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RESOLUTION APPROVING PAYMENT OF BILLINGS FROM THE MYERS & JENKINS LAW FIRM RETAINED TO REPRESENT THE CITY IN THE UAL CORPORATION, ATA HOLDINGS CORP., DELTA AIR LINES, INC., et. al. (COMAIR, INC.) AND NORTHWEST AIRLINES CORPORATION, et. al. BANKRUPTCIES

WHEREAS, on September 20, 1993, by Roll Call No. 93-3490, the Des Moines City Council approved Ordinance 12,040 assigning certain rights and responsibilities pertaining to the Airport to the Des Moines International Airport Board; and

WHEREAS, Section 2-362.09 of the Municipal Code provides that the City shall utilize services of the city, including but not limited to, aviation services, (including airfield, building, ground, operation and maintenance services), engineering services, personnel services, legal services, accounting services, payroll services, property acquisition services, public improvement design services, contract procurement and administrative services, purchasing services, financial services, fire services (excluding priority Aircraft Rescue and Fire Fighting Services), police services and general administration services, to administer, operate and maintain the airport, provided however, that if the board and city manager jointly agree that the city cannot provide the expertise, extra-ordinary effort, or special resources required for a particular project, the board may acquire and utilize outside services to accomplish such project; and

WHEREAS, the Legal Department recommended that outside counsel be retained to represent the City in the UAL Corporation, ATA Holdings, Corp., Delta Air Lines, Inc., et al. (Comair, Inc.) and Northwest Airlines Corporation, et. al. bankruptcies; and

WHEREAS, the Airport Board authorized the hiring of William Jenkins and the law firm of Myers & Jenkins to represent the City of Des Moines in the UAL Corporation bankruptcy by Resolution No. A02-276, and further authorized the City Attorney to retain local counsel in Illinois, authorized the hiring of William Jenkins and the law firm of Myers & Jenkins to represent the City of Des Moines in the ATA Holdings Corp. bankruptcy by Resolution No. A04-221, and further authorized the City Attorney to retain local counsel in Indiana; authorized the hiring of Williams Jenkins and the law firm of Myers & Jenkins to represent the City of Des Moines in the Delta Air Lines, Inc., et. al. (Comair, Inc.) and Northwest Airlines Corporation, et. al. bankruptcies by Resolution No. A-05-253 and approved correction of the hourly rate by Resolution No. A-05-294; and

WHEREAS, the Tishler & Wald, Ltd. law firm was retained as local counsel for the UAL Corporation bankruptcy and the Barnes & Thornburg, LLP law firm was retained as local counsel for the ATA Holdings Corp. bankruptcy; and

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WHEREAS, billings have been received from Myers & Jenkins in the amount of \$1,236.00 through December 19, 2006; and

WHEREAS, the Legal Department has reviewed the billings and recommends payment.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that it hereby approves the payment of \$1,236.00 to the law firm of Myers & Jenkins and authorizes the Finance Department to submit payment for the invoices.

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APPROVED AS TO FORM:

David Ferree

Assistant City Attorney

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CERTIFICATE

I, DIANE RAUH, City Clerk of said City hereby certify that at a meeting of the City Council of said City of Des Moines, held on the above date, among other proceedings the above was adopted.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal the day and year first above written.

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Mayor	City	Clerk

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December 20, 2006

City of Des Moines Legal Department 400 East First Street Des Moines, IA 50309 Kathy Vanderpool

In Reference To: Mesaba

Account No.

4422-007

Invoice #

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For Services Rendered Through

		Hours	Amount
11/27/2006 12/4/2006 12/12/2006 12/18/2006	JS Review docket; JS Review docket; Letter to David Ferree;	0.10 0.10 0.20 0.10	16.50 16.50 33.00 16.50
	For professional services rendered	0.50	\$82.50
	Additional Charges:		
	Fax Expense	_	1.50
	Total costs		\$1.50
	Total amount of this bill	<u> </u>	\$84.00
	Previous balance	•	\$66.00
12/19/2006	Payment - Thank You. Check No. 207194		(\$66.00)
	Total payments and adjustments		(\$66.00)
	Balance due		\$84.00

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Timekeeper Summary

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Name	Hours Hours	Rate	Amount
Jase Steinberg	0.50	165.00	\$82.50

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In Reference To: Northwest Airlines

Account No.

4422-006

Invoice #

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For Services Rendered Through

·		<u>Hours</u>	Amount
11/3/2006 WSJ	Receive and review new pleadings; Receive and review e-mail from Lori Vaughn re Amended Order; E-mail to David Ferree; E-mail from David Ferree; Conference with Mr. Steinberg;	0.60	135.00
11/20/2006 WSJ	Receive and review new pleadings;	0.20	45.00
11/27/2006 JS	Review docket;	0.10	16.50
11/28/2006 WSJ	Receive and review new pleadings;	0.10	22.50
11/30/2006 WSJ	Receive and review new pleadings;	0.10	22.50
12/4/2006 JS	Review docket;	0.10	16.50
WSJ	Receive and review new pleadings;	0.30	67.50
12/5/2006 JS	Review Debtors proposed ADR Procedures Motion; Conference with Mr. Jenkins;	0.60	99.00
WSJ	Conference with Mr. Steinberg re ADR Procedure Motion;	0.20	45.00
12/6/2006 JS	Telephone call to Airport Consortium counsel; E-mail correspondence with Airport Consortium counsel; E-mail to David Ferree;	0.30	49.50
12/7/2006 WSJ	Receive and review new pleadings;	0.20	45.00
12/8/2006 WSJ	Receive and review e-mail from consortium counsel; Conference with Mr. Steinberg;	0.20	45.00
JS	E-mail correspondence with consortium counsel; Conference with Mr. Jenkins;	0.20	33.00
12/11/2006 WSJ	Receive and review new pleadings; Receive and review e-mail from Mr. Steinberg;	0.20	45.00
JS	E-mail correspondence with airport consortium counsel;	0.20	33.00

Amount \$540.00

\$363.00

Rate

225.00

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12/12/2006		Review docket;		0.20	33.00
12/13/2006	JS	Receive Modified ADR Procedures Order; E-mail correspondence with ariport consortium counsel;		0.30	49.50
12/14/2006	WSI	Receive and review new pleadings;		0.10	22.50
12/18/2006		Receive and review new pleadings;		0.10	22.50
12/10/2000	JS	Review docket; Review Revised Order adopting ADR		0.20	33.00
	• ~	Procedures;			
12/19/2006	WSJ	Receive and review new pleadings;		0.10	22.50
	For pr	rofessional services rendered		4.60	\$903.00
	Previo	ous balance			\$798.50
12/19/2006	Paymo	ent - Thank You. Check No. 207194			(\$798.50)
-	Total	payments and adjustments			(\$798.50)

	Balan	ce due			\$903.00
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Timekeeper Summary

Name

William Scott Jenkins

Jase Steinberg

This Statement does not include charges for telephone calls
or other expenses incurred during the period covered by this billing and not yet received by this
office.

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In Reference To: Delta Airlines

Account No.

4422-005

Invoice #

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For Services Rendered Through

December 19, 2006

			<u>Hours</u>	Amount
11/27/2006	WSJ	E-mail from David Ferree; E-mail to David Ferree;	0.10	22.50
	JS	Review docket;	0.20	33.00
12/4/2006.	JS	Review docket;	0.10	16.50
12/12/2006.	JS	Review docket;	0.20	33.00
12/18/2006.	JS	Review docket;	0.20	33.00
	For pr	ofessional services rendered	0.80	\$138.00
•	Previo	ous balance		\$121.50
12/19/2006	Payme	ent - Thank You. Check No. 207194		(\$121.50)
	Total 1	payments and adjustments		(\$121.50)
	Balanc	ce due		\$138.00

Timekeeper Summary

Name	Hours	Rate	Amount
William Scott Jenkins	0.10	225.00	\$22.50
Jase Steinberg	0.70	165.00	\$115.50

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In Reference To: United Airlines

Account No.

4422-003

Invoice #

25413

For Services Rendered Through

	Hours	Amount
11/28/2006 BAK Print weekly docket; 12/4/2006 BAK Print weekly docket; 12/11/2006 BAK Print weekly docket;	0.20 0.20 0.20	18.00 18.00 18.00
For professional services rendered	0.60	\$54.00
Previous balance		\$202.00
12/19/2006 Payment - Thank You. Check No. 207194		(\$202.00)
Total payments and adjustments		(\$202.00)
Balance due		\$54.00

	Timekeeper Summary		
Name	Hours	Rate	Amount
Beverly A. Kane	0.60	90.00	\$54.00

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In Reference To: City of Des Moines re ATA (Chicago Express)

Account No.

4422-004

Invoice #

25409

For Services Rendered Through

	<u>Hours</u>	Amount
11/28/2006 BAK Print weekly docket; 12/4/2006 BAK Print weekly docket; 12/11/2006 BAK Print weekly docket;	0.20 0.20 0.20	19.00 19.00 19.00
For professional services rendered	0.60	\$57.00
Previous balance		\$448.68
12/19/2006 Payment - Thank You. Check No. 207194		(\$448.68)
Total payments and adjustments		(\$448.68)
Balance due		\$57.00

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Name	Hours	Rate	Amount
Beverly A. Kane	0.60	95.00	\$57.00