



SMALL TOWN, BIG BEACH

COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

DATE: May 20, 2020

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Scott B. Fuller, Airport Authority Manager

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ISSUE: Authorize Mayor and City Clerk to execute FAA Grant Agreement for the Construction of an Air Traffic Control Tower Facility by ratifying and confirming the Authority's application, acceptance and execution of FAA Grant Agreement (03-01-0090-034-2020) in the amount of \$5,374,830.00

BACKGROUND: This is to proceed with the construction of an air traffic control tower facility for the Jack Edwards National Airport. In order to expedite delivery of this grant, the FAA has requested that the City and Authority gain pre-approval for execution of the grant agreement based on the application attached.

Since the City of Gulf Shores is the underlying owner of the airport property, City ratification is required on all federal grant agreements for the airport. There are no obligations for the City other than those already imposed on it by the original transfer agreement from the federal government to the City under the federal surplus properties act.

RECOMMENDATION: Request Council authorize, ratify and confirm execution of FAA Grant Agreement (03-01-0090-34-2019).

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION: None. Authority to approve at their May 26, 2020 meeting.

BUDGET IMPLICATIONS: FAA is funding 100% of project. No Authority or City financial obligations

RELATED ISSUES: None

ATTACHMENTS: Grant Application (03-01-0090-34-2019)
Authority Resolution 769-20

DEPARTMENT: Airport Authority

STAFF CONTACT: Scott Fuller