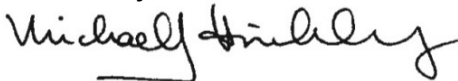


Introduction

This guide replaces what was previously called “The Guide for Officers” and typically released annually, though it had been many years since it was thoroughly updated. With the approval of the revised bylaws at the end of 2011, the Guide was extensively reviewed and updated. With the advent of the Members Only section of the AHS website (www.vtol.org/my-ahs) we now have the opportunity to make frequent updates to the Guide and also make it available to all of our members, now as the “Officers and Members Guide” or “OMG”.

We hope you find the many different sections of the OMG to be informative, enlightening and useful. Obviously, some sections will only be useful to Chapter Officers, but by opening them up to all AHS members, others may find the volunteer positions to be demystified. We hope that this may be a way to encourage all of our members to be more participatory, as we continue to forge ahead in our efforts toward reaching our Vision and serving our Mission.

Sincerely,



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Executive Director
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