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COPAMA January 12, 2010 Meeting Minutes

- COPAMA President Gene Sprang called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm. Gene welcomed all new members and guests. 43 attendees enjoyed a ham, potato, and green bean dinner sponsored by **Hi-Line**.
- After dinner meeting sponsors Don Huff and Roy Connel from Hi-Line (www.hi-line.com) spoke on the company's history and capabilities. Hi-line offers many 14CFR21 certified products. The also talked about the mobile van and ability to order small quantities and standard parts are stocked on the truck. Hi-Line also offers an AOG service for their customers. Don is our local sales representative and is able to offer inventory management services. Don will come in to your shop and set up and maintain your stock of rotables. If you are interested in contacting Don email him at don@hi-line.com
- Gene gave a wrap-up of the Holiday Dinner co-sponsored by the PPA. The dinner raised \$545 dollars for the Sam Dodge Memorial Scholarship.
- Gene reminded everyone that the Ohio Aviation Maintenance Symposium is March 17th and 18th 2010 at Columbus State Aviation Facility. For more information and registration forms go to <u>www.cscc.edu/am/symposium</u>. Cost is still \$20 per day for attendees. Lunch will be provided as part of the registration fee.
- Gene then announced the 2010 Testing Scholarship recipients. 13 applicants that were awarded scholarships are Marco Balke, Mark Bibbee, James Byington, Ryan Cherwein, Curtis Cox, Ed Erwin, Ian frias, Charles Jenkins, Jake Julian, Dan Murphy, Josh Neumann, Sarah Osborne, and Sean Scott. Total mount given to the testing scholarship was \$7,745. Gene also expressed thanks to the members of the Scholarship Committee for their hard work. The members of the Committee are Lowell Dowler, Joe Lippert Paul Gillenwater, and Cliff Kelling. Pictures of those students who attended will be on the website.
- Gene, Jeff, and Bill Reinhert reminded everyone who is participating in the AMT Awards to claim their award this month. The deadline to enter and claim award for 2009 is January 31st. The deadline for employees to claim their award for 2009 is February 28 2010. Gene also reviewed and demonstrated how to access the Award Program on <u>www.faasafety.gov</u>.
- The membership discussed the older paper Airman Certificates and that they must be replaced with the newer "credit card" style by March 31, 2013. This can be done by writing the FAA, filing out a postcard available at the FSDO, or by visiting <u>www.faa.gov</u>.

Jeff talked about the TSA Notice of Proposed rule Making TSA-2004-17131 regarding Security at

Certified Repair Stations. The comment period closes on January 19th. PAMA has published a comment on this NPRM against the implementation. For further details see www.regulations.gov or www.pama.org.

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• The evening ended with the raffle prizes donated by **Hi-Line**, **ASCO**, **CRS Jet Spares**, **PAMA**, **and Bombardier Learjet**

A very special Thanks to Lane Aviation for allowing us to use their facility.

The meeting ended at 8:00 pm.

• Reminder to all members to keep me updated on changes in email address and to sign-in at each meeting and to check the website for updates and upcoming events <u>www.copama.org</u>.

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