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AIRPORT ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING AGENDA

Committee Members	Representing
Rodney Aiglstorfer	Powered Aircraft Community
Mike Cowan	Airport Commercial Community
Bill Driscoll	Community at Large
	Business Community
Bill Henderson	Business Community
Blayne Osborn	Community at Large
Laurie Ricardi	Soaring Community

Date: ***Monday June 20, 2016***
Time: **5:30 PM**
Place: **Douglas County Historic Courthouse (Administration Building)**
Committee of County Commission Chambers
1616 Eighth St., Minden, NV

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In order to ensure that every citizen desiring to speak before the Committee has the opportunity to express his/her opinion, it is requested that the audience refrain from making comments, hand clapping or making any remarks or gestures that may interrupt, interfere or prevent the speaker from commenting on any present or future project. Copies of supporting material for the agenda can be requested in person from Cathie Kite, Office Manager, 1146 Airport Road, Minden, Nevada or by calling 775-782-9871. During the public hearing, supporting materials can be viewed in the Public Information Binder located at the entrance to the meeting room.

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MISSION STATEMENT

We provide high quality airport services and facilities to support safe aeronautical services consistent with the rural character of our community. We focus on maintaining a self-sustaining airport that enhances economic vitality through innovative approaches and proven industry standards.

1. **Opening.** Call to Order by Committee Chairman, Bill Henderson

2. **Pledge of Allegiance.** Blayne Osborn

3. **Public Comment (No Action).** At this time, public comment will be taken on those items that are within the jurisdiction and control of the Committee or those agenda items where public comment will not be taken as a public hearing is not legally required. Public comment is limited to three minutes per speaker. If you are going to comment on a specific agenda item that the Committee will take action on, please make your comments when the Committee considers that item and the item is opened for public comment.

4. **Approval of Agenda. For possible action.** Approval of the proposed agenda. The Committee reserves the right to take items in a different order to accomplish business in the most efficient manner, to combine two or more agenda items for consideration, and to remove items from the agenda or delay discussion relating to items on the agenda.

5. **Approval of Previous Minutes. For possible action.** Approval of April 18, 2016 minutes. All current committee members were present at that meeting.

6. **Airport Advisory Committee Update. For discussion only, no action will be taken.**

   a. Low-cost infrastructure ideas for safer/cheaper glider operations at KMEV – Rodney Aiglstorfer
   Most of safety issues from the powered community as it relates to glider operations stem from the need for gliders and line crew to cross the active runways. Alternatively, much of the cost overhead for the glider operation stems from the need to maintain ground support to reposition and ferry glider pilots across the active runways. During this discussion, ideas will be presented for low-cost infrastructure to enable the glider operators to reduce the need and frequency of runway crossings during their peak season.

   b. Use of "mobile" tower during peak hours and seasons – Rodney Aiglstorfer
   An additional area of concern for the powered community is the desire for some degree of tower support. During this discussion, ideas will be presented and the pros and cons reviewed, for the use of a "mobile" tower solution as an interim solution until such a time as a more permanent solution is available.

10. **Staff Update. For presentation only.** The following updates will be presented:
    a. A.J. Frels departure
    b. Collings Foundation event
    c. Marine Training Project
    d. Master Plan update
    e. Lighting project update
    f. Fencing project update
    g. East Side utilities update
    h. Wildlife Hazard Assessment

11. **Final Public Comments (No Action).** Discussion only on matters that were not on the agenda and are within the jurisdiction and control of the Committee. No action can be taken.

12. **Adjourn.**

Note: A quorum of the Board of County Commissioners may be present at this meeting to observe the proceedings. The County Commissioners are prohibited from deliberating towards or making any decisions at this meeting.