

# READING REGIONAL AIRPORT

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## JANUARY 6, 2026 MEETING MINUTES

### **MEMBERS PRESENT**

Commissioner Christian Leinbach, Chairman  
Mr. Kevin Barnhardt, Treasurer  
Ms. Pamela Menet, Asst. Sec/Treas. Microsoft Teams  
Commissioner Dante Santoni, Asst. Sec/Treas.

### **MEMBERS NOT PRESENT**

Commissioner Michael Rivera, Vice Chairman via Microsoft Teams

### **ALSO PRESENT**

Zackary Tempesco, Airport Director  
Michelle Pugh, Director of Administration  
Michael Laity, Director of Operations  
Beth McNeal, FBO Manager  
Keilly Kirkpatrick, Marketing & Events Coordinator  
Edwin L. Stock, Esq., Solicitor, Stock Alfieri  
Lynne Burns, Berks County Commissioners Office  
Veronica LePore, Berks County Commissioners Office via Microsoft Teams  
Fred German, Bern Township  
Jonathan Heintzman, PRO Berks County  
Mark Robinson, First Energy via Microsoft Teams  
Fran Strause, Transystems/GFT via Microsoft Teams

The Authority Meeting of the Reading Regional Airport Authority was held on Tuesday, December 16, 2025 in the Board Room of the Reading Regional Airport.  
Commissioner Leinbach, called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

None at this time

### **AIRPORT DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

The board has tabled the review of the Whander Field Historical Marker and Display.

Mr. Tempesco requested the Board to approve the Downshift Nation Event for May 9, 2026. Mr. Barnhardt motioned and Commissioner Santoni seconded the motion to approve the Downshift Nation Event for May 9, 2026. The Board unanimously approved the motion.

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Mr. Tempesco requested the Board to approve the Kappe Associates rebuild quote for WWTP motive pump replacement. Mr. Barnhardt motioned and Commissioner Santoni seconded the motion to approve the Kappe Associates rebuild quote for WWTP motive pump replacement. The Board unanimously approved the motion.

Mr. Tempesco requested the Board to approve to send communications to Greenfields Fire Station regarding the fire station transition. Mr. Barnhardt motioned and Commissioner Santoni seconded the motion to approve the send communications to Greenfields Fire Station regarding the fire station transition. The Board unanimously approved the motion.

### **FBO MANAGER'S REPORT**

None at this time

### **MARKETING REPORT**

None at this time

### **SOLICITOR'S REPORT**

None at this time

### **ENGINEER'S REPORT**

None at this time.

### **TREASURER'S REPORT**

None at this time

### **TENANT ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

None at this time

### **OLD BUSINESS**

None at this time

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### PUBLIC COMMENTS

None at this time.

### NEW BUSINESS

None at this time.

Commissioner Leinbach adjourned the meeting at 8:34 A.M.