

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE GRANT  
AGREEMENT FOR FEDERAL FUNDING OF THE AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL TOWER DESIGN  
– PHASE 2 PROJECT AT THE MANKATO AIRPORT**

**WHEREAS;** the City of Mankato is the sponsor of the Mankato Regional Airport; and

**WHEREAS;** The City Council accepted on February 10, 2025, an EXP proposal to provide professional Architectural and Engineering Services to the City for the design of the New Federal Contract Air Traffic Control Tower at the Mankato Airport. The proposal for the work in the amount of \$2,622,909.00 is contingent upon funding availability. This grant funds the remaining portion of the design work totaling \$1,711,109.41; and

**WHEREAS;** The City of Mankato formed a Reimbursable Agreement with the FAA authorizing \$40,682.52 for administration expenses associated with the establishment of telephone services for the Air Traffic Control Tower; and

**WHEREAS;** the federal grant is in the amount of \$1,664,202.00 from the FAA Airport Improvement Program; and

**WHEREAS;** FAA provides 95% of the federally eligible project expenses, Minnesota Department of Transportation provides 2.5% and local funds provide 2.5%; and

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MANKATO, MINNESOTA** that the City Manager is authorized to accept Airport Improvement Program funding of \$1,664,202 for federally eligible project expenses in Phase 2 of the Air Traffic Control Tower Design Project.

This resolution shall become effective upon passage without further publication.

**CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution is a true and correct copy of the resolution presented to and adopted by the City Council of the City of Mankato at a duly authorized meeting held on September 8, 2025.

Adopted this 8th day of September 2025.

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Najwa Massad, Mayor

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
Renae Kopischke, MMC  
City Clerk