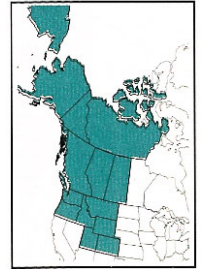




Chapter Update July, 2004



David Ulane, A.A.E., President

President's Note

Well, the 2004 AAAE Annual Conference in Las Vegas is finally over, and I hope that unlike me, you all got to go home with at least some pocket change! The conference was outstanding and was one of the best attended in recent years. We had an excellent Chapter meeting during the conference, and adopted a new annual budget that will run from July 1 to June 30 each year. This revised fiscal year will allow us to better address budget issues now that our annual conference is held in the Spring. I appreciate everyone's input at the Las Vegas meeting, and as always, if you have anything you'd like to discuss, you can reach me at (435) 634-5822, or at dulane@infowest.com.

Two Chapter Members Complete the AAAE Accreditation Process

At the AAAE Annual Conference in Las Vegas last month, two Northwest Chapter members, Mark Crosby of Portland, Oregon and Scott Hinderman of Cheyenne, Wyoming, completed the third step of the AAAE Accreditation process- the challenging and comprehensive final interview.

To qualify for the Accredited Airport Executive (A.A.E.) designation, Mark and Scott each had to pass a 180-item written examination, write a comprehensive management research paper, and demonstrate, in the final interview by a panel of A.A.E.'s, his knowledge of airport management, business administration, and general transportation economics.

Attainment of AAAE Accreditation is a significant accomplishment, so please take a moment to congratulate both Mark and Scott. Mark can be reached at crosbm@portptld.com and Scott can be reached at shinderman@cheyenneairport.com.

For more information on the Accreditation process and how it can benefit you, please contact NWAAAE Regional Examiner David Ulane at dulane@infowest.com.

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International Airport Facilities Conference- September 12-14, 2004

As many of you already know, Chapter Secretary/Treasurer Al Stuart and his staff at Salt Lake City International Airport are hosting this year's International Airport Facilities Conference (IAFC) in Salt Lake City September 12 - 14. Al and his staff are putting together an outstanding program, and I would encourage all of you to have members of your staff attend this year's IAFC. This is a key conference, for both for the success of the Chapter and the benefit of our members. Look for more information at: http://www.airportnet.org/depts/meetings/meeting_details.htm?Record_id=97.

Lori Beckman, A.A.E. Elected to AAAE National Board of Directors

At last month's AAAE Annual Conference in Las Vegas, past Chapter President Lori Beckman, A.A.E. of Denver, Colorado was elected to an at-large position on the AAAE National Board of Directors. Lori served as one of the two Chapter representatives to the National Board from 2000-2003, so she's well qualified for the role. She joins Jim Elwood, A.A.E. of Aspen, Colorado and Randy Berg of Salt Lake City, Utah, who are the Chapter members on the AAAE National Board.

Cheyenne Airport to be Renamed in Honor of Jerry Olson, A.A.E.

On July 20th at 2:00 p.m., the Cheyenne, Wyoming Airport will host a ceremony to rename their airport "Cheyenne Regional Airport: Jerry Olson Field." Jerry was a past Chapter President, past AAAE Chair and a true friend and mentor to many of us. If you'd like to attend the ceremony, please contact Judy Clemons at (307) 634-7071 as soon as possible.

Cheyenne Airport