



CITY OF CONCORD
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Community Development Department

REPORT TO THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL

FROM: Carlos P. Baía, Deputy City Manager for Development
DATE: November 20, 2020
SUBJECT: Resolution accepting and appropriating \$30,000 in CARES act funding for operations and maintenance of the Concord Municipal Airport

Recommendation

Accept this report and approve the attached resolution.

Background

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act was passed by Congress and signed into law by President Trump on March 27th, 2020. Title XII of Division B of the CARES Act provides approximately \$10 billion to support U.S. airports experiencing severe economic disruption caused by the COVID-19 public health emergency.

Earlier this year, the City of Concord was informed that it was eligible to receive \$30,000 in CARES Act funding for the general operations and maintenance of the Concord Municipal Airport for expenses incurred since January 20, 2020. There is no match requirement with this grant. City Council was notified of the City Manager's application to receive these funds as part of its May 11, 2020 Council agenda.

These funds are administered by the NH Department of Transportation Bureau of Aeronautics on behalf of the CARES act.

Discussion

The City has since been awarded these dollars and has until May 25, 2024 to seek reimbursement for eligible expenses. The Airport will use these funds for repairs & maintenance, building supplies and professional service expenses.

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1. Appropriating resolution