

Katama Airfield Committee Meeting Saturday, May 25, 2024 11am

Present at the meeting were Hal Findlay, Peter Vincent, Patrick Bradley, Bill Brine – commissioners – Jane Varkonda, Bella Murphy, Michael Nagle and Drew from RAC.

Bill called the meeting to order at 11am First order of business – the CO for the hangar. Bill gave a brief overview and the Building Inspector is ready to sign off as soon as the electrical inspector signs off – however he has a couple of issues he has found relating to code compliance.

#1 motor that raises the hangar door has to be 18” off the floor – it is only 12” now.

#2 electric panel need the plastic pipe removed and a metal pipe to replace it.

#3 the utility room needs to have the air handling unit working to exchange air in the utility room, and the office and the pilot meeting room – need to cut vent holes from utility room to office and pilot meeting room. We have an electrician, Justin, who will do the work – for approximately \$5000 – he will look into the code and get an estimate for the costs.

We are going to purchase paint for the hangar floor – Sherman Williams floor paint – grey.

Fees: fuel same as KMVY – now \$7.66 a gal. locals get 10cent discount = \$ goes to the town.

Tie down overnight: \$20, seasonal \$600, \$800 with a car.

Hangar overnight – Single \$50, Multi \$100

Bill motioned to accept these fees, Hal seconded and all voted in favor.

Bill motioned we rent a UTV for the season – same as parks dept. Hal seconded and all voted in favor. We will get it with a ball on the front and back to use with a tow bar which Geoff Freeman from KMVY is lending us.

Peter made a motion to make use of all available funds for this year to get the items we need.

Bill seconded it and all voted in favor.

Bella and Michael are going to take the CPR/AED/FIRST AID COURSE through the Y - \$125 each = we put in a call to the Fire Chief about the possibility of getting a defibrillator as he did for other departments and the possibility of getting a 911 radio. Peter will mention it to him again.

Bill is going to get a copy of the Katama Kitchen lease to look at. Need to see who should be called in case of an emergency fire at the hangar or field – right now it is going to Bill.

Next meeting around 4th of July Meeting adjourned at 11:45am