

## RESOLUTION OF THE HAMMOND CITY COUNCIL

*A resolution (1) supporting the submission of a \$150,000 grant application to the Delta Regional Authority for improvements to the Air Traffic Control Tower at Hammond Northshore Regional Airport; and (2) supporting a match of \$253,333 in State Capital Outlay and local funds.*

**WHEREAS**, the mission of the Delta Regional Authority (DRA), a federal-state partnership, is to improve economic opportunity in the Delta Region by helping to create jobs, build communities, and improve the lives of the 10 million people who reside in the Delta's 8 states and 252 counties/parishes;

**WHEREAS**, in support of this mission, the DRA has created a States' Economic Development Assistance Program (SEDAP) to improve public and transportation infrastructures, encourage business development, and facilitate workforce development;

**WHEREAS**, the City of Hammond, a Delta city, is eligible and desires to apply for \$150,000 in SEDAP funds to improve the transportation infrastructure that is the Air Traffic Control Tower at Hammond Northshore Regional Airport; and

**WHEREAS**, for these improvements, the City has been awarded \$190,000 in State Capital Outlay funds and has set aside \$63,333 in local funds that may be leveraged to match SEDAP funds.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE CITY OF HAMMOND HEREBY

1. supports the submission of a \$150,000 grant application to the Delta Regional Authority for improvements to the Air Traffic Control Tower at Hammond Northshore Regional Airport; and
2. supports a match of \$253,333 in State Capital Outlay and local funds.

Approved and adopted this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

I, the undersigned Clerk of the Council, hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted by the Hammond City Council with the following roll call vote:

Yeas: \_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_

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Tonia Banks  
Hammond City Council Clerk

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Mike Williams  
Hammond City Council President