

Memorandum  
City of Lawrence  
Douglas County  
Planning & Development Services

**TO:** David L. Corliss, City Manager

**FROM:** Sheila M. Stogsdill, Assistant Director

**CC:** Scott McCullough, Director  
Diane Stoddard, Assistant City Manager

**Date:** May 26, 2009

**RE:** Initiate rezoning of Lawrence Municipal Airport from GPI (General Public & Institutional) to IG (General Industrial)

Please place the following item on the City Commission's May 25, 2009 consent agenda:

**I. Background**

On April 7, 2009 the City Commission initiated the rezoning of the Lawrence Municipal Airport from GPI (General Public and Institution) District to IG (Industrial General). Staff mistakenly indicated that the airport contained 320 acres; however the airport is comprised of multiple tracts which total approximately 503 acres. The Commission is asked to initiate the remaining 183 acres of the Lawrence Municipal Airport property from IG to IL as intended by the exhibit attached to the April 7, 2009 action. This [map](#) is attached again for reference.

The rezoning is tentatively scheduled for the June PC meeting.

**II. Action Requested**

Staff requests the City Commission initiate the rezoning of approximately 183 acres at the Lawrence Municipal Airport from GPI (General Public and Institutional) District to IG (General Industrial) District for future public hearing at the Planning Commission.