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To: All Airport Users and Friends

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EA/EIR FY2012 Project: Airport Solutions Group [ASG] and their subconsultants Epsilon Associates has prepared the ANRAD airport-wide wetlands plan. These plans have been submitted to the Taunton Conservation Commission for the August 13th monthly public hearing. Also Archaeological and Historical Services [AHS] has conducted the field work for the archaeological investigation of the south side proposed development area for the EA/EIR.

Fuel Discount Program: At the June meeting of the Airport Commission it was again voted to continue with the Fuel Discount Program. In brief, here is how the program works for users of the airport. The posted price of avgas is discounted 3% for all those who pay cash at point of sale. In addition, a progressive volume discount is offered to customers who use 100 or more gallons during any monthly billing cycle providing that their account is paid in full prior to the 15th day of the following month. 100 to 500 gallons = 3% discount, 500-1000 gallons = 5% discount, 1000-1500 gallons = 7% and over 1500 gallons = 10% discount.

Annual Pig and Chicken Roast: This year's Annual Pig and Chicken Roast sponsored by the Taunton Airport Association has been scheduled for Sunday, September 9th starting 12 noon. This event always sells out, so mark your calendar. More details forthcoming!

Just a Reminder: All charges incurred by airport customers are due and payable upon receipt of monthly statements and all accounts lapsing beyond 90 days past due are subject to loss of House Account privileges and subject to further collection action. *Please pay your bill promptly!*

Unauthorized Use of the Aircraft Operating Area (AOA) by Motor Vehicles: By the number of automobiles using the aircraft operating area (AOA) to get from one side of the airport to the other, it has become apparent that we need to remind all airport users that "general" automobile/truck and motorcycle traffic is not allowed on the AOA. All individuals wishing to transgress the airport should use the East/West roadways. Common vehicle traffic is only allowed on the AOA to load/unload your aircraft and/or FBO service to tow your aircraft.

Taunton Municipal Airport Commission Meetings: The TMAC meets on the last Wednesday of every month in the Leonard F. Rose SRE building unless otherwise noted. The next scheduled meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 29, 2012. The meetings are open to the public and all are invited to attend and participate.