

TO: Members of the Physical Facilities Committee
FR: Jay Wasson, Vice President for Physical Facilities and Chief Public Safety Officer
DATE: May 30, 2023
RE: Approval to Plan, Finance, Construct and Award Construction Contracts for Runway 5-23 Rehabilitation

Attachments:

- Resolution

Project Description:

- This project will repave runway 5-23 at the Purdue University Airport adjacent to the West Lafayette campus.
- A small connector taxiway will be relocated and reconstructed, and a second taxiway that is no longer used will be eliminated.
- Project delivery method: Design Bid Build
- Construction contract award: September 2023
- Construction start: May 2024
- Construction completion: June 2024

Project Benefits:

- The Federal Aviation Administration supports the prioritization and completion of this project and is awarding grant funding to cover the majority of the total project cost.
- The reconstructed and relocated connector taxiway will improve airport safety by allowing more distance for aircraft to land and turn.
- The continued maintenance and operation of runway 5-23 supports students in Purdue's School of Aviation and Transportation Technology and allows the airport to continue its current level of operation.

Project Cost and Funding:

- Estimated Total Project Cost: \$3,600,000
- Sources of Funds:
 - Gift Funds: \$3,147,625
 - Operating Funds – Reserves: \$452,375

c: Chairman Mike Berghoff
President Mung Chiang
Treasurer Chris Ruhl
Provost Patrick Wolfe
Corporate Secretary Cindy Ream
General Counsel Steve Schultz

Resolution Concerning Runway 5-23 Rehabilitation

Resolved, By the Physical Facilities Committee of the Board of Trustees of The Trustees of Purdue University (the “Corporation”), as follows:

1. The Physical Facilities Committee (the “Committee”) hereby finds that a necessity exists for the planning, financing and construction as well as for the awarding of one or more contracts for the completion of the project identified as “Runway 5-23 Rehabilitation” at the Purdue University West Lafayette Campus (the “Project”).
2. In order to provide funds with which to accomplish this Project, the Treasurer of The Trustees of Purdue University is hereby authorized to use Gift Funds in the amount of \$3,147,625 and Operating Funds – Reserves in the amount of \$452,375, for a total of \$3,600,000 (the “Authorized Cost Level”).
3. For purposes of Article VII, Section 1(c) of the Bylaws, no change orders in connection with any of the above-referenced contracts shall require further Board or Committee authorization and approval unless and until such a change order, together with all other change orders previously authorized, approved and executed by the Treasurer, causes the aggregate amount of expenditures incurred under such contracts to exceed the Authorized Cost Level for this project (it being understood that any change order or any other action that would cause such Authorized Cost Level to be exceeded must, before it is given effect, receive the express prior approval of the Committee and the Board).
4. The Committee authorizes and directs the Treasurer of the Corporation to select, retain and contract with an architectural/engineering firm to provide planning services for such amount and on such terms as he in his sole discretion shall deem to be in the best interest of Purdue University.
5. The Treasurer of the Corporation be, and hereby is, further authorized and empowered to delegate to one or more officers and representatives of the Corporation or of Purdue University such tasks and responsibilities with respect to the completion of the Project as he, in his sole discretion, shall deem to be in the best interests of the Corporation and Purdue University and consistent with the exercise of the authority granted above.
6. The Chairman, Vice Chairman, Treasurer, Assistant Treasurer, General Counsel, Deputy General Counsel, Secretary and Assistant Secretary of the Corporation, and the Treasurer and Chief Financial Officer and the Vice President and Assistant Treasurer of Purdue University, and each of said officers respectively, are hereby authorized and empowered for, on behalf and in the name of the Corporation, or of Purdue University, to: (a) request the necessary approvals of the Governor and the Budget Agency and all other necessary governmental approvals for the actions hereinabove authorized; and (b) take all other necessary and proper actions to carry out the purpose and intent of this Resolution, whether herein specifically authorized or not, except such actions as are specifically required by law to be taken by the Board of Trustees as the governing board of the Corporation.