

**AVIATION COUNCIL OF ALABAMA**  
**Meeting May 16, 2012**  
**Montgomery Airport**

Art Morris call the meeting to order at 10:05 AM

Members Present:

Terry Capps   Jerry Cofield   Menzo Driskell   Art Morris   Russ Kilgore  
Rick Tucker   Stephanie Blankenship   Kevin Vanderburg   Fred Sington  
Billy Singleton   Ray Miller

Members Absent:

Luanne Hayes   Ro Lewis   Bill Hutto   Phil Perry   Bill Sisson   Buzz Sawyer  
Wayne Cameron

Motion to approve minutes of April 18, 2012:

Motion- Ray Miller / Second- Fred Sington

Motion to approve treasurer's report:

Motion- Fred Sington / Second- Menzo Driskell

Old Business:

Alabama Sectional Chart was discussed. No word yet from Rori on design work. A copy of the PDF file will be emailed to board members before printing for any comments or changes. A copy will be hand delivered to Ray Miller his PDF does not work.

HB 602 was discussed. The bill did not come out of committee. Legislative session is over Friday. HB 699 takes effect October, 2012. ALDOT Aeronautics Bureau will have control of all proceeds

New Business:

Russ reported that Buzz Sawyer was inducted into the Murphy High School Hall of Fame.

No ALDOT Report

No President's Report

Executive Directors Report:

Stephanie reported that she will be going next week to the AAAE. June 3<sup>rd</sup> she is leaving for China for 2 weeks with 12 members from Troy and EDC.

Luanne Hayes is working a new job and will not be able to stay on the board next year. Terry Capps term is up this year also.

The conference in Auburn is all set. Stephanie is working on a program for Sunday night for those who will be arriving early. Monday morning Auburn will have the eagle available for those to see it. The Raptor Center group will speak at the lunch meeting Monday. The Monday night reception will be held at the Auburn airport, Aubie will be there to have his picture made with Fred Sington. The speaker for Tuesday night will be Bryan Townsend. The spouses program is being put together and will include lunch and a trip to the Opelika area.

Stephanie reported that she will be sending out next month information on the hotel reservations, sponsorship information and proposals for the 2013 conference. The 2013 conference date is September 16-18, 2013.

The next meeting will be at the Dothan Airport on Wednesday June 20<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 AM. Art will send emails to board members of motels in the area.

Motion to Adjourn

Motion- Menzo Driskell Second- Kevin Vanderburg Motion passed.

Respectfully submitted,

Terry M. Capps