

Resolution

Renaming the Andrews-Murphy Airport

Whereas, the Andrews-Murphy Airport is located in Andrews, NC; and,

Whereas, the Andrews-Murphy Airport was constructed in 1946 and privately owned by Edgar Augustus Wood, Sr.; and

Whereas, the original name of the airport was Wood Field Andrews-Murphy; and

Whereas, the Wood Field Andrews-Murphy Airport was purchased by Cherokee County in 1969; and


Whereas, the name was changed to Andrews-Murphy Airport; and

Whereas, upon the recommendation of the Airport Authority Board, the name will be changed to Western Carolina Regional Airport; and

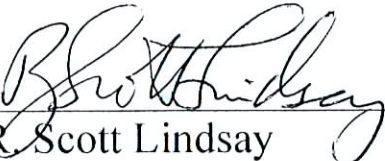
Whereas, the Airport Authority Board desires to rename the airport in an effort to attract more business travel to Western North Carolina and attract future business and industry to Western North Carolina.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CHEROKEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS that the new name of the Andrews-Murphy Airport will be changed to Western Carolina Regional Airport.

Adopted this 2nd day of February, 2009.



W. David Sumpter, III
Chairman



R. Scott Lindsay
Clerk to the Board