

## EAA Chapter # 255 MEETING MINUTES of Sunday, AUGUST 7, 2016

### Call to Order:

The very brief meeting was called to order at 4:00pm, by President Joe Kollar, (a.k.a. the Big Kahuna). It was held at the Ashland County Airport's FBO Office. No minutes were read from the previous month, as there were no minutes available.

**Roll Call:** Joe Kollar Ed & Candy Gubeno Denny & Tracie Baum Linda Blodgett Tami Lowe

### Treasurer's Report:

Finances reported for EAA Chapter #255 are as follows: We currently have \$ 2,971.44 in the savings account, and \$ 5,290.14 in the checking account. Fly-in expenses were \$746.51. Those bills have been paid, leaving us with a total cash balance of \$ 7,515.07. One outstanding bill not received yet, is for Gerwig's @ \$ 87.24.

*NOTE:* It was mentioned there are still unpaid membership dues for the year, and the cost is \$20.00 per person/per year. Among other things, paying your dues entitles you to receive all of the year's events notices, e-mailings, an EAA Membership card, and great fellowship. Meetings are the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of every month, 4:00pm at the Tailwinds FBO.

### Old Business:

*Airport Neighbors/ Annual Corn Roast*-Scheduled for Sun. 8-21-16 @ 6pm.- 80 invitations were mailed to the neighbors, the Kahuna will get the supplies, plus 4 dozen burgers, 80 hot dogs, buns and propane. We will also use the frozen sausage left over from the fly-in. Ed Gubeno will once again get 12 dozen ears of corn (extra 2 doz. for Bechtols).

*Veterans Appreciation Day*- The event is Saturday 8-13-16, and vendors will begin bringing their goods on Wednesday, set-up Thursday/Friday/Sat. am. Opening ceremonies Saturday at 1:00pm, Legion Riders, TBM Avenger, C-47 will be offering rides (\$225.00 per seat), food, complimentary dinner for veterans, USO-style shows, activities, and fireworks.

### New Business:

*EAA Projects*-The Big Kahuna Joe Kollar mentioned there are airport projects that need tended to, and could be funded by the EAA #255, so long as it benefits the pilots, as well as others utilizing the airport. Conversations among folks here, have been for new picnic tables outside the front entrance area, new chairs (or fabric coverings for the classroom chairs), and more banquet-style tables.

Denny Baum mentioned the possibility of replacing the large airport sign in the field out on Rt. 42N. Cost and design tabled for the next meeting.

We encourage your input, and appreciate your suggestions. If anyone has any ideas to present at the next meeting, please do so!

A brief discussion was held regarding the location of this year's Christmas Party. It was decided to keep it at O'Bryan's Pub, and the date is set for Sunday, December 4, 2016, with SOCIAL HOUR at 6pm, DINNER at 7pm.

### Adjourn:

There being no further business to discuss, the Big Kahuna adjourned the meeting 4:20pm. All in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

Tracie Baum  
(in John Munroe's absence)

Joe Kollar, President