

Watertown Airport Commission
1741 River Drive, Watertown, WI 53094 (920) 261-4567
Meeting Minutes from Wednesday, April 8th, 2026

Attendance:

Alderman Bob Wetzel	Present
Dr. Terry Turke	Present
Tom Finnel	Present
Sean Lapp	Present
Jeff Baum, Airport Manager	Present
Tom Klug	Present
Tom Hahn	Present
Eric Wegner	Present

Others:

Krys Brown, Wisconsin Aviation – Present
Robert Stocks – Mayor of Watertown
Jeremy Roberts – MSA Engineering

1. Terry Turke called the meeting to order at 5:15 PM.
2. A motion to approve the minutes from March 11th was made by Tom Klug and seconded by Eric Wegner. Motion carried.
3. A motion to approve the March bills in the amount of \$4,834.35 was made by Bob Wetzel and seconded by Sean Lapp. Motion carried.
4. Managers' Report:
 - Reviewed: The Monthly Airport Use report.
 - EAA Chapter announced some upcoming events.
 - The EAA hangar has a hangar door coming in about 10 weeks. Brad Grooms has a partial poured hangar floor with in-floor heat and will be starting the build within the next month.
 - The Vietnam Veterans Memorial Wall – Krys is on the committee for their upcoming dedication opening on May 25th at 3PM. They will have shuttle buses, busing people in from various locations including the airport. They expect a lot of people and are hoping for a dry event.
5. Old Business:
 - Review: Runway 23/05 reconstruction project – The Bureau has sent out an advertisement to bid on the Design work needed to be submitted by May 13th.
 - Looking for alternatives designs for the Stormwater plan which will eliminate birds.
 - Review and Take action: On both the UPS and Holtz parking lots for renewal of renting the space for parking.
 - Review: Continue to discuss & prioritize possible Airport Improvements
6. Adjournment:
 - There being no further discussion, a motion for adjournment was made by Tom Klug and seconded by Tom Hahn.

Respectfully submitted by: Krys Brown

Minutes are submitted unapproved