



**City of Venice
City Manager's Report
Agenda Item Request**

DATE: June 7, 2017

TO: Ed Lavallee, City Manager

FROM: Mark J. Cervasio, Airport Director 

CITY COUNCIL MEETING DATE: June 13, 2017

SUBJECT: Approval of Interlocal Agreement between Sarasota County and the City of Venice Regarding Airport Zoning Regulations, Chapter 333, Florida Statutes

Background:

In the interest of public health, public safety and general welfare to prevent airport hazards and incompatible land uses, effective July 1, 2016, the Florida Legislature amended Florida Statute 333, Airport Zoning (F.S. 333). The amended statute impacts the airport zoning regulations of almost all airport zoning authorities and requires amendments to existing regulations by July 1, 2017.

One requirement of F.S. 333 is that every political subdivision having an airport hazard area (any area where an airport hazard/obstruction might be established) within its territorial limits shall adopt, administer, and enforce in the manner and conditions prescribed in F.S. 333, airport protection zoning regulations. Since the airport hazard area for Venice Municipal Airport extends beyond the limits of the City of Venice, an agreement with Sarasota County is required in order to ensure that airport protection zoning regulations are developed, administered and enforced in compliance with F.S. 333.

City Attorney:

The City Attorney's office has reviewed and approved the proposed agreement.

Requested Action:

Staff requests City Council adoption and authorization for the Mayor to execute the Interlocal Agreement between Sarasota County and the City of Venice regarding Airport Zoning Regulations, Chapter 333, Florida Statutes.

Attachments:

Interlocal Agreement
Chapter 333 Florida Statutes, Airport Zoning