



PUBLIC MEETING AGENDA

Tempe Aviation Commission

April 22, 2026

5:30 p.m. – Call to Order

HYBRID

Tempe City Hall, Garden Level East, Community Development Lobby Conference Room
31 East 5th Street, Tempe, AZ 85281

VIRTUAL

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AGENDA

1. **Call to Order**
2. **Public Appearances:** the Tempe Aviation Commission welcomes public comments at this time. The Commission may not respond to public comments unless the topic has been placed on the agenda. There is a *three-minute time limit* per citizen.
3. **Consideration of Meeting Minutes, March 18, 2026;** for discussion and approval.
4. **Quarterly PHX East Compliance Report;** Quarter 1 2026 Report and presentation by Jacob Payne, for discussion.
5. **Staff updates and announcements;**
6. **Commissioners' Business;** suggestions for future agenda items.
7. **Schedule Next TAVCO Meeting;**
8. **Adjournment.**

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Minutes of the

TAVCO REGULAR MEETING March 18, 2026

Tempe Aviation Commission meeting held via virtual Microsoft Teams meeting with call in +1 480-498-8745, 730410859# Unites States, Phoenix (Toll) Conference ID: 730 410 859# at Community Development Conference Lobby.

Present:

Staff:

Lane Carraway	Jacob Payne, Principal Planner
James Camargo	
Desiree Walker*	
Tom Campbell	
Dawood Ahmed*	
Greg Larson*	
Alana Billingsley*	
Lance Labun	Members Absent:
*Participants attending remotely	None

1) Call to Order & Introductions

Meeting called to order at 5:31pm.

2) Public Appearances: the Tempe Aviation Commission welcomes public comments at this time.

None.

3) Commissioner's Introductions.

All Commissioner's introduced themselves.

4) Voting of the Meeting Minutes:

Motion by Commissioner Labun to approve Meeting Minutes from December 17, 2025; second by Commissioner Billingsley.

Ayes: Chair Carraway, Vice Chair Camargo, Commissioners Walker, Billingsley and Labun

Nays: None

Abstain: Commissioners Larson, Ahmed and Campbell

Absent: None

Vote: Motion passes **5-0**

Motion by Commissioner Labun to approve Meeting Minutes from January 21, 2026; second by Commissioner Billingsley.

Ayes: Chair Carraway, Vice Chair Camargo, Commissioners Walker, Ahmed, Larson, Billingsley, Labun

Nays: None

Abstain: Commissioner Campbell

Absent: None

Vote: Motion passes 7-0

- 5) **Presentation on the Tempe Aviation Commission's purpose, objectives and history;** presentation by Jacob Payne, for discussion.

Mr. Jacob Payne gave a presentation on the City of Tempe and City of Phoenix's involvement in aviation matters over the last 40-50 years and the history of Boards and Commissions in Tempe established for the purpose of aviation. Mr. Payne discussed TAVCO's Scope, Duties and Powers.

Vice Chair Camargo mentioned at the last meeting it was discussed that IGA and other documentation is on the website as a reference. Mr. Payne stated that on the City of Tempe Aviation website you can find the Phoenix Tempe aviation history. You can find it at tempe.gov/government/aviation.

Commissioner Larson asked if the current version on IGA is on the Tempe website? Mr. Payne stated that it should be and if it is not please let him know. You can navigate there from the Tempe.gov homepage and then click Government Aviation.

- 6) **Staff updates and announcements:**

Mr. Payne updated the Commission on upcoming meetings and tours. The FAA is holding a public meeting on Wednesday May 13th at 10am via Zoon regarding the performance-based navigation upgrades at Sky Harbor. Phoenix Airspace Users Working Group (PAUWG) will likely be meeting in May. More details to come. City Boards and Commission Appreciation Event is scheduled for May 1st at the Tempe Center for Arts. If the Commission is interested in a tour of the air traffic control facilities I will reach out to Sky Harbor to get some dates.

Commissioner Walker requested a new name badge.

Commissioner Labun asked if the Commission was doing anything for the Neighborhood Event? Mr. Payne will reach out to the Neighborhood Services Department to find out.

- 7) **Commissioners' Business;** suggestions for future agenda items.

Commissioner Labun stated that there is a formula that you can calculate noise attenuation for weather conditions. There is a website for Tempe Lake weather. I was thinking we could add a line to that website that says the noise today would be lower than you normally hear or louder than you normally hear. I would like to add this item to next month's agenda.

Chair Carraway asked if Mr. Jordan Feld would be giving any updates? Mr. Payne stated that he had not spoken to him in a couple of months.

Commissioner Billingsley stated that we are approaching the 25th anniversary of September 11th. Every year there is a Tempe organization that handles healing fields. I was wondering if there was anyway TAVCO could take place in that, either standing the flags or observing the ceremony. Chair Carraway stated that Mr. Nick Bastine is one of the people that has been organizing that event. I will reach out to him.

Vice Chair Camargo asked if the summary and overview of the history Mr. Payne did could be put on the website.

Commissioner Ahmed stated that there is more traffic coming into Sky Harbor. Do we know what the plan for this traffic increase is? Do we know what kind of noise it will generate? Is that something we observe? Mr. Payne stated that Mr. Jordan Felds gave a presentation to the Commission in December where he touched on those exact points, and that he will get that presentation out to Commissioner Ahmed. Commissioner Ahmed asked how often does the Commission review to determine if there is an issue? Mr. Payne stated that when he brings the quarterly reports they are focused on looking at the quarter's metrics specific to compliance with the IGA.

8) Schedule Next TAVCO Meeting

The next meeting is scheduled for April 22, 2026.

9) Adjournment: Hearing adjourned at 6:12 p.m. by Chair Carraway

Motion by Commissioner Labun to adjourn; second by Commissioner Billingsley.

Ayes: Chair Carraway, Vice Chair Camargo, Commissioners Walker, Ahmed, Larson, Billingsley, Labun and Campbell

Nays: None

Abstain: None

Absent: None

Vote: Motion passed **8-0**