**Newcastle Airport Consultative Committee**

**Summary of Meeting 11th June 2024**

**Present**

12 committee members were in attendance, plus four officers from Newcastle Airport. 4 apologies were received.

**Minute of last meeting and matters arising**

The Committee agreed the minutes of the last meeting were an accurate representation.

Matters arising from the previous meeting were discussed and a new action was created.

**Chairman’s business**

The Chair welcomed new attendees from the airport including Alice Andreasen, Chief Sustainability and Communications Officer, Jack Ravenscroft, Carbon Reduction Manager, and Adam Ewart, Airport Planner.

The Chair let the committee know that a member will be travelling to the UKACC Conference in the autumn.

**Airport Company Report**

Officers took the Committee through the Airport Company Report:

* Passenger numbers were up 13% in Q1 2024 versus 2023.
* 98% of passengers continue to be processed through security in 10 minutes or less.
* Passenger Assistance has seen a 22% increase in use in Q1 2024 versus 2023.
* The Airport recently held a media day for 6 local journalists who were given a private tour of the new catering and executive lounge outlets.
* The Airport is delighted to be the headline sponsor of the North East Chamber of Commerce Inspiring Females Awards.
* The Airport sponsored the Newcastle Eagles basketball team and over 300 tickets were given away to staff.
* To date, the company has planted 43,567 trees on airport land, 17,000 more than the original target.

**Date of next meeting**

The Chair informed the members the next meeting would be held on **Tuesday 10th September at 10:00.**