

ORDINANCE NO. 5765

**AN ORDINANCE TO CODIFY THE PROCEDURE FOR THE RAPID CITY REGIONAL AIRPORT BOARD TO INCREASE FEES AND REPORT PROPOSED FEE INCREASES TO THE COMMON COUNCIL BY ADDING SECTION 2.72.075 OF THE RAPID CITY MUNICIPAL CODE**

WHEREAS, the City of Rapid City has enacted ordinances creating the Rapid City Regional Airport Board and providing to it certain powers to regulate and manage the Rapid City Regional Airport; and

WHEREAS, the Airport Board, among other functions, sets rental rates and fees for use of the airport property by aviators, aviation-related businesses, and the general public; and

WHEREAS, the Common Council finds it is in the best interests of the citizens of Rapid City to have proposed increases in rental rates and fees discussed at more than one meeting of the Board and reported to the Common Council prior to their approval by the Airport Board.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City of Rapid City that a new Section 2.72.075 be added to the Rapid City Municipal Code to read as follows:

**2.72.075 Procedure for Fee or Rate Increase -- Report to Common Council.**

Whenever the Board has before it a proposal to impose a new fee or rental rate, an increase to any rental rate or fee, or an increase to any other charge to use the Airport facilities, land or public accommodations, the Board shall first approve a resolution of intent to impose or raise such rate or fee. Approval of an increase shall require an affirmative vote of a majority of all the Board members. The proposed increase shall not be approved at the same meeting as the resolution of intent, and may not be approved at a special meeting of the Board unless such special meeting is held at least two weeks following approval of the resolution of intent. In addition, upon approval of a resolution of intent to impose or raise a rate or fee, the Common Council shall be notified of the proposal, and the proposal shall be placed on the agenda for the next regular meeting of the Common Council for acknowledgment.

CITY OF RAPID CITY

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Mayor

ATTEST:

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Finance Officer

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