

# ARIZONA STATE LEGISLATURE

## URBAN AIR MOBILITY STUDY COMMITTEE

### Minutes of the Meeting

October 5, 2023

2:00 P.M., SHR 1

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#### **Members Present:**

Senator Frank Carroll, Co-Chair  
Senator Janae Shamp  
Sarah Demory  
Mark Gaspers  
Sharon Hettick  
Paul Keesler  
Ian Linssen  
Dr. Gary Marchant

Representative David L. Cook, Co-Chair  
Representative Jennifer L. Longdon  
Travis Schulte (Major General Kerry Muehlenbeck Designee)  
Jack Sellers  
Anthony Casselman (Jennifer Toth Designee)  
Nathan Trail  
Marisa Walker (Sandra Watson Designee)

#### **Members Absent:**

Kate Conway  
Mark Hagedorn  
Brent Klavon

Nathan Pryor  
Chris Rodriguez

#### **Members Excused:**

Senator Rosanna Gabaldón  
Emilien Marchand

Representative Justin Wilmeth  
Heath Vescovi-Chiordi

#### **Staff:**

Kiyahna J. Araza, Senate Research Analyst  
Jeremy Bassham, House Research Analyst

Co-Chair Carroll called the meeting to order at 2:07 p.m. and attendance was noted.

## **INTRODUCTION OF MEMBERS**

Senator Carroll requested that the Committee members introduce themselves.

## **OPENING REMARKS**

Senator Carroll offered opening remarks.

## **COMMITTEE CHARGE**

**Kiyahna J. Araza, Senate Research Analyst**, gave an overview of the Urban Air Mobility Study Committee.

The Committee offered comments.

## **PRESENTATIONS**

### **Concept of Operations for Urban Air Mobility (UAM)**

**Ben Ivers, Director, Autonomous Systems Regulatory Affairs, Boeing**, distributed and explained a PowerPoint presentation entitled "Concept of Operations for Uncrewed Urban Air Mobility" (Attachment A) and answered questions posed by the Committee.

The Committee offered comments.

Mr. Ivers answered additional questions posed by the Committee.

The Committee offered additional comments.

### **Policies and Best Practices to Enable UAM Operations**

**Nathan Trail, Senior Director, International, State and Local Policy, Supernal**, distributed and explained a PowerPoint presentation entitled "Policies and Best Practices to Enable AAM Operations" (Attachment B) and answered questions posed by the Committee.

The Committee offered comments.

### **Institute for Automated Mobility**

**Marisa Walker, Senior Vice President, Infrastructure & Executive Director, Institute of Automated Mobility Arizona Commerce Authority**, distributed and explained a PowerPoint presentation entitled "Urban Air Mobility Study Committee" (Attachment C).

The Committee offered comments.

Ms. Walker answered questions posed by the Committee.

**Mark Gaspers, Senior Manager, Government Operations, Boeing**, answered questions posed by the Committee.

Ms. Walker offered comments.

The Committee offered additional comments.

## **DISCUSSION**

The Committee offered comments.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 3:54 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Brisa Roman  
Committee Secretary

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