

Member Qualifications, Terms, and Vacancies
Republic Airport Commission (RAC) - [Transportation Law Section 402](#)

Summary of Membership Requirements

The commission shall be composed of nine (9) members who are residents of Nassau county or Suffolk county and shall serve a term of four (4) years.

Four (4) members shall be appointed by the governor upon the recommendation of the temporary president of the senate.

Four (4) members shall be appointed by the governor upon the recommendation of the speaker of the assembly.

One (1) member shall be appointed by the governor without recommendation from any other person.

For each appointment upon a recommendation, the recommender shall submit a list of no fewer than three persons, from which the governor shall appoint one.

Residents interested in becoming a member should contact their State Senate or Assembly representative.

The Commissioner of Transportation or designee shall be an ex-officio member of the commission.

The Commissioner of Transportation shall designate an executive secretary from among the staff of the Department of Transportation who will act as the administrative agent of the commission and assist the commission in fulfilling its duties and functions.

Current Republic Airport Commission Membership

Commission Member Requirement	County of Residence	Term Expires
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	Recommended by Senate		
1	Vincent Bologna, Jr.	Suffolk	June 2018
2	Robert Bodenmiller	Suffolk	June 2017
3	Jessica Ward	Suffolk	June 2028
4	John T. Manzi	Suffolk	June 2030

	Recommended by Assembly		
5	Richard Grant	Suffolk	June 2014
6	Vacant		
7	Vacant		
8	Vacant		

	Appointed by Governor		
9	Vacant		

Commissioner's Designee - Ex Officio Member Airport Director
Executive Secretary Airport Director