

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS: There have been two bird strikes on aircraft departing ABIA within the last nine months causing significant damage to the aircraft; and

WHEREAS: There is pilot and citizen group concern that the two landfills within 5 miles of ABIA may be contributing to the bird strike problem; and

WHEREAS: The following groups have made presentations and briefed the AUSTIN AIRPORT ADVISORY COMMISSION concerning the above issues.

1. Texas campaign for the Environment
2. Texas Aviation Association
3. IESI TX Corporation
4. ABIA staff

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: that Chair Riddering appoint a subcommittee of three (3) from the members of the Austin Airport Advisory Commission to study the issues stated above; and

THEREFORE BE IT FUTHER RESOLVED that the sub committee hold a Public Hearing to discuss the issue.

AND THEREFORE BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED: that the sub committee report back to the Austin Airport Advisory Commission within 60 days with a recommendation and or resolution concerning the bird strikes and landfills.

PASSED AND APPROVED ON THE 8th DAY OF AUGUST, 2006.

Hannah Riddering
Chairperson