

**CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS
AGENDA ITEM
DEPARTMENT HEAD'S SUMMARY FORM**

DEPARTMENT: Aviation

AGENDA DATE: Introduction: January 5, 2021 Hearing: January, 19 2021

CONTACT PERSON NAME AND PHONE NUMBER: Sam Rodriguez, (915) 212-7301

DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED: 3

CITY STRATEGIC GOAL 1: Create an Environment Conducive to Strong, Sustainable Economic Development.

SUBJECT:

This item is an Ordinance amending Title 14 (Aircraft and Airports) Chapter 14.24 (Commercial Air Carriers Rates and Charges) to add Section 14.24.130 Daily Cargo Ramp and Building Use Fee.

BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:

The Department of Aviation is requesting approval of this amendment to address operational practices and clarify the fees that airlines/aircraft operators that do not have agreements with the El Paso International Airport are required to pay when using the cargo ramp and buildings by adding this section to Title 14 (Aircraft and Airports).

PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:

12/17/2019 – Approval of the amendment of Title 14 (Aircraft and Airports) in its entirety

AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:

N/A: This is an administrative item.

BOARD / COMMISSION ACTION:

N/A

*****REQUIRED AUTHORIZATION*****

DEPARTMENT HEAD:



Sam Rodriguez, P.E.
Chief Operations & Transportation Officer/Director of Aviation

(If Department Head Summary Form is initiated by Purchasing, client department should sign also)

Information copy to appropriate Deputy City Manager

ORDINANCE _____

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 14 (AIRCRAFT AND AIRPORTS) CHAPTER 14.24 (COMMERCIAL AIR CARRIERS RATES AND CHARGES) TO ADD SECTION 14.24.130 DAILY CARGO PARKING AND BUILDING USE FEE.

WHEREAS, the City Council wishes to update Title 14 to add allow the El Paso International Airport to recuperate costs related to the use of its cargo ramp and buildings by commercial air carriers.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL PASO:

Section 1. That Title 14 (Aircraft and Airports), Chapter 14.24 (Commercial Air Carriers Rates and Charges), Section 14.24.130 (Daily Cargo Parking and Building Use Fee) is hereby added to the El Paso City Code to read as follows:

14.24.130 – Daily Cargo Parking and Building Use Fee.

Commercial air carriers that are not parties to a Signatory Agreement must pay to the Airport the daily fee for use of any Airport Cargo Building, and a parking fee per turnaround for aircraft parking on the cargo ramp in the amounts set by Schedule C of the City’s Annual Budget Resolution, as amended, or other duly authorized Resolution of City Council.

Section 2. Except as amended herein, Title 14 of the El Paso City Code remains in full force and effect.

PASSED AND APPROVED this _____ day of _____, 2021.

CITY OF EL PASO

Oscar Leeser
Mayor

ATTEST:

Laura D. Prine
City Clerk

(Signatures continue on the following page)

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Kristen L. Hamilton-Karam
Assistant City Attorney

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:



Samuel Rodríguez, P.E.
Director of Aviation