

JAXEX Advisory Committee Meeting Summary

When: September 9, 2014

Time: 9:00 AM

Where: JAXEX Executive Conference Room

Committee Members and Attendees: List available upon request.

Tiffany Gillem, JAXEX Airport Manager, opened the meeting at 9:04 AM welcoming everyone and asking for each person to introduce him or herself, including which association/business they were representing.

Ms. Gillem introduced Laura Josephs, Director of Sales for Blue Sky Golf Club. She gave an overview of the public golf course and its recent renovations. They will have a Grand Opening this weekend. Memberships will be limited to 100. Daily rates will range from \$29 -\$39. The driving range will stay open as late as people still have golf balls to hit. Blue Sky Golf Club will try to have a future JAXEX Advisory Committee meeting in their meeting room. For any further questions, attendees were directed to visit their website at www.golfbluesky.com.

Debbie Jones gave the Jacksonville Aviation Authority (JAA) system update:

- 1) Southwest has pulled out of the Ft. Lauderdale market and Silver Airways and Jet Blue have added this market to their routes.
- 2) Jet Blue began nonstop to Ronald Reagan and DC.
- 3) JIA opened a new observation area at the end of Runway 14.
- 4) The courtyard has been remodeled with new rocking chairs, charging stations.
- 5) It is business as usual at Herlong Recreational Airport.
- 6) A new hangar is under construction at Cecil Airport for Flightstar, you may have read the article in the Business Journal. This will increase their capacity for business and create new jobs.
- 7) The Commercial Spaceflight Federation is holding their annual meeting in Jacksonville. Additionally, the JAA will be hosting their second Commercial Space Summit for commercial vehicle launch operators and others in the industry. The event is invitation only.

Ms. Gillem then provided the JAXEX update:

- 1) The airport tenant compliance program continues.
- 2) Wildlife sightings continue and a chart of the type and frequency of each species sighted was reviewed.
- 3) The Snoopy 1 Blimp will be at the airport next week.
- 4) The JAA has accepted proposals again for the Monument Road Landscaping. The numbers came back better this time. There is also a 'No Mow Zone' in place.
- 5) The Greater Arlington & Beaches CPAC had a presentation on COJ's Blight Campaign presented by Paul Martinez, Director of Intergovernmental Services that will be posted on the website. They have a new app where you can take a picture of a blighted area/sight and send it in without giving your personal information.



- 6) The security consortium meets once a month to maintain and improve access here at JAXEX. If you have any questions, please contact Michael Chan at a6t (904) 741-5061.
- 7) FDOT Roadwork and bridgework handouts were distributed.

Reminders:

- Minutes from the JAXEX Advisory Committee meetings are posted on the website.
- Participants are available to bring handouts or information that they want to share.

Ms. Gillem then opened the meeting up for input from the committee attendees.

Debbie Jones stated that on October 1st there will be a mass casualty drill at JIA and there will be a media advisory disseminated.

Paul Gerrety stated that the Clarion at JIA is under renovation and will now be a Doubletree Hilton hotel with a possible November reopening.

Tiffany Gillem stated she is hosting the Sandalwood High School Career Academy staff tomorrow to discuss a partnership and that in October they will be assisting Lone Star Elementary School with an evacuation drill.

Joyce Wesley stated that she appreciates the involvement and that she puts the information in her HOA newsletter. She feels it has sparked more involvement in her HOA.

Marshall Wood, Malone AirCharter commented that he continues to work on his own as a concerned citizen to get the runway extended at the airport. He is sponsoring a town hall forum on September 20th from 7:00 - 9:00 PM. Several City Council members will also be present.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

The next meeting is scheduled for October 14th at 9:00 AM.

Respectively Submitted,
Lara Hipps