



The Professional Pilots Association

Meeting Minutes: 02/02/2022
Location: Lane Aviation Meeting Room
Time: 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Attendees: Myron Ashcroft, Robert Brown, Roy Cottrill, Curt Hiser, Christine Mortine, Mike Ponzani, Bill Scharff, Judy Stream, Brad Willette, Richard Wodell, Guest(s): Tom Armstrong

Meeting called to order by President Mike Ponzani 7:30 p.m.

Bob Brown presented the 2021 Financial Statement. Of note is the organizations \$500 donation to The Ohio Air and Space Hall of Fame and Museum project. It was mentioned this donation was nearly doubled by PPA members making additional individual donations. Nice job everyone!

One area of financial concern is the reservations protocol for meetings. Most meetings include a catered dinner and \$20 individual fee at the door. The life of a pilot can demand last minute cancellations. To help ease the fiscal strain of ordering catered reservation amounts followed by numerous last minute cancellations, Bob proposed a solution of which attending members agreed:

IF a PPA member may cancel by noon Tuesday, there will be no fee.
HOWEVER, if a PPA member must cancel Tuesday after noon, or is a NO-SHOW, that member must honor the \$20 at-the-door meeting/dinner fee.

Cancellation Options: 1. Email: Robert Brown, pilotandcopilot@yahoo.com
2. Call Robert Brown: (H) 614-866-9313, (C) 614-214-6713

Bob Brown mentioned PPA's commitment in \$50 memorial to each PPA member who has passed.

2021 PPA was able to purchase a new projector to compliment the sound system.

Lane Aviation continues to donate the meeting room space for PPA at no charge.

Financial Report Accepted. Roy, then Brad 2nd.

The "New" Slate of Offices was voted. 2021 slate will continue to serve through 2022.

President, Mike Ponzani	Treasure, Robert Brown
V-President, Brad Willette	Secretary, Christine Mortine

A robust discussion of speaker opportunities was had, and the next three months are well in hand to be announced soon.

Membership is always an important component to any healthy organization. We encourage all members to continue to reach out in their aviation communities, invite colleagues to attend and potentially join PPA.

Meeting Adjourned 8:05 p.m. Many members assisted in the 'strike down', which always helps!

NEXT MEETING: March 2, 2022 at Lane Aviation Meeting Room. Speaker TBA

Respectfully Submitted, Christine Mortine, Secretary