



## MEMORANDUM TO VENICE CITY COUNCIL

**THROUGH CHARTER OFFICER:** Edward Lavallee, City Manager

**E-SIGN:**

**FROM:** Mark Cervasio, Airport Director

**DEPARTMENT:** Airport Director

**DATE:** 5/12/23

**MEETING DATE:** May 23, 2023

**SUBJECT / TOPIC:** Authorizing the City of Venice, Florida to submit an Application for Federal Assistance to the FAA and accept a Grant Offer to Design a new Terminal/Administration Building at the Venice Municipal Airport in the amount of \$300,000.00

### BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The existing Airport terminal/administration building was built approximately forty years ago and has exceeded its life expectancy and does not meet ADA requirements. The cost of continuous repairs and maintenance has been prohibitively high. The City approached the FAA and FDOT for funding assistance and was successful in getting FAA funding under the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) for \$300,000 towards the design of this project. Venice is one of only ten (10) General Aviation airports in the nation to be offered a grant under this funding.

The design and permitting costs for this project are estimated at \$360,280. FDOT is also participating in the design phase and will provide \$48,224 as matching funds. The remaining \$12,056 will be funded by the Airport. FDOT has also issued a grant to the City for the construction of this project for a total amount of \$3,040,000. Due to uncertainties with the construction costs, FDOT has also programmed an additional \$500,000 of funding for the next two (2) consecutive years to ensure funding availability for this project.

**SUPPORTS STRATEGIC PLAN:** Goal Four: Upgrade and Maintain City Infrastructure and Facilities

**COUNCIL ACTION REQUESTED:** For Council Adoption by Motion

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | City Attorney Reviewed/Approval  |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Risk Management Review   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Finance Department Review/Approval                                       |
|                                     |                                     | Funds Availability (account number):                                     |

