

City of Columbia

701 East Broadway, Columbia, Missouri 65201

Department Source: Economic Development

To: City Council

From: City Manager & Staff

Council Meeting Date: August 21, 2023

Re: Authorizing a License Agreement with Moberly Area Community College to utilize a tract

of land at Columbia Regional Airport for training.

Executive Summary

Authorizing a license agreement with Moberly Area Community College (MACC) to utilize a tract of land approximately 300' x 500' for the purpose of providing a Class A commercial driver's instruction and training program at Columbia Regional Airport.

Discussion

MACC desires to use a portion of property located near the intersection of Angel Lane and Airport Drive (see attached location diagram) to sponsor a Class A commercial driver's instruction and training program for truck driving education for a three year period. The City could benefit from this program by having access to speak to classes about City employment opportunities, reserving seats in a class if desired, and the opportunity to recruit potential employees from the classes. This workforce development partnership will help with the shortage of commercial drivers both locally and nationwide.

Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: None Long-Term Impact: None

Strategic & Comprehensive Plan Impact

Strateaic Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Inclusive Community, Secondary Impact: Organizational Excellence, Tertiary

Impact: Resilient Economy

<u>Comprehensive Plan Impacts:</u>

Primary Impact: Inter-Governmental Cooperation, Secondary Impact: Economic

Development, Tertiary Impact: Land Use & Growth Management

Legislative History

Date	Action
	None

Suggested Council Action

Authorize the City Manager to execute a License Agreement with Moberly Area Community College to utilize a tract of land at the Columbia Regional Airport for training.