



CITY OF RAPID CITY

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Legal & Finance Committee
FROM: Mayor Steve Allender 
DATE: September 27, 2017
SUBJECT: Appointment to Airport Board of Directors

PURPOSE:

Please confirm the new appointment of Darren Haar to the Rapid City Regional Airport Board of Directors. Vance Crocker submitted his resignation to the Board on September 6, 2017.

See appointment details below.

Name	Position	Expiration	Voting
Darren Haar	Board Member	5/1/2021	voting

CURRENT COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP:

Following is the current committee membership. The recent resignation has been *italicized*.

Name	Position	Expiration	Voting
<i>Vance Crocker</i>	<i>Board Member</i>	<i>05/01/2021</i>	<i>voting</i>
Michelle Thomson	Board Member	5/1/2020	voting
Ron Johnsen	Board Member	5/1/2019	voting
Shawn Gab	Board Member	5/1/2018	voting
William G. Eldridge	Board Member	5/1/2018	voting
Amanda Scott	Council Liaison	7/01/2018	non-voting



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Sent date: Monday, 18 September 2017 20:15

Citizen Interest Application

Submitted Results:

Subject: Citizen Interest Application

Name:: Darren Haar

Street Address: 3012 Palmer Drive

City, State, Zip Code: Rapid City

Phone Number:: 6054157535

Email:: darrenhaar@gmail.com

Title/Occupation:: Self Employed

Employer:: Self Employed

Employer Street Address:: 809 East Minnesota

Employer City, State, Zip Code:: Rapid City, SD, 57701

Employer Phone:: 605-415-7535

At which address would you prefer to be contacted?: Home

Ward:: 3

I would like to serve on the following: : Airport Board

Please list education or training relevant to your choice(s):: Engineering: Bachelor of Science Chemical Engineering, University of New Mexico, Magna Cum Laude
Business: Several years of DuPont Sponsored "On the Job Training": Leadership, Human Resource, Six-Sigma
Business: MBA Course work at Drexel University -- degree not completed
Ag Business: Harvard Business School Agribusiness Seminar

Please list work experience relevant to your choice(s):: Business: Managed \$1.5B Global Business at DuPont (Micro Circuit Materials)
Ag Business: Managed \$800M Global Ag Business (DuPont Solea Division -- Soy Protein and Soy Lecithin)
Investing: Chair, Black Hills Regional Angel Fund
Housing: Own and Manage about 1% of all housing in Rapid City
Banking: Advisory Board, First Interstate Bank

Please list community volunteer service relevant to your choice(s):: Economic Development: Economic Development Partnership Board Member
Economic Development: State of South Dakota EPSCOR Board Member
Education: Entrepreneur in Residence South Dakota School of Mines and Technology
Education: Rapid City School District STEAM Task Force Board Member
Social: Pennington County Drug and Alcohol Board Member

I would like to serve in the indicated position(s) because::

I am deeply committed to improving Rapid City's economic environment and educational environment (especially in the areas of math and science). The Rapid City Regional Airport is a critical resource in supporting the business, educational, and research efforts (SDSM&T and SURF) in our community. I believe that my business experience, volunteering activities, and extensive air travel history will give me a unique perspective to serve on the Airport Board.

Primary Reference Name::

David Lust

Primary Reference Phone::

605-391-1968

Secondary Reference Name::

Ben Snow

Secondary Reference Phone::

605-381-3910

Are you a registered voter of Rapid City?:

Yes

Are you a resident of Rapid City?::

Yes