

**CITY OF LA CROSSE, WISCONSIN
CITY PLAN COMMISSION
REPORT
October 30, 2017**

➤ **AGENDA ITEM – 17-1386 (Jason Gilman)**

Resolution petitioning the Secretary of Transportation for airport improvement aid.

➤ **ROUTING:** F&P, Public Hearing 11/2/17 6:00 p.m.

➤ **BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

- Chapter 62.23 (5) requires a City Plan Commission to approve resolutions petitioning the State Secretary of Transportation for aid to “primary commercial type” airports. Airport users, staff and the City’s Aviation Board have made a determination relative to the needed improvements qualifying for aid. This action also requires the Sponsor (City) to designate the Secretary of Transportation as it’s agent in making all arrangements for the development and final acceptance of the completed project whether by contract, agreement, force account or otherwise; and particularly, to accept, receive, receipt for and disburse federal monies or other monies.

➤ **GENERAL LOCATION:**

La Crosse Regional Airport

➤ **RECOMMENDATION OF OTHER BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS:**

This item will be referred to the City’s Finance and Personnel Committee

➤ **CONSISTENCY WITH ADOPTED COMPREHENSIVE PLAN:**

The City’s Comprehensive Plan supports investment in community facilities.

➤ **PLANNING RECOMMENDATION:**

State and federal aid are an important method to recapture state and federal tax revenues derived from our region, reinvesting them in the economic health of the City and region. **The Planning Department recommends approval of this resolution.**