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Meeting Date: 02/10/26

Augusta Regional Airport (AGS) – Masters® 2026 Van Rentals

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- Department:** Augusta Regional Airport (AGS)
- Presenter:** Herbert L. Judon, Jr., Airport Executive Director
- Caption:** Augusta Regional Airport (AGS) – Motion to approve a standard car rental agreement with Avis / Budget Car Rental in an amount not to exceed \$48,083.80 for 2026 Masters®. This item was approved during the January 29, 2026, Augusta Aviation Commission Meeting.
- Background:** Due to an increase in aircraft traffic during Masters® Week, the Airport deactivates Runway 8/26 and parallel Taxiway E to accommodate the influx of aircraft. Since 2015, the Airport has provided courtesy shuttle service for guests to and from the remote area and the General Aviation facility. To support this operation, multiple large-capacity passenger vans are required to transport guests safely and efficiently.
- Analysis:** Four (4) informal quotes were obtained for the rental of twenty (20) passenger vans. Avis / Budget provided the lowest cost at \$48,083.80, which is a 45% decrease from the previous year's cost. Additionally, we received approval from the Augusta-Richmond County Administrator and Risk Management to coordinate with other city departments to secure additional vans to be used at AGS during Masters® week.
- Financial Impact:** FY 2026 Budget includes the rental of twenty (20) passenger vans to support 2026 Masters® Operation.  
To be paid by Airport Enterprise Funds.
- Alternatives:** N/A

**Recommendation:** Approve a standard car rental agreement with Avis / Budget Car Rental in an amount not to exceed \$48,083.80 for 2026 Masters®.

**Funds are available in the following accounts:** 551081106-5311115

**REVIEWED AND APPROVED BY:** N/A