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Who's Who?

<u>President</u>	<u>Vice President</u>	<u>Secretary</u>	<u>Treasurer</u>	<u>Newsletter Editor</u>
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Meeting Schedule

Meeting Dates: Mar 10, Apr 14, May, 12, Jun 9, Jul 14, Aug 11, Sep 8, Oct 13, Nov 10, Dec TBD

Meeting Time: 7:pm

Meeting Location: By Zoom

Meeting Minutes

January Meeting Minutes 2/10/2021

Meeting was called to order by President Richard Jenkins.

Roll Call – Doug Sanders made the roll call. There were 9 members present via Zoom call. 28 members have joined so far this year. Contact List was published Feb.8th.

Treasurers Report – Hawkeye gave the treasurer's report. He was able to work with US Bank and transfer his name to the account. He reported the need to delete Paul Trendley's name on insurance at the bank to Richard's name.

AMA annual re-register of \$120 was paid and also shipping charges of club files to Hawkeye from Jim Benedict.

Richard has some expense from Zoom to be submitted to the Treasurer. And will update Doug Sanders on working with Zoom when needed to conduct meetings.

Hawkeye reported the need for him to work out the details to look at the bank transaction on line and also the possible need for an ATM card.

Secretary's report – Approved.

Safety report – none

Field report – none – Richard said he goes by the field on his way to work. No activity!!

We still need a report on how the Porta-Potty is being billed to the club.

Old business – Richard reported no new updates on the FAA rules that was published in December. No impact to the clubs for the next two or three years. Our club will eventually become a FAA registered site and will be exempt from the tracking regulations. (Option 3)

OPTION 1- STANDARD REMOTE ID -Identify both the UAS and control station. Manufactures will be required to install remote ID modules in their aircraft starting in mid 2022. This option applies to drones “beyond line of sight” like delivery companies such as Amazon and any other commercial business. The serial number of the remote ID module will be tied to the person’s FAA registration number.

OPTION 2 – BROADCAST MODULES – Identify line-of-sight UAS operations. Same remote ID module as option one but will be removable to install in other aircraft and will not send the location of the control station. FAA estimated cost between \$20 and \$50. The broadcast module will have a serial number that you enter on your FAA registration. This option applies to drones (UAS) flying at a non-approved site, such as your own back yard, fields or any location that is not registered with the FAA as an established site.

OPTION 3 – FIXED FLYING SITE – Identify CBO location with line-of-sight UAS operations. (Community Based Operations) This option applies to clubs or educational institutes with established flying sites, such as ours and will be exempt from the ID module. The club will have to register with the FAA, and also each member will have to be register with the FAA, \$5 for three years. Your FAA number and information must be on each aircraft on the outside of the aircraft. AMA will help clubs get registered with the FAA.

Web site to register or renew FAA certificate: faadronezone.faa.gov/

New Business – none - BELLEVILLE RC FLYERS 17TH ANNUAL SWAP MEET.

Site: Belleville/Swansea Moose Lodge 1221
2425 N Illinois St
Swansea, IL

Show and Tell – none - Now that we are having meetings on Zoom, we can still have Show and Tell.

50/50 – none

Attendance Prizes – none -Discussion on gift cards to resume once we start having meetings at the field or at the hobby shop, then the Treasurer can purchase the gift cards from the hobby shop.

Motion to adjourn

The planes for sale by Dennis Johnson will be included on the club website in the newsletter for Feb.

