

AVIATION ASSOCIATION OF INDIANA ANNUAL MEETING

OCTOBER 13-16, 2015

5203 Plymouth LaPorte Trail

Plymouth, IN 46563

574/935-3908

(all times are Eastern Daylight Savings Time)

Tuesday, October 13

12:30 pm Shotgun Start

AAI Scholarship Shoot

Back Forty Sporting Clays (574/305-1969)

9442 Beech Rd, Bourbon, IN 46504

Please bring your own shotgun – a limited number of rental shotguns are available. Lunch served at 11:30 am followed by an introductory gun safety presentation.

1:00 pm Shotgun Start

AAI Scholarship Golf Scramble

Swan Lake Golf Course (800/935-5616)

Collared shirt required and denim jeans are not allowed.

Lunch served at 11:30 am.

6:00 pm – 7:00 pm

Registration & Hospitality

7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Bar B Q Dinner/Retirement Party

AAI will honor those who have retired from aviation in the past year during the Bar B Q dinner.

9:00 pm – 9:30 pm

Committee Meetings

Wednesday, October 14

7:30 am – 3:00 pm

Registration

7:15 am – 8:15 am

Breakfast Buffet

8:30 am – 5:00 pm

CIP meetings

- 8:30 am – 12:00 pm** **Board Member Training for New and Experienced Board Members (Breakout Session)**
Chad Oliver, FAA Program Manager and Edward Volk, LaPorte Airport Authority (Attorney and board member with more than 40 years airport board experience), Marty Blake, Manager, INDOT Office of Aviation, will lead a discussion designed for new airport board members and managers. This session will give attendees a better understanding of how the airport interacts with the FAA and INDOT. The session will also address common legal problems faced by board members. Please indicate on your registration if you plan to attend.
- 8:30 am – 8:45 am** **Welcome/Introductions**
AAI President Andrea Montgomery, Montgomery Aviation, will welcome attendees and make opening remarks.
- 8:45 am – 10:00 am** **America’s Next Spaceship**
Cleon Lacefield, retired from NASA and Lockheed Martin, will discuss the Orion spacecraft and the future of space travel vehicles.
- 10:00 am – 10:15 am** **Coffee Break**
- 10:15am** **Spouse Activity** (meet at AAI Registration desk)
- 10:15 am – 11:15 am** **FAA Great Lakes Region Update**
Barry Cooper, FAA Great Lakes Regional Administrator, and Sue Mowery-Schalk, Division Manager, Airports Division, Great Lakes Region will discuss the latest on Re-Authorization, as well as give their thoughts from the national and Great Lakes Region’s perspective.
- 11:15 am – 12:00 pm** **Air and Space Academy**
Dr. Tim Smith, CEO of the National Air and Space Education Institute, will discuss educational programs for students in grades 9-12 that develop and promote study and proficiency in the STEM Subjects.
- 12:00 pm – 1:30 pm** **Lunch & Exhibitor Introductions**

1:30 pm – 1:45 pm

INDOT Update

Marty Blake, Manager, INDOT Office of Aviation, and the Office of Aviation Staff, will give an update from the state perspective in his new role as Manager.

1:45 pm – 2:15 pm

FAA Chicago ADO Update

Jim Keefer, FAA Manager, Chicago ADO, will discuss the latest initiatives from the Chicago ADO and give an update on how Indiana airports compared with airports from other states.

2:15 pm – 3:15 pm

The Next Generation of Aviation Fuels

Chris D'Acosta, CEO of Swift Fuels, LLC, will discuss their new Unleaded 94 MON Aviation Gasoline for piston-powered aircraft that is now available in Indiana and in selected markets across the US. Please plan to attend to hear how this Indiana company has become a global industry leader in the next generation of aviation fuels.

3:15 pm -3:30 pm

Break

3:30 pm – 4:00 pm

Legislative Plan for 2016 and Beyond

Joe Heerens, Indianapolis International Airport, Bart Giesler, AAI, will discuss AAI's upcoming strategy for 2016 session.

4:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Changes to Prevailing Wage Statute

Karen Arland and Steven Jones, Ice Miller, will discuss the recent state changes in the prevailing wage statute that include new provisions for contractors.

5:30 pm - 7:00 pm

Network with Other Indiana Airport Representatives

7:00 pm

Dinner/Entertainment

Thursday, October 15

8:00 am – 12:00 noon

Registration

7:45 am – 8:45 am

Breakfast

8:00 am – 12:00 pm

ICLEF Continuing Education – Aviation Law

This session is for aviation attorneys who want to receive continuing education hours. Sign-up must be completed through ICLEF at iclef.org.

- 9:00 am – 5:00 pm** **CIP meetings**
- 9:00 am – 10:45 am** **GA Roundtable**
Brian Payne, Columbus Airport Manager, and Deb Bartell, FAA Chicago ADO Assistant Manager, will lead a panel discussion on GA issues with a focus on FAA Advisory Circulars, wildlife management, non-aeronautical uses, ACRP programs, and the Purdue rumble strips research project. Bring your questions for the panel.
- 9:00 am – 11:00 am** **Consultant/FAA Breakout Session**
This session is a breakout session for AAI Consultant members and the FAA to discuss technical issues. AAI will contact member consultants about attendance.
- 9:30 am** **Spouse Activity** (Meet at AAI Registration Desk)
- 10:45 am – 11:00 am** **Break**
- 11:00 am – 12:00 pm** **Unmanned Aircraft Systems Discussion**
Dr. Richard Baker, Indiana State University, and Mark Foisy, Unmanned Aircraft specialist for the FAA Great Lakes Region/NextGen Branch, will lead a panel discussion that will focus on regulation, technology and the future of the industry. As an aviation expert in your community, please plan to attend to educate yourself on the evolving regulations.
- 12:15 pm – 1:15 pm** **Lunch**
- 12:15 pm – 1:15 pm** **Young Aviation Professional Breakout Lunch**
Through presenters' sharing of their experiences while building rewarding careers, this session seeks to unite tomorrow's aviation professionals with today's aviation leaders toward the sustained advancement of the industry and its personnel.
- 1:30 pm – 2:00 pm** **TSA Update**
Aaron Batt, Federal Security Director for Indianapolis, and Brent Saucerman, Transportation Security Inspector (Aviation), will update airports on TSA's latest initiatives and answer your airport security plan questions.

2:00 pm - 2:45 pm

Insurance – Do You Have too Much or not Enough?

Mike Daigle, South Bend Regional Airport Director, will lead a panel discussion on determining what you need to know about insurance and how to determine your airport’s insurance coverage needs.

2:45 pm – 3:00 pm

Break

3:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Airport Overlay District

Scott Hinderman, Ft. Wayne-Allen County Airport Authority Executive Director and Stephanie Ward, Mead & Hunt, will discuss Ft. Wayne’s recently completed airport overlay district. This session will help you learn how to protect your airport from encroachment.

4:00 pm – 4:30 pm

Combined General Membership/Board Meeting

Andrea Montgomery, AAI President

4:30 pm – 4:45 pm

AAI Scholarship Fund, Inc. Annual Meeting

5:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Network with other Indiana Airport Representatives

6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Annual Dinner/Awards Banquet

Friday, October 16

9:00 am – 11:30 am

CIP meetings

9:00 am – 11:30 am

AAI Committee Meetings