

At a Regular Meeting of the Common Council of the City of  
the City of Plattsburgh, New York, held MAY 13th, 1949.

PRESENT: Mayor Davies, Aldermen Holland, LeClair, Villoni, Croteau, Ryan and Cardi.

ABSENT: None.

By Alderman Cardi;                      Seconded by Alderman LeClair:

LOCAL LAW NO. 34 OF 1949

ENTITLED AN ACT adding Title 5B to Chapter 269 of the Laws  
of 1902 and in this instance providing for the continuation of the  
Municipal Airport Commission; said title to consist of Sections  
70-a, 70-b, 70-c, 70-d, 70-e and 70-f.

BE IT ENACTED by the Mayor and the Common Council of the City  
of Plattsburgh, New York, as follows:

Section 1. Title 5B of Chapter 269 of the Laws of 1902 and con-  
sisting of sections 70a, 70b, 70c, 70e and 70f are hereby added to  
Chapter 269 of the Laws of 1902, the same being "Entitled an act  
to incorporate the City of Plattsburgh", said sections to read as  
follows:

Section 70-a. Membership. A Municipal Airport Comm-  
ission is hereby continued. It shall consist of seven mem-  
bers, one whom shall be the Mayor and the others shall be  
appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the Common Council.  
The majority of the members of the Commission, present at  
any meeting, shall constitute a quorum for the transaction  
of business.

Section 70-b. Term of Office. Except for the Mayor whose  
term of office as a member of the Municipal Airport Comm-  
ission shall expire with his term of office as Mayor, the  
other members of said Commission shall be appointed for a  
term of three years, excepting further that the term of  
the members appointed on the establishment of the Municipal  
Airport Commission shall be two for one year; two for two  
years and two for three years, the date of the initial app-  
ointment being as of September 8, 1949.

In the event of a vacacny caused by resignation or other-  
wise an appointment shall be made for the unexpired portion  
of the term.

Section 70-C. Powers and Duties.- All records pertaining to and properties of the Plattsburgh Municipal Airport are hereby transferred to the possession and control of the Municipal Airport Commission. The Commission shall have the power to control, manage, conduct and supervise the premises and buildings now owned or existing or which may be acquired or erected hereafter by the City for Airport purposes.

Within the limitations of appropriations contained in the annual budget, it shall have the power to defray such incidental expenses as may be incurred in the management and operation of the Airport and its properties, and to make such repairs to the premises and buildings as may be necessary, and for that purpose to enter into agreements for the performance of the labor and furnishing of the materials necessary to effect such repairs.

Subject to the approval of the Common Council, it shall have the power to adopt such regulations and establish such fees and charges incidental to the use of said Airport; to negotiate agreements or leases for a term of years for the use of the Airport and any or all of the buildings and other property thereon; said agreements or leases to be executed by the Mayor; to determine the terms, stipulations, rentals, and all other matters relating to such agreements or leases, provided, however, that such agreements or leases, shall comply with the laws of the State of New York applicable thereto; to prepare or cause to be prepared, plans and specifications and to negotiate contracts for the construction of buildings, additions to existing buildings, or alterations thereto which may be necessary for the efficient use and operation of the Airport, said contracts to be executed by the Mayor.

Section 70-D. Municipal Airport Appropriations. The Common Council shall raise by tax or otherwise in each year such sum as it shall in its opinion and the opinion of the Municipal Airport Commission may be necessary for the successful management, control and operation of the Municipal Airport. Such sum shall be included in the annual City Budget and shall be known as the Municipal Airport Appropriation.

Section 70-E. Payment of Moneys. The moneys raised by taxation or otherwise as provided in the preceding section shall be deposited by the City Chamberlain in the Municipal Airport Appropriation, and said money shall be paid out by the Chamberlain upon warrants authorized by the Mayor and countersigned by the Clerk. Warrants for the payment of fixed salaries shall be issued and delivered without previous audit by the Common Council as required in the case of all claims.

Section 70f. Books and Reports. The Municipal Airport Commission shall elect one of its members Chairman and shall have the power to appoint a Secretary. The Secretary shall be charged with the duties of keeping adequate books in which he shall record the minutes of all meetings of the Commission; an accurate account of all receipts and expenditures and upon request by the Mayor or Common Council, shall furnish such information in writing concerning its business and affairs and the property under its management and control as may be required by the Mayor or Common Council.

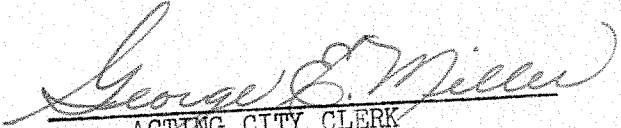
All books, records, vouchers, contracts, leases or other papers kept by said Commission shall be deemed to be public records.

Section 2. Laws Repealed. Local Law No. 13 of 1944 is hereby repealed and all other acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.


Section 3. Time of Taking Effect. This act shall take effect after public hearing and approval by the Mayor.

On roll call, Aldermen Holland, LeClair, Villoni, Croteau, Ryan and Cardi voted in the affirmative; no one in the negative, CARRIED.

The foregoing Local Law certified to the Mayor this 16th day of May, 1949.

  
ACTING CITY CLERK

The foregoing Local Law is hereby approved after Public Hearing held this 24th day of May, 1949.

  
MAYOR

(SEAL)

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