

## **AIRPORT MEMO**

To: Chester County Area Airport Authority (CCAAA) Members

From: Gary L. Hudson, Airport Manager

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Subject: Airport Hot Topics (October)

For your review, below is a listing of issues affecting the Chester County/G.O. Carlson Airport (MQS).

### **NEW BUSINESS**

**Sweeper Repaired:** On 8/30/16, a pressure switch was replaced on the sweeper. This piece of equipment will be used to clean the pervious pavements on the farmhouse road, the South Apron vehicle parking lot and the road connecting that parking lot to the aircraft apron.

**Airport Emergency Generator:** On 9/19/16, the Starter was replaced on this piece of equipment.

**Gates Installed:** On 9/16/16, new gates were installed on the trash stockade.

**Photocell Replaced:** On 9/21/16, the photocell which controls the South Apron vehicle parking lot lights, was replaced.

**Letter of Agreement:** On 9/22/16, I forwarded a Draft copy of MQS's Mutual Aid (fire companies) Letter of Agreement to Rich Saylor, for his review.

**Dump Truck Repaired:** On 9/26/16, a "U-Joint" was replaced on the GMC Dump Truck.

**Automated Weather Observation System (AWOS):** On 9/26/16, MQS's AWOS received its annual re-certification from the FAA Airways/Facilities Division.

**AWOS:** On 9/28/16, the AWOS connector cable was reconnected and the system was returned to service. More than likely, the cable came loose sometime after the system was inspected on 9/26/16.

### **OLD BUSINESS**

**South Apron Water Retention Basin:** On 9/7/16, this basin was mowed.

**South Apron Trailer Project:** On 9/9/16, the trailer supports were installed; the trailer was bolted down; and safety cables were installed, to keep the trailer secured.

**MQS AWOS Information:** On 9/16/16, an Automated Weather Observation System (AWOS) “Network” switch was replaced. That switch allows MQS’s current AWOS information to be disseminated on the Authority’s website.

**Airport Perimeter Fence Project:** This project is still ongoing.

