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Club Update:

Although steps were taken to capture minutes of the April meeting, because of a technology failure, we do not have the information. Marvin Blankenship, club president, did submit a summary of the item of largest impact to the club:

Martha (Representative of Beech) informed the club that the funds are available through the Beech Agreement with the developer of the purchased property . The agreement is that he (developer) would replace the runway as is when purchase of property was made. Detail of improvements include 3 pilot shelters and a 20x400 ft paved runway. Due to location of property available at Beech (restrictions and safety), the location was pursued elsewhere (Chapin). The city will only accept a shelter that matches what was installed at the dog park. The city after reaching a agreement with Beech and the contractor asked for a letter of endorsement from the Wrcc. After Martha's presentation at the meeting, an open discussion was held. A nomination to write a letter of support for the improvement was made, then seconded. A vote was conducted with 25 members in attendance. The vote was passed with no nay votes. The step forward includes a pre-construction meeting with Wrcc, City of Wichita Architect (who is managing the project) and the contractor responsible for improvements. My understanding is the City will furnish the dirt to make the necessary prep work for the construction of the runway. The field improvements are estimated to be in the range of \$60K.

May Meeting

The April meeting is on Thursday the 26th at the Kansas Aviation Museum, 7:00. Come find out what's going on with the club and catch up with fellow enthusiasts. Agenda items will include:

- Field reports
- Upcoming events
- Monthly Raffle
- Attendance drawing



We look forward to seeing you there!

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