



MEMORANDUM

City of Venice

Airport

TO: Ed Lavallee, City Manager

THROUGH: Wendy Keller, Airport Property & Grants Manager

FROM: Mark J. Cervasio, Airport Director

DATE: May 6, 2021

COUNCIL APPROVAL: Yes

MEETING DATE: May 25, 2021

STRATEGIC PLAN GOAL: Upgrade and Maintain City Infrastructure and Facilities

SUBJECT: Approval to submit an Application for Federal Assistance to the FAA and accept a Grant Offer to Construct the Extension of Taxiway E at Venice Municipal Airport in the amount of \$2,109,737.14

Background: This project will reduce runway occupancy time and enhance safety by eliminating the need for aircraft arriving on Runway 23 to back-taxi on Runway 5-23 to get to the FBO and will eliminate congestion on Taxiway C for larger aircraft. In addition, this project will encourage the use of Runway 5-23 for noise mitigation.

This project is for the construction phase of the project only (a separate grant for the design phase was accepted on August 3, 2020). The estimated cost for this project is \$2,109,737.14 with FAA participation at 100% (\$2,109,737.14). The Airport Fund will be responsible for \$0.

Upon acceptance of the grant funds, the Airport will direct our professional engineers, American Infrastructure Inc., to provide CA Services and Hanson Professional, Inc. to provide Full Time Inspection and Quality Assurance Testing services for the Taxiway extension project.

Requested Action: Staff requests approval to submit an Application for Federal Assistance to the FAA and accept a grant offer to construct the Extension of Taxiway E.

If for an agenda item, this document and any associated backup created by City of Venice staff has been reviewed for ADA compliance: Yes

City Attorney Review/Approved: Yes

Risk Management Review: Yes

Finance Department Review/Approved: Yes

Funds Availability (account number): 401-0970-542.63-00

ORIGINAL(S) ATTACHED: Application for Federal Assistance

Cc: N/A