# AN ORDINANCE TO REMOVE THE FREEHOLDER REQUIREMENT FOR MEMBERSHIP ON THE AIRPORT BOARD BY AMENDING SECTION 2.72.020 OF THE RAPID CITY MUNICIPAL CODE. 

WHEREAS, the City of Rapid City has created a municipal airport board in accordance with South Dakota law to manage the Rapid City Regional Airport; and

WHEREAS, Section 2.72.020 of the Rapid City Municipal Codes requires each member of the Board to be a resident and freeholder of the city; and

WHEREAS, the Council finds it is in the best interest of the public to amend the language of this section to delete the requirement that members of the Board be freeholders.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the City of Rapid City that Section 2.72.020 of the Rapid City Municipal Code be and hereby is amended to read as follows:

### 2.72.020 Members-Qualifications-Compensation.

The Board shall be composed of 5 members, each of whom shall be a resident and freeholder of the city. In addition, 1 member of the Council shall be appointed annually by the Mayor to serve for a 1-year term as liaison to the Board. Members shall be appointed as hereinafter provided and shall serve without compensation; however, nothing herein shall limit payment to members as reimbursement for expenses incurred in the performance of duties as members of the Board in accordance with applicable city policies and regulations. No member of the Board shall have direct or indirect financial interest in any lease or concession at the airport. However, a licensed pilot who leases space from the Board for a non-commercial hangar shall be eligible to serve on the Board provided the member abstains from voting on any action pertaining to his or her lease.

## CITY OF RAPID CITY

## Mayor

## ATTEST:

Finance Officer
(SEAL)
First Reading:
Second Reading:
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Effective:

