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May 4, 2022

Mr. Michael L. Thurmond, CEO  
DeKalb County Board of Commissioners  
1300 Commerce Drive, Suite 600  
Decatur, GA 30030

Dear Mr. Thurmond:

The Department is pleased to announce a tentative allocation of federal funding assistance in the amount of \$2,120,981 and state funding assistance in the amount of \$3,983,044.50 for the following projects at the DeKalb-Peachtree Airport:

Project Description	Est. Total	Est. Federal	Est. State	Est. Local
Improve Runway 34 Safety Area	\$2,356,646.00	\$2,120,981.00	\$117,832.50	\$117,832.50
Rehabilitate Runway 16-34	\$5,153,616.00	\$0.00	\$3,865,212.00	\$1,288,404.00
<b>Estimated Project Total</b>	<b>\$7,510,262.00</b>	<b>\$2,120,981.00</b>	<b>\$3,983,044.50</b>	<b>\$1,406,236.50</b>

Please confirm, by letter, no later than **July 1, 2022** your intent to proceed with and fund these projects in the state's Fiscal Year 2023, which ends June 30, 2023. State and/or federal funding for this project if unconfirmed by this date may be reassigned.

State funding assistance must be formally requested by letter to the Department's Commissioner. See attached sample letter. State funding participation is 75% of the state/local project and 50% of the nonfederal share of the federally eligible project. **This project will require matching funds from DeKalb County estimated in the amount of \$1,406,236.50.** This is a tentative allocation of funds, the actual contract amount will be based on competitive bids received to accomplish the projects. Any projects in which you are seeking reimbursement (90%) with federal funds must have been reviewed and approved by the Department prior to work commencing in order to be considered eligible for federal funding participation.

The above projects must have bids in hand no later than **June 29, 2022**. The Department has scheduled the above projects to be ready for contract in **September 2022**. Tracie Kleine has been assigned from our Aviation Programs office as project manager to assist in this tentative allocation award, including but not limited to, overall project coordination, federal and state guidance, and project review and scheduling. Please communicate with your project manager by the 5th of each month regarding your project's status and schedule.

As acknowledgement to this tentative allocation award, please provide a letter with the following: (see attachment)

- Confirmation of intent to proceed with and fund this project in the state's FY23 according to the agreed upon schedule
- Formal request for state funding assistance

Please contact Tracie Kleine, Aviation Project Manager at (404) 347-0579 if you have any questions. We look forward to the successful completion of this project.

Sincerely,

Leigh Ann Trainer, Assistant Director  
Division of Intermodal

cc: Kevin Abel, State Transportation Board  
Mario A Evans, Airport Manager