Meeting was adjourned.

After the meeting Members voted on officers. Gary nominated Burt for chair and seconded by Milo, all voting aye. Milo motioned and second by Jerry for Craig Vice chair and all vote aye. Zane was nominated for Sec by Bert second by Milo and all voting aye.