Broward County



Legislation Text

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Broward County Commission Regular Meeting

Director's Name: Mark Gale

Department: Aviation **Division:** Business

Information

Requested Action

MOTION TO APPROVE First Amendment to the Revocable License Agreement between Broward County and L3Harris Technologies, Inc., extending the term of the Agreement through September 30, 2025, to continue to occupy space at Broward County's Fort Lauderdale-Hollywood International Airport for the installation, operation, and maintenance of two radio station sites that support the Federal Aviation Administration's Automatic Dependent Surveillance - Broadcast system; and authorize Mayor and Clerk to execute same.

Why Action is Necessary

Section 2-40(a) of the Broward County Code of Ordinances, requires that Broward County Board of County Commissioners ("Board") authorize any commercial activities or occupancy of any portion of the Broward County's Fort Lauderdale Hollywood International Airport ("FLL") and North Perry Airport.

What Action Accomplishes

Extends the term of the Revocable License Agreement ("License") between Broward County ("County") and L3Harris Technologies, Inc. ("L3Harris") through September 30, 2025, to allow L3Harris to continue to occupy the two radio station sites at FLL that support the Automatic Dependent Surveillance- Broadcast system ("ADS-B"), and reduces the square feet of occupancy in the Aircraft Rescue and Firefighting station.

Is this Action Goal Related

No

Previous Action Taken

None

Summary Explanation/Background

THE AVIATION DEPARTMENT RECOMMENDS APPROVAL OF THE ABOVE MOTION.

This action extends the term of the License between County and L3Harris through September 30, 2025, and replaces Exhibit A-1 to reflect the current square footage of occupancy in the Aircraft Rescue and Firefighting station.

On December 6, 2016 (Item No. 6), the Board approved the License between the County and Harris Corporation to occupy space at FLL, which was retroactive to September 1, 2016, for the installation,

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operation and maintenance of the two radio station sites that supports the ADS-B system at FLL. The primary purpose of the ADS-B system is to prevent aircraft accidents from runway incursions (aircraft taxiing into the path of arriving or departing aircraft).

On June 28, 2019, Harris Corporation changed its name to L3Harris Technologies, Inc.

The License provides for the use of a total of 245 square feet of FLL property. The annual license fee is set and adjusted annually according to Type 2 Space rates pursuant to Chapter 39 of the Broward County Administrative Code.

The proposed First Amendment has been reviewed and approved as to form by the Office of the County Attorney.

Source of Additional Information

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Fiscal Impact

Fiscal Impact/Cost Summary

The annual license fee for 2021 will be approximately \$62,394.