TITLE 25. OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF AEROSPACE AND AERONAUTICS CHAPTER 15. AIRPORT CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

25:15-1-2. Definitions [AMENDED]

25:15-1-3. Planning [AMENDED]

25:15-1-4. Programming Implementation Airport Grant and Loan Program Requirements and Procedures [AMENDED]

25:15-1-5. Airport Compliance [AMENDED]

SUMMARY:

The proposed permanent rules are necessary to address funding and other program requirements implemented by items passed during the 2024 Legislative Session. Refurbishment, remodel, and expansion of a terminal building and refurbishment of a sponsor owned hangar have been added as acceptable rehabilitation projects under the airport construction program with new construction or complete reconstruction of an existing terminal building considered eligible for funding and state level and sponsor match requirements identified. Selection criteria for hangar construction projects has been modified to include that an airport sponsor must demonstrate an acceptable plan on how they will advertise for available hangar space once constructed. Maximum state level participation on fuel system projects was increased and the requirement that they be in new condition and in compliance with local procurement procedures was added. Airport compliance was modified to reference terms and conditions and definitions were clarified on non-primary entitlement funds and project sketch.

AUTHORITY:

3 O.S. Section 85; Oklahoma Department of Aerospace and Aeronautics **COMMENT PERIOD:**

Persons wishing to present their views in writing may do so from December 16, 2024, through January 19, 2025, at the following address: Oklahoma Department of Aerospace and Aeronautics, 110 N Robinson Ave, Suite 200, Oklahoma City, OK 73102, or by email to michelle.bouziden@aerospace.ok.gov.

PUBLIC HEARING:

A public hearing will be held at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, January 21, 2025, at the Oklahoma Department of Aerospace and Aeronautics, 110 N. Robinson Ave., Oklahoma City, OK 73102. Anyone who wishes to speak must sign in at the door by 9:05 a.m.

REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

N/A

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

Copies of proposed rules may be obtained from the Oklahoma Department of Aerospace and Aeronautics, 110 N Robinson Ave, Suite 200, Oklahoma City, OK 73102. The proposed rules will also be available on the ODAA's website at https://oklahoma.gov/aerospace.

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

Pursuant to 3 O.S. Section 85, a rule impact statement will be prepared and may be obtained from the Oklahoma Department of Aerospace and Aeronautics at the above address beginning Monday, December 30, 2024. **CONTACT PERSON:**

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