BOISE AIRPORT COMMISSION MEETING
October 7, 2026

The Boise Airport Commission meeting was held in the Boise River Room.

BOI Staff Present: Kurtis Sorenson; Trevor Carter; Justin Hooper; JD Lewelling; Adam Oliver; Hannah Jahn; Lindsey Hudson; Kelly Burrows; Renee New; Jennifer Kronberg; Shawna Samuelson; Michael Crane; Nate Vogel; Beth Sumner; Sean Briggs; Markus Green.

Others Present: Laura Taylor; Dan Barton, Steve Domino, Intervistas; Ben Hruby, Boise Flight Deals; Tara Sterling, Tia Crabtree, Paradies; Chris Flourney, Jacobs; Jeff Jackson, Brett Poore, Jackson Jet Center; Daniel Forbes, Forbes Aviation; Jennifer Schildgen, FAA Helena ADO; Kirsten Berger, COB HR; Erik Hamilton, The Car Park; Mary Hughes; Jarod Norton, Ardurra.

I. Roll Call
Commission Members Present: Boesiger; Carson; Hughes; Gen. Smith; Vasconcellos; Westerberg. Morales (via Zoom)

Commission Members Absent: Cunningham

II. Approval of Minutes – September 2, 2026, Airport Commission Meeting
Westerberg moved the minutes be approved as written; Vasconcellos seconded, all in favor.

III. Unfinished Business
There were no previously deferred items for discussion.

IV. Reports

A. Airport Director's Report

BOI Updates/ Financials - Kathleen Watkins (interim Director)
Ms. Watkins presented the BOI Updates and the financials. There were no comments or questions.

Parking/Facilities – Sean Briggs
Mr. Briggs presented the Parking and facilities update. There were no comments or questions.

Construction Update – Beth Sumner
Ms. Sumner presented the construction update. There were no comments or questions.

B. Commissioner Comments

Mr. Westerberg raised concerns regarding the incident involving a single-engine aircraft that delayed arrivals and departures and required the Airport to divert flights. He asked whether a plan is in place to address similar situations in the future.

Several Commissioners shared updates on their travel and activities over the past month. Ms. Hughes provided an update on her participation in the art selection committee and the master plan committee, noting that it was exciting to see the process unfold. Ms. Boesiger reported that more than 250 people attended the Girls in Aviation event.

The Commission congratulated several employees on their promotions and expressed appreciation to the custodial staff for their continued hard work and contributions.

C. Airport Staff Report – Boise Master Plan Update – Beth Sumner, Steve Domino

Ms. Sumner introduced Steve Domino of InterVISTAS, who is working with the Airport on the Master Plan. Mr. Domino provided a brief overview of the Master Plan process.

The Commission and Mr. Domino discussed future runway planning, rental car growth, potential six-month delays in FAA approvals, the Airport Zone, and planning forecasts compared with those developed during the previous Master Plan.

V. Public Comment – Questions & Comments

Laura Taylor, a representative of the Surprise Valley Neighborhood, addressed the Commission and thanked them for listening to the neighborhood's concerns over the past year. She also thanked Mr. Vogel for assisting her with the process of submitting a request for the RNAV.

Ben Hruby, representing Boise Flight Deals, addressed the Commission and provided an overview of the services offered through his website. He asked whether any activities were planned to recognize inaugural flights and whether the Airport has an Instagram account. Airport staff will follow up on his questions.

VI. Adjournment