

Redlands Airport Advisory Board Meeting Minutes

January 16, 2026
City Council Chamber
City of Redlands

Board Members Present

Jason Golembeski, Chair
Robert Pearce, Board Member

Amber Harrison, Vice Chair

Staff Present: Ted Richardson **City Councilmember Present :** Mark Shaw

1. 1. CALL TO ORDER

- a. Meeting called to order at 6:00 PM
- b. Pledge of Allegiance

2. PUBLIC COMMENTS

- a. Cindy Gablin, representing the Redlands Airport Association, addressed the Board regarding the Pura Vida Coffee operation at the airport. Mrs. Gablin expressed support for the business but raised concerns regarding overcrowding, lack of supervision of children, and damage to Airport Association property during recent events.
- b. No additional public comments were received.

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- a. AAB meeting minutes from October 23, 2025
 - i. Motion to approve as corrected Member Harrison
 - ii. 2nd Member Pearce
 - iii. All approved

4. COMMUNICATIONS

- a. Airport Operations: The Airport Manager reported increased aircraft operations during November and December. Equipment outages resulted in incomplete tracking data; a replacement receiver has been installed. No noise complaints were reported.
- b. Land Use and Development: City Code Enforcement reopened the TriPointe housing development case and required installation of appropriate signage.
- c. Capital Improvement Projects: Approximately \$563,000 has been allocated for Taxiway Alpha rehabilitation. Additional FAA funding has been requested. The bid package is under City Engineering review.
- d. Financial Report: The Airport budget remains balanced and in good standing.

5. NEW BUSINESS

- a. BOARD MEMBER REPORTS:
 - i. Regulatory Update: Amber Harrison provided an update regarding proposed federal spectrum reallocation affecting radio altimeters.

- b. Annual Report to City Council: The Board discussed preparation of the annual report scheduled for January 20, 2026
- c. Aircraft Accident Recovery Equipment: The Board discussed use of Fire Department apparatus MT261 for aircraft recovery. No action was taken.

6. **OLD BUSINESS**

- a. No items listed.

7. **AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING.**

- a. ACIP update and West End Culvert assessment.

8. **Board member comments**

- a. None.

9. **ADJOURNMENT/NEXT MEETING**

- a. Adjournment - 6:22 PM
- b. Next Meeting -4/16/2026 6:00 PM