

**RESOLUTION NUMBER 4474**

***A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY  
OF PERRIS, CALIFORNIA, SUPPORTING THE TRANSFER  
OF ONTARIO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT TO LOCAL  
CONTROL***

**WHEREAS**, local control of airports in Southern California has been shown to be conducive to development of successful regional airports because the airport sponsor has a vested interest in the airport making the greatest contribution to its economy; and

**WHEREAS**, the Ontario International Airport (ONT) is currently under the management of the Los Angeles World Airports' (LAWA), which has focused much of its attention on making the Los Angeles International Airport successful. As such, ONT has become the highest cost airport for airlines in Southern California as well as the highest cost medium-hub in the nation; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Ontario has expressed interest in managing ONT and resuming local control of this important regional resource. On September 2, 2010 the Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG) Regional Council enacted a resolution recommending the transfer of ONT to local control as being in the best interest of Los Angeles and the Southern California region. On January 7, 2011 the Los Angeles Economic Development Corporation called on LAWA to shift control of ONT, as well as the responsibility and risk that comes with that control, to another entity so LAWA can focus more of its energy on modernizing the Los Angeles International Airport; and

**WHEREAS**, it is believed that under local control ONT can implement changes more efficiently, meet the needs of passengers and businesses more effectively, and lower costs to operate at similar levels to other secondary airports in the area such as Burbank, Orange County, and Long Beach; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Perris sees the value of ONT as a regional resource and its potential as an economic generator for the area. Furthermore, the efficient service at ONT is of benefit to the City's residents and companies that are seeking reasonable air and cargo services for travel as well as business.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

1. The City of Perris supports the transfer of Ontario International Airport to local control.

**PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED**, this 28th day of February, 2012.

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Mayor, Daryl R. Busch

ATTEST:

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City Clerk, Judy L. Haughney, C.M.C.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA )  
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE ) §  
CITY OF PERRIS )

I Judy L. Haughney, duly elected City Clerk of the City of Perris do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution Number 4474 was duly and regularly adopted by the City Council of the City of Perris at a regular meeting held on the 28th day of February 2012, by the following vote:

AYES: Evans, Landers, Yarbrough, Rogers, Busch

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

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City Clerk, Judy Haughney, C.M.C