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## Meeting Minutes

Monday, January 11, 2021

Meeting was Virtually on Skype®

Meeting was called to order by President Chuck Baker at 7:30 pm.

13 members + 3 officers + 1 visitor (Ted Brindle)



## Old Business

Adam Hunt read the December meeting minutes that Doug had taken due to Adam being on COVID-19 possible exposure quarantine. There were no questions concerning the minutes. A motion was made and seconded. Membership voted to accept the minutes as recorded using “hand raise” feature within Skype.

Doug read the Treasurer’s Report. A motion was made and seconded to accept the treasurer’s report also using “hand raise” feature within Skype.

Doug also reviewed our final 2020 income and expenses. If you'd like to see a copy of this, please contact Doug.



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The Indianapolis Mask Order is not in force at the field, but please maintain social distancing.

Reminder: If members visit the flying site, please follow social distancing guidelines (6 feet minimum between people. 12'+ is even better). If you touch common surfaces, please use hand sanitizer to prevent any further transmission.

### **Rike Field Viability**

Greenwood Community Council reviewed the proposal (ordinance 20-45) for land development on December 21, 2020. The ordinance was approved. The current plan is that the developer (Premier Land Company) will close the purchase agreement with Jon Taylor by May 28, 2021 with construction starting in June of 2021.

Indianapolis RC Modelers (East Side Club) has agreed to let Indy RC South members fly for free at the East side club after we lose our field for the rest of 2021 or until we secure a new flying location.

East side club dues are \$85 per year if you would like to join.

Johnson County club is also another option. The club is located at Camp Atterbury on county land and does not charge a fee.

The club meetings will move back to Dye's Walk when the COVID-19 situation stabilizes.

### **Site # 21**

Owner is interested, but the owner's land may be impacted by the I-69 expansion.

### **Site # 22**

Duane raised a question about a possible Marion County restriction on flying RC aircraft. Ted will forward some contacts to Chuck to attempt to determine if this restriction exists.

### **New Business**

FAA released the final rule on Remote ID (470 pages). Chuck read the complete rule which consisted of the rule, followed by a summary of the responses for that section.

Main topics:

- Internet connectivity requirements have been removed.
- Individual aircraft registration was removed. Only the pilot will need to be registered.
- Removed 12-month limit on the FRIAs.
- Added remote ID broadcast modules.

Ways to comply:

- Buy a manufactured system that has remote ID implemented.
- Legacy aircraft can add a key fob sized, <\$50 module that can transmit required information.
- Fly at a recognized FRIA (registered club field).



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The regulation goes into effect August of 2022 for clubs and manufacturers

Individual operations will need to comply by August 2023.

Ted Brindle mentioned that a club could also designate “alternate” flying sites.

### **2021 Proposed Budget**

Chuck presented the proposed budget for 2021. This budget reflects costs from prior years, but with reduced costs for field rent, mowing, and portapotty since we will likely lose our existing field in early June. As a result, the budget shows a surplus at the end of the year. However, we expect this surplus to be quickly used up when we establish a flying field at a new location. The proposed budget was approved by a majority of members present via digital hand raising. If you'd like to see a copy of the proposed budget, please contact Chuck.

### **Presentation**

No Presentation

### **Upcoming Area Events**

Charlestown, IN – January 23rd – Swap Meet

Indoor at St. Peter’s – Columbus on Sunday, January 24th and February 7th at 1:30 pm.





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### Show and Tell

Ted Brindle showed us his Spektrum IX-20



David Eichstedt showed us his new pontoons for his Moustache Model Works DHC-2 Beaver



### Next Club Meeting

February 8, 2021 at 7:30 pm Virtually Zoom

### Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at about 8:30 pm by Chuck

### Raffle

No raffle