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SOUTH CAROLINA AERONAUTICS COMMISSSION MEETING WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 3, 2025

Commission Members in Attendance (VIA Zoom)

Aeronautics Staff in Attendance

Delphin Gantt, Jr., Chairman
Denise Bryan, C.M., District 2
Skeets Cooper, District 3
Terry Connorton, District 4
Chad McGowan, District 5
Marco Cavazzoni, District 6
Chris Bethea, District 7
Jim Hamilton, Commissioner Emeritus
Bud Coward, Commissioner Emeritus

Gary Siegfried, Executive Director

Welcome & Call to Order

Chairman Gantt called the meeting to order approximately at 8:45 a.m., welcomed everyone, and announced a quorum in attendance.

Invocation and Introductions

The invocation was given by Chairman Gantt. Following the invocation, Chairman Gantt spent a few minutes giving a brief commentary on the interview process for the Executive Director position. Because this is a personnel matter, formal discussions will take place in executive session.

Chairman Gantt reminded Commissioners in attendance that they cannot discuss or divulge information shared during executive session with anyone outside the discussion. Doing so would be a violation of state law.

Chairman Gantt presented a motion to enter into executive session to interview applicants for the Executive Director position. Commissioner Bethea seconded the motion, and it was passed with unanimous consent.

The Commission entered executive session.

Return from Executive Session

Following executive session, Commissioner Bethea made a motion to return the Commission to regular session. Commissioner Cavazzoni seconded the motion, and it was passed with unanimous consent.

Chairman Gantt stated that there was no formal action that needed to be taken, and the Commission will continue moving forward with the interview process for the Executive Director, with the next interview being on September 12th.

Adjournment

There being no further business, a motion was made by Chairman Gantt to adjourn the meeting and Commissioner Cavazzoni seconded. The motion passed with unanimous consent and the meeting was adjourned.

Delphin A. Gantt, Jr. Chairman Gary Siegfried
Executive Director

September 3, 2025 Date