



CITY OF AURORA, ILLINOIS

ORDINANCE NO. 019-059
DATE OF PASSAGE September 10, 2019

An Ordinance amending Section 5-56 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Aurora to repeal a requirement that operators at Aurora Municipal Airport sell aviation fuel at least twenty-five (25) percent above the purchase price such operator paid to purchase said aviation fuel.

WHEREAS, the City of Aurora has a population of more than 25,000 persons and is, therefore, a home rule unit under subsection (a) of Section 6 of Article VII of the Illinois Constitution of 1970; and

WHEREAS, subject to said Section, a home rule unit may exercise any power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs for the protection of the public health, safety, morals, and welfare; and

WHEREAS, effective September 23, 2014, Section 5-56 of the Code of Ordinances provides in relevant part that each seller of aviation fuel at Aurora Municipal Airport must "must sell such aviation fuel at least twenty-five (25) percent above the purchase price such operator paid to purchase said aviation fuel;" and

WHEREAS, the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) has found that the above requirement is harmful to competition and is contrary to assurances made by the City as a condition of its receipt of federal funds; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that the above requirement is not in the best interests of the City, the fixed based operators authorized by the City to sell aviation fuel at Aurora Municipal Airport, or the public.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Aurora, Illinois, as follows: that Section 5-56 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Aurora shall be and hereby is amended by striking its second paragraph in its entirety; and further

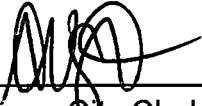
BE IT ORDAINED, that said amendment shall be immediately effective.

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PASSED AND APPROVED ON September 10, 2019

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ATTEST:



City Clerk



Mayor

RECOMMENDATION

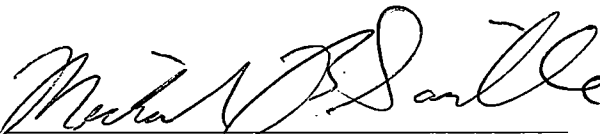
TO: THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

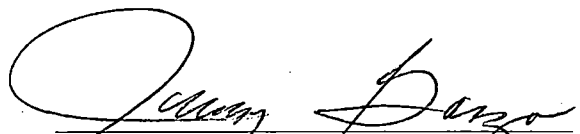
FROM: THE BUILDING, ZONING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

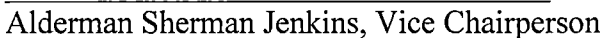
The Building, Zoning and Economic Development Committee at the regular scheduled meeting on Wednesday, August 28, 2019 recommended APPROVAL of An Ordinance amending Section 5-56 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Aurora to repeal a requirement that operators at Aurora Municipal Airport sell aviation fuel at least twenty-five (25) percent above the purchase price such operator paid to purchase said aviation fuel.

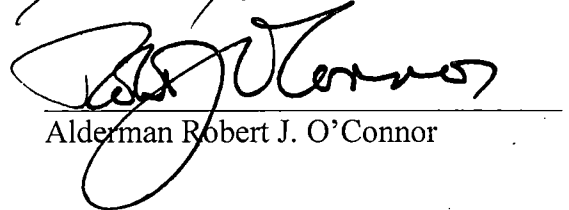
VOTE: 5-0

Submitted By:


Alderman Michael Saville, Chairperson


Alderman Juany Garza


Alderman Sherman Jenkins, Vice Chairperson


Alderman Robert J. O'Connor


Alderman Carl Franco

Dated this 28th day of August, 2019