



City of Denton

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AGENDA INFORMATION SHEET

DEPARTMENT: Denton Enterprise Airport

ACM: Frank Dixon

DATE: August 13, 2025

SUBJECT

Receive a report, hold a discussion, and provide recommendation to City Council regarding the approval of a resolution authorizing the City Manager to sign a Memorandum of Understanding with the City of Arlington, City of Fort Worth, Dallas Fort Worth International Airport, Perot Field, and the City of Mineral Wells regarding the development of an airport coalition of take-off and landing locations for electric vertical take-off and landing (eVTOL) vehicles; providing an effective date.

BACKGROUND

The purpose of this MOU is to collaboratively explore the creation of a regional airport coalition of take-off and landing locations, including vertiports and helipads, to support the emerging eVTOL vehicle industry. The MOU involves the City of Arlington, City of Fort Worth, Dallas Fort Worth International Airport, Perot Field, and Dallas Airport System. The collaboration aims to position the DFW region as a global leader in the Advanced Air Mobility (AAM) sector by promoting innovation, investment, and workforce development.

Key points include:

- Advances in aviation technology, such as eVTOL vehicles, necessitate the development of dedicated infrastructure.
- The DFW region's robust transportation infrastructure and central geographic location make it ideal for AAM adoption.
- Collaboration among local governments, airport authorities, and stakeholders is critical for coordinated infrastructure development and regulatory compliance.
- Attracting OEMs to the region will enhance leadership in the AAM sector and provide opportunities for technology deployment and commercialization.

The other parties will sign the MOU after the City of Denton

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Airport Staff recommends approval of the Resolution (**Exhibit 3**).

FISCAL INFORMATION

There are no immediate fiscal impacts associated with this MOU as it is non-binding and does not create any legally enforceable rights or obligations, including any monetary obligation.

EXHIBITS

1. Agenda Information Sheet
2. Resolution
3. Memorandum of Understanding

Respectfully submitted:
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Airport Director