

COMMERCIAL LEASE AGREEMENT

This Agreement of Lease made and entered into this ____ day of June 2024 by and between the CLINTON AIRPORT AUTHORITY, a public trust of the City of Clinton, Oklahoma, hereinafter referred to as "CAA," and Green Arc Aviation, LLC, hereinafter referred to as "Lessee."

WITNESSETH THAT:

WHEREAS, the CAA operates the premises known as Clinton Regional Airport (the "Airport") owned by the City of Clinton, OK; and

WHEREAS, the CAA and Lessee are mutually desirous of entering into a Lease for the use and occupancy of certain areas at the Airport;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and of the rents, covenants and conditions herein contained, the CAA does hereby grant to the Lessee the right to use and occupy the area of the Airport described in Article 2 hereof, during the term hereof, (hereinafter referred to as the "Leased Premises"), for the term and pursuant to the conditions hereinafter set forth.

ARTICLE 1 - TERM

1.1 The term of this lease shall be for a one (1) year period commencing on July 1, 2024 and terminating on June 30, 2025. Lease may be automatically renewed for successive periods of (12) calendar months commencing upon the expiration of the original term hereof. Lessee must notify Lessor within 90 (ninety) days of expiration of lease (by March 1st) of intent to renew. The CAA has the option of adjusting yearly Lease amounts per paragraph 4.1 below after a review of rates to begin July 1 of Lease renewal.

ARTICLE 2 - LEASE PREMISES

2.1 The Leased Premises shown on Exhibit A, attached hereto and made a part hereof consist of:

2.1.1 Existing building designated as Building L-C existing of approximately six thousand three hundred (6,440) square feet.

2.1.2 Improved/unimproved land area outside and to the south of Building L-C consisting of approximately 2,700 square feet (90' x 30").

2.1.3 Any real property improvement constructed or installed thereon during the term hereof.

ARTICLE 3 - USE OF LEASED PREMISES

- 3.1 The Lessee shall occupy and use the Leased Premises for the following purposes and for no other purpose whatsoever other than aviation-related activities, *i.e.* the storage of aircraft and directly related uses.

ARTICLE 4 - RENTAL

- 4.1 Lessee agrees to pay to the Lessee as rental for use of the premises and the privileges herein granted the sum of \$12,000 (twelve thousand dollars) per year. Each year thereafter beginning in 2025 the rental amount will be adjusted from the base amount of \$12,000.00 according to the Consumer Price Index (CPI-U) as of June 1st each year.
- 4.2 Lessee shall pay one-twelfth (1/12) of the annual rent in advance on or before the first day of each month during the term or any renewal of this lease. Provided, however, that if any monthly rental payment is not paid on or before the tenth day following the first day of each month, such payment shall bear interest at 10% per annum.
- 4.3.1 The monthly rent shall be payable at the office of the Clinton City Clerk or such other locations as may from time to time be directed in writing by the Lessor.

ARTICLE 5 - ACCEPTANCE, CARE MAINTENANCE,
IMPROVEMENTS AND REPAIR

- 5.1 Lessee warrants that it has inspected the Leased Premises and accepts possession of the Leased Premises and the improvements thereon "as is" in its present condition, and subject to all limitations imposed upon the use thereof by the rules and regulations of the Federal Aviation Administration and the CAA and by ordinances of the City of Clinton and admits its suitability and sufficiency for the uses permitted hereunder. Except as may otherwise be provided for herein, the Lessor shall not be required to maintain nor to make any improvements, repairs or restorations upon, or to the Leased Premises or to any of the improvements presently located thereon. Lessor shall never have any obligation to repair, maintain or restore, during the term of this lease, any improvements placed upon the Leased Premises by Lessee, its successors and assigns.
- 5.2 Lessee shall throughout the term of this Agreement assume the entire responsibility, cost and expense, for all repair and maintenance whatsoever on the Leased Premises and all improvements thereon in a good workmanlike manner, whether such repair or maintenance be ordinary or extraordinary, structural or otherwise. However, a specific agreement could be reached by both parties in the event of storm damage covered by the CAA's insurance policies.

Additionally, Lessee, without limiting the generality hereof, shall:

5.2.1 Keep at all times, in a clean and orderly condition and appearance, the Leased Premises, all improvements thereon and all of the Lessee's fixtures, equipment and personal property which are located on any part of the Leased Premises.

5.2.2 Provide and maintain on the Leased Premises all obstruction lights and similar devices, and safety equipment required by law.

5.2.3 Repair any damage caused by Lessee to paving or other surface of the Leased Premises caused by any oil, gasoline, grease, lubricants or other flammable liquids and substances having a corrosive or detrimental effect thereon.

5.2.4 Take measures to prevent erosion, including but not limited to, the planting and replanting of grasses with respect to all portions of the Leased Premises not paved or built upon, and in particular shall plant, maintain and replant any landscaped areas.

5.3 Plans and specifications for all major repairs, constructions, alterations, modifications, additions or replacements (hereinafter referred to as "improvements"), including, without limitation the new facility to be constructed by the Lessee pursuant to Section 5.5 below, undertaken by the Lessee shall be submitted to and receive the written approval of the CAA, and no such work shall be commenced until such written approvals are obtained from the City, which approval shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed. CAA shall advise Lessee within thirty (30) days after receipt of the written request, together with copies of the plans and specifications for the proposed improvements in sufficient detail to make a proper review thereof, or its approval or disapproval of the proposed work, and in the event it disapproves, stating its reasons therefore.

5.4 If Lessee makes any improvements without CAA approval, then, upon notice to do so, Lessee shall remove the same or at the option of CAA, cause the same to be changes to the satisfaction of CAA. If Lessee fails to comply with such notice within thirty (30) days or to commence to comply and pursue diligently to completion, CAA may affect the removal or change and Lessee shall pay the cost thereof to the CAA. Lessee expressly agrees in the making of all improvements that, except with the written consent of CAA, it will neither give nor grant, nor purport to give or grant any lien upon the Leased Premises or upon any improvements thereupon or which is in the process of construction or repair, nor allow any condition to exist or situation to develop whereby any party would be entitled, as a mater of law, to a lien against said Leased Premises and improvements thereon, and Lessee will discharge any such lien within thirty (30) days after notice of filing thereof. Notice is hereby given by City to all persons that no lien attaches to any such improvements.

5.5 Upon the completion of construction or installation, the complete and unencumbered title to all improvements located on the Leased Premises shall

immediately vest in CAA free and clear of all claims on the part of the Lessee on account of any repair or improvement work done or to be done under the terms hereof by Lessee. This vesting of title in the City at the time specified is a part of the consideration for this lease. The Lessor shall not be liable to Lessee or Lessee's contractors or sub-lessees for the value of any improvements constructed or located on the Leased Premises.

ARTICLE 6 - ADDITIONAL OBLIGATIONS OF LESSEE

6.1 Lessee shall conduct its operations hereunder in an orderly and proper manner which complies with all Federal and State laws, including any and all regulations of the FAA

6.2 Further, Lessee shall take all reasonable measures:

6.2.1 Not to produce on the Airport any disturbance that interferes with the operation by the CAA or the Federal Aviation Administration of air navigational, communication or flight equipment on the Airport.

6.2.3 Lessee shall control the conduct and demeanor of its officers, agents, employees, invitees and, upon objection from CAA concerning the conduct, demeanor of any such person, Lessee shall immediately take all lawful steps necessary to remove the cause of the objection.

6.2.4 Lessee shall comply with all health and safety laws and requirements and any other federal, state or municipal laws, ordinances, rules, regulations and requirements, applicable to the Leased Premises and the improvements thereon and its operations at the Airport hereunder.

6.2.5 Lessee shall comply with all written instructions of the CAA in disposing of its trash and refuse at Lessee's expense and shall use a system of refuse disposal approved by the CAA. The manner of handling and disposing of trash, garbage and other refuse and the frequency of removal thereof from the Airport premises shall at all times be subject to the rules, regulations and approval of CAA.

6.2.6 Lessee shall not commit, nor permit to be done, anything which may result in the commission of a nuisance, waste or injury on the Leased Premises.

6.2.7 Lessee shall not do, nor permit to be done, anything which may interfere with the effectiveness or accessibility of the drainage system, sewerage system, fire protection system, sprinkler system, alarm system and fire hydrants and hoses, if any, installed or located on the Leased Premises.

6.2.10 Lessee shall use only a working supply of flammable liquids within any covered or enclosed portion of the Leased Premises. Any other supplies of such

shall mean the amount consumed by Lessee during any normal workday.

ARTICLE 7 - INGRESS AND EGRESS

- 7.1 The Lessee shall have the right of ingress and egress to and from the Leased Premises by means of roadways, to be used in common with others having rights of passage thereon, except when the Airport is closed to the public.

ARTICLE 8 - LIABILITIES AND INDEMNITIES

- 8.1 CAA shall not in any way be liable for any cost, liability, damage or injury, including cost of suit and reasonable expenses of legal services, claimed or recovered by any person whomsoever, or occurring on the Leased Premises, or the Airport, or as a result of any operations works, acts or omissions performed on the Leased Premises, or the Airport, by Lessee, its sub lessees or tenants, or their guest or invitees.
- 8.2 Lessee agrees to indemnify, save and hold harmless, the CAA, (its officers, agents, servants and employees) of and from any and all costs, liability, damage and expense (including costs of suit and reasonable expenses of legal services) claimed or recovered, justly or unjustly, false, fraudulent or frivolous, by any person, firm or corporation by reason of injury to, or death of, any person or persons, and damage to, destruction or loss of use of any and all property, including City personnel and CAA property, directly or indirectly arising from, or resulting from, any operations, works, acts or omissions of Lessee, its agents, servants, employees, contractors, sub lessees or tenants. Provided, however, that upon the filing with the CAA by anyone of a claim for damages arising out of incidents for which Lessee herein agrees to indemnify and hold the CAA harmless, the CAA shall notify Lessee of such claim and in the event that Lessee does not settle or compromise such claim, then Lessee shall undertake the legal defense of such claim both on behalf of Lessee and behalf of the City. It is specifically agreed, however, that the City at its own cost and expense, may participate in the legal defense of any such claim. Any final judgment rendered against the City for any cause for which Lessee is liable hereunder shall be conclusive against Lessee as to liability and amount upon the expiration of the time for appeal.
- 8.3 In addition to Lessee's undertaking, as stated in this Article, and as a means of further protecting the CAA, its officers, agents, servants and employees, Lessee shall at all times during the term of this Agreement obtain and maintain in effect Public Liability Insurance coverage as set forth in Schedule A attached hereto and made a part hereof. In this connection, Lessee agrees to require its contractors doing work on the Airport, and Lessee's tenants and sub lessees, to carry adequate insurance coverage, and if Lessee so desires, it may accomplish same by an endorsement to Lessee's policies to include such persons or parties as additional named insured.

- 8.5 The Lessee represents and warrants that no broker has been concerned on its behalf in the negotiation of this Agreement and that there is no such broker who is or may be entitled to be paid a commission in connection therewith. The Lessee shall indemnify and save harmless the City of and from any claim for commission or brokerage made by any such broker when such claim is based in whole or in part upon any act or omission of the Lessee.

ARTICLE 9 - RULES AND REGULATIONS

- 9.1 From time-to-time CAA may adopt and enforce rules and regulations with respect to the occupancy and use of the Airport. Lessee agrees to observe and obey any and all rules and regulations and all other Federal, State and municipal rules, regulations and laws and to require its officers, agents, employees, contractors, and suppliers, to observe and obey the same. CAA reserves the right to deny access to the Airport and its facilities to any person, firm or corporation that fails or refuses to obey and comply with such rules, regulations or laws. Lessee hereby acknowledges receipt of a current copy of such CAA rules and regulations.

ARTICLE 10 - SIGNS

- 10.1 Lessee shall have the right to install and maintain one or more signs on the Leased Premises identifying it and its operations, provided, however, the subject matter, type, design, number, location and elevation of such signs, and whether lighted or unlighted, shall be subject to and in accordance with the written approval of the City. No sign will be approved that may be confusing to aircraft pilots or automobile drivers or their traffic or which fails to conform to the architectural scheme of the Airport or meet the requirements of the CAA.

ARTICLE 11 - ASSIGNMENT AND SUBLEASE

- 11.1 Lessee covenants and agrees that it will not sell, convey, transfer, mortgage, pledge or assign this Agreement or any part thereof, or any rights created thereby, without the prior written consent of the CAA.
- 11.2 Any assignment or transfer of this Agreement, or any rights of Lessee hereunder, without the consent of the CAA, shall entitle the CAA at its option to forthwith cancel this Agreement.
- 11.3 Any assignment of this Agreement approved and ratified by the CAA shall be on the condition that the assignee accepts and agrees to all of the terms, conditions and provisions of this Agreement, and agrees to accept and discharge all of the covenants and obligations of Lessee hereunder, including but not limited to the payment of all sums due and to become due by Lessee under the terms hereof.
- 11.4 Subject to all of the terms and provisions hereof, Lessee may, with the prior written consent of the CAA, sublet a portion or portions of the Leased Premises to a

person, partnership, firm or corporation engaged in a business that is in the opinion of the CAA compatible with Lessee's authorized Airport business, but in no event shall the Lessee sublet all or any portion of the Leased Premises to a fixed base operator.

- 11.5 No consent by the CAA to subleasing by Lessee of portions of the Leased Premises shall in any way relieve Lessee of any of its obligations to the City set forth or arising from this lease and a termination of Lessee's rights hereunder shall ipso facto terminate all subleases.

ARTICLE 12 - NON-DISCRIMINATION

- 12.1 The Lessee, for it, its heirs, personal representatives, successors in interest, and assigns, as a part of the consideration hereof, does hereby covenant and agree as a covenant running with the land that in the event facilities are constructed, maintained, or otherwise operated on the Leased Premises for a purpose for which a United States Government program or activity is extended, the Lessee shall maintain and operate such facilities and services in compliance with all other requirements imposed pursuant to Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally-assisted programs of the Department of Transportation-Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil rights Act of 1964, and as said Regulations may be amended.

ARTICLE 13 - DEFAULT

- 13.1 In the event Lessee breaches any term or provision of this Lease, including the obligation to pay rent as and when due, the CAA shall have the right to terminate this lease upon giving Lessee ten (10) days notice to cure such default (except as otherwise provided in Section 5.3 above). If Lessee shall not have cured its default within said ten (10) day period to the satisfaction of the City, then the City may declare this Lease and Lessee's right of occupancy to be terminated, and Lessee shall at once quit the Premises, taking only such personality or fixtures as the City may authorize to be removed. The foregoing rights and remedies given to City are and shall be deemed to be cumulative and shall be deemed to be given to City in addition to any other and further rights granted to City herein or by law. The failure by the City at any time to exercise any right or remedy hereby given to it shall not be deemed to operate as a waiver by it of its right to exercise such rights or remedies at any other or future time.

ARTICLE 14 - TERMINATION BY LESSEE

- 14.1 In addition to any other right of cancellation herein given to Lessee, or any other rights to which it may be entitled by law, equity or otherwise, as long as Lessee is not in default in payment to CAA of any amounts due CAA under this Agreement, Lessee may cancel this Agreement and thereby terminate all of its rights and

unaccrued obligations hereunder, by giving CAA thirty (30) days' advance written notice upon or after the happening of the following events:

ARTICLE 15 - SURRENDER AND RIGHT OF RE-ENTRY

- 15.1 Upon the cancellation or termination of this Agreement pursuant to any terms hereof, Lessee agrees peaceably to surrender up the Leased Premises to the CAA in the same condition as they are at the time of the commencement of the term hereof, and as they may hereafter be repaired and improved by Lessee; save and except, (a) such normal wear and tear thereof as could not have been prevented by ordinary and usual repairs and maintenance, (b) obsolescence in spite of repair, and (c) damage to or destruction of the leasehold improvements for which insurance proceeds are received by the CAA. Upon such cancellation or termination, the CAA may re-enter and repossess the Leased Premises together with all improvements and additions thereto, or pursue any remedy permitted by law for the enforcement of any of the provisions of this Agreement, at CAA's election. Furthermore, upon such cancellation or termination, and for a reasonable time thereafter (not exceeding thirty (30) days after such cancellation or termination, and for which period Lessee will pay to the CAA current lease rentals), or during the term of this Agreement, if Lessee is not in default in rentals or any other charges or obligations due the CAA, Lessee shall have the right to remove its personal property, fixtures and trade equipment which it may have on the Leased Premises, provided the removal thereof does not impair, limit or destroy the utility of said Leased Premises or building for the purpose for which they were constructed or improved, and provided, further, that Lessee repairs all damages that might be occasioned by such removal, and restores the building and site to the condition above required.

ARTICLE 16 - NOTICES

- 16.1 All notices, consents and approvals required or desired to be given by the parties hereto shall be sent in writing, and shall be deemed sufficiently given when same is deposited in the United States Mail, sufficient postage prepaid, registered or certified mail, return receipt requested, addressed to the recipient at the address set forth below:

To City: City Clerk
P.O. Box 1177
Clinton, Oklahoma 73601

AND

To Lessee: Green Arc Aviation
11644 N 2150 Road
Foss, OK 74647

ARTICLE 24 - HOLDING OVER

- 24.1 No holding over by Lessee after the termination of this lease shall operate to extend or renew this lease for any further term whatsoever; but Lessee will by such holding over become the tenant at will of City and after written notice by City to vacate such premises, continued occupancy thereof by Lessee shall constitute Lessee a trespasser.
- 24.2 Any holding over by Lessee beyond the thirty (30) day period permitted for removal of fixtures without the written consent of the City shall make the Lessee liable to the City for damages equal to double the rentals provided for herein and which were in effect at the termination of the lease.
- 24.3 All insurance coverage that Lessee is required under the provisions hereof to maintain in effect shall continue in effect for so long as Lessee, or any of Lessee's sub lessees or tenants occupy the Leased Premises or any part thereof.

ARTICLE 25 - INVALID PROVISIONS

- 25.1 The invalidity of any provisions, articles, paragraphs, portions, or clauses of this Agreement shall have no effect upon the validity of any other part or portion hereof, so long as the remainder shall constitute an enforceable Agreement.

ARTICLE 26 - MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

Remedies to be Nonexclusive.

- 26.1 All remedies provided in this Agreement shall be deemed cumulative and additional and not in lieu of, or exclusive of, each other, or of any other remedy available to the City, or Lessee, at law or in equity, and the exercise of any remedy, or the existence herein of other remedies or indemnities shall not prevent the exercise of any other remedy.

Non-Waiver of Rights.

- 26.2 The failure by either party to exercise any right, or rights accruing to it by virtue of the breach of any covenant, condition or agreement herein by the other party shall not operate as a waiver of the exercise of such right or rights in the event of any subsequent breach by such other party, nor shall other party be relieved thereby from its obligations under the terms hereof.

Force Majeure.

26.3 Neither party shall be deemed in violation of this Agreement if it is prevented from performing any of its obligations hereunder by reason of labor disputes, acts of God, acts of the public enemy, acts of superior governmental authority or other circumstances for which it is not responsible or which is not in its control provided, however, that this section shall not excuse Lessee from paying the rentals herein specified.

Non-Liability of Individuals.

26.4 No director, officer, agent or employee of either party hereto shall be charged personally or held contractually liable by or to the other party under any term or provision of this Agreement or of an supplement, modification or amendment to this Agreement because of any breach thereof, or because of his or their execution or attempted execution of the same.

Quiet Enjoyment.

26.5 The City covenants that as long as Lessee is not in default of any provision of this Agreement, Lessee shall and may peaceably and quietly have, hold and enjoy the Leased Premises exclusively to it during the term hereof unless sooner canceled as provided in this Agreement.

General Provisions.

26.6 Lessee shall not use, or permit the use of, the Leased Premises, or any part thereof, for any purpose or use other than those authorized by this Agreement.

26.7 This Agreement shall be performable and enforceable in Clinton, Oklahoma and shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Oklahoma.

26.8 This Agreement is made for the sole and exclusive benefit of the City and Lessee, their successors and assigns, and is not made for the benefit of any third party.

26.9 In the event of any ambiguity in any of the terms of this Agreement, it shall not be construed for or against any party hereto on the basis that such party did or did not author the same.

26.10 All covenants, stipulations and agreements in this Agreement shall extend to and bind each party hereto, its legal representatives, successors and assigns.

26.11 The titles of the several articles of this Agreement are inserted herein for convenience only, and are not intended and shall not be construed to affect in any manner the terms and provisions hereof, or the interpretation or construction thereof.

26.12 Nothing herein contained shall create or be construed to creating a co-partnership

between the City and the Lessee or to constitute the Lessee an agent of the City. The City and the Lessee each expressly disclaim the existence of such a relationship between them.

ARTICLE 27 - SUBORDINATION CLAUSES

27.1 This Agreement is subject and subordinate to the following:

27.1.1 City reserves the right to develop and improve the Airport as it sees fit, regardless of the desires or view of Lessee, and without interference or hindrance by or on behalf of Lessee, provided, Lessee is not deprived of the use of or access to the Leased Premises.

27.1.2 City reserves the right to take any action it considers necessary to protect the aerial approaches to the Airport against obstruction, together with the right to prevent Lessee from erecting or permitting to be erected any building or other structure on the Airport which, in the opinion of the City, would limit the usefulness of the Airport or constitute a hazard to aircraft.

27.1.3 This Agreement is and shall be subordinate to the provisions of existing and future agreements between City and the United States relative to the operation or maintenance of the Airport, the execution of which has been or may be required as a condition precedent to the obtaining or expenditure of Federal funds for the benefit of the Airport.

27.1.4 During the time of war or national emergency, City shall have the right to lease all or any part of the landing area or of the Airport to the United States for military or naval use, and if any such lease is executed, the provisions of this Agreement insofar as they may be inconsistent with the provisions of such lease to the Government, shall be suspended, but such suspension shall not extend the term of this Agreement. Abatement of rentals shall be determined by the City in proportion to the degree of interference with Lessee's use of the Leased Premises.

27.1.5 Except to the extent required for the performance of any obligations of Lessee hereunder, nothing contained in this Agreement shall grant to the Lessee any rights whatsoever in the airspace above the Leased Premises other than those rights where subject to Federal Aviation Administration rules, regulations and orders currently or subsequently effective.

ARTICLE 28 - ENTIRE AGREEMENT

28.1 The Agreement consists of Articles 1 to 28, inclusive, and Schedule A.

28.2 It constitutes the entire Agreement of the parties hereto and may not be changed, modified, discharged or extended except by written instrument duly executed by the

City and the Lessee. The parties agree that no representations or warranties shall be binding upon the City or the Lessee unless expressed in writing in this Agreement of Lease.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement on the day and year written above.

LESSOR:

THE CLINTON AIRPORT AUTHORITY,
A Public Trust of the City of Clinton, Ok

By: _____
City Manager

ATTEST:

LESSEE:

By: _____

ATTEST:

SCHEDULE "A"

INSURANCE COVERAGE

The Lessee, at Lessee's expense, shall obtain and maintain in continuous effect during the term of this Lease Agreement, insurance policies issued by an insurance carrier licensed to do business in the State of Oklahoma, providing for:

1. Comprehensive General Liability - having a minimum of \$100,000.00 per person, 300,000.00 for any one accident, and \$100,000.00 property damage with the following coverage:
 - A. broad form contractual liability
 - B. premises and operations
2. Fire coverage

The Lessee shall provide the City with a Certificate of Insurance indicating proof of the foregoing coverage. Such certificate shall provide that the carrier issuing the certificate shall notify the City within ten (10) days in advance of any cancellation or significant change in the terms or coverage of such insurance policies.

The failure of the Lessee to obtain and maintain such insurance coverage shall not relieve the Lessee from any liability arising from this Lease Agreement nor shall any such liability be limited to the liability insurance coverage provided for herein.