Rutland Southern Vermont Regional Airport Committee Meeting

July 27, 2017

Attendance:

Christopher Beitzel, Brian Pinsonault, Tyler Richardson (REDC) Abbot Durham, Tom Puma (AMA Radio Control), Mike Tuller (RRPC) Michael Davidson (CAP), Fred Nicholson, Mike Klopchin, Chris Reece, Carolyn Haley (EAA), Charles Rockwell (GMFT)

Minutes:

EAA:

- Leaf Peeper Fly-in scheduled for October 14th.
- In the process of planning a "Wings Seminar" for September or October. Would like to use the CAP building for seminar space.
- The last Young Eagle event for the year in Rutland will be September 9th.

Cape Air:

Cape Air was awarded the EAS bid by the US DOT.

Airport Development Committee:

• State wide Policy Plan phase I has been completes. Phase II should be completed in the next year.

Airport:

- Taxiway "A" project underway on the north end of the airport and is on schedule.
- SRE addition construction has been postponed due to budget cuts.

Open Discussion:

- The World Cup will be hosted at Killington again this year.
- REDC is focused on working with the Chamber of Commerce to promote business to the area.
- Lots of jet activity this year because of the horse show in Dorset.
- Discussed banner tow operations in the State. Attorney General Office said there is nothing illegal about banner towing because the Federal Government controls the airspace.