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## **2022 DIRECTORY**



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RUPA got its start in 1963 when Petty wrote Bill Kennedy suggesting the retired pilots of UAL form a Social Organization to keep in contact with each other. At the first meeting in October 1963, Bill Kennedy was elected President, Bill Williams VP and Harry Huking Secretary Treasurer.

\* No member data is in the online "Sterile Cockpit" version. Member data is only in mailed version.

### **USEFUL RUPA TELEPHONE NUMBERS & EMAIL ADDRESSES**

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| RUPA VICE PRESIDENT (Dan Petrovich - (954) 288-4343)     | <a href="mailto:rupavp@rupa.org">rupavp@rupa.org</a>                 |
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| RUPA TRAVEL REP (Pat Palazzolo - 510-656-5555)           | <a href="mailto:rupapasstravel@rupa.org">rupapasstravel@rupa.org</a> |
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Crystal Lake, IL 60014-4656

[tw2929@live.com](mailto:tw2929@live.com)

#### **UAL Historical Foundation (UAHF)** (Only manned on Thursday) 303-780-5537

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Denver, CO 80207

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1-800-651-1007 (M-F 0700 - 1900 hrs Central Time) <https://flyingtogether.ual.com>

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**Employee Travel Center** From US: 1-877-825-3729. Outside US: 847-825-3729 (0700-0900 hrs CT)  
[ETC@united.com](mailto:ETC@united.com): for all travel inquiries. Access Flying Together > Travel 24/7 to find policies, procedures, Q&As and our booking tools - employeeRES, mobileRES and the United Pass Line.

**Flying Together Help Desk (United Digital Technology Service Desk—aka Tech Support)**  
1-800-255-5801 <https://flyingtogether.ual.com>

**New United Number for all Retired call:** From the US: 1-877-825-3729. Outside US: 1-847-825-3729  
After calling the new number, follow the prompts.  
This is a centralized number for employees/retirees to reach United.

**Aetna Health Insurance** 1-800-334-0110 , 0700-1900 hrs ET <http://www.aetna.com>

**CVS/Caremark** Pre age 65: 1-844-635-3401 <http://www.caremark.com>

**PBGC** - for all retiree pension questions 1-800-400-7242 <http://www.pbgc.gov>

**Social Security Administration** 1-800-772-1213 <http://www.ssa.gov>

**Alliant Credit Union** 1-800- 328-1935 (24 hours a day, 7 days a week except  
1-773-462-2000 Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day)  
<http://www.alliantcreditunion.org>

**Medicare Hotline** 1-800-633-4227

**VSP Vision Care** 1-800-877-7195 (M-F 0600-2000, Sat 0700-2000, Sun 0700-1900 Pacific Time)



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# RUPA BYLAWS

Adopted: January 30, 1963 Latest Revision: October 1, 2020

## **ARTICLE 1. NAME**

The name of this organization shall be RETIRED UNITED PILOTS ASSOCIATION.

## **ARTICLE 2. PURPOSE**

**Section 1. Purpose.** The purpose of this organization is to enhance the welfare of our RUPA members and to maintain the friendships and association of its members. This is accomplished by organizing and holding periodic luncheons, dinners, cruises, and conventions/reunions.

**Section 2. Tax Status.** This Association is a tax-exempt organization. The organization does not contemplate pecuniary gain or profit to the members and is organized for nonprofit purposes only.

## **ARTICLE 3. MEMBERSHIP and DUES**

**Section 1. Eligibility.** Retired or active pilots of United Air Lines, or predecessor companies, are eligible for membership in this Association. Active pilots will be associate members and enjoy all rights and privileges except voting rights. In addition, any retired UAL Flight Operations employee may be considered, at a regular meeting, for membership.

**Section 2. Dues.** Annual membership dues are set by the Board of Directors and are published in the RUPANEWS. Annual dues are payable during the member's birth month. Members are not eligible to vote unless dues are paid.

**Section 3. Magazine.** The monthly RUPANEWS will be distributed to all members in good standing.

## **ARTICLE 4. OFFICERS**

**Section 1. Composition.** The Officers of this Association shall consist of President, Vice-President, and Secretary-Treasurer.

**Section 2. Executive Committee.** The above Officers shall constitute the Executive Committee, which shall have the power to conduct the business affairs of the Association.

The Executive Committee is not authorized to incur unapproved indebtedness in the name of the Association.

**Section 3. President.** The President shall supervise the affairs of the Association, calling meetings of the Executive Committee as needed and shall direct its efforts.

The President shall preside at all meetings of the Executive Committee.

The President shall appoint such committees as necessary to accomplish the purposes of the Association as stated in Article 2, Section 1.

The president shall preside at all conventions/reunions.

**Section 4. Vice-President.** The Vice-President shall perform such duties as assigned by the President.

**Section 5. Secretary-Treasurer.** The Secretary-Treasurer, in addition to such duties as assigned by the President, shall keep an account of the monies received and expended and submit an annual report to the Audit Committee appointed by the President as stipulated in Article 6, Section 3.

The Secretary-Treasurer shall keep a roster of members and record, or have recorded, the minutes of Executive Committee meetings, Board of Director Meetings, conventions/reunions, and a record of internet business meetings of RUPA.



## **ARTICLE 5. TERM of OFFICE and ELECTION to OFFICE**

**Section 1. Officer Term.** All officers will serve a term of two years, commencing on September 1st in odd numbered years.

**Section 2. Nominations.** Thirty to 60 days prior to September 1st, names of potential officers will be submitted, to be voted on by the Board of Directors. This may be accomplished by a solicitation in the June and July issues of the RUPANEWS for nominations. All nominees must indicate a willingness to serve or must have volunteered to serve.

**Section 3. Election.** In the absence of a convention/reunion, the Officers will be elected by the current Board of Directors.

**Section 4. Term Continuation.** Any officer may be invited to continue in his elected position by the Board of Directors

## **ARTICLE 6. BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

**Section 1. Composition.** The Association shall have a Board of Directors. The Board of Directors shall consist of the three elected officers, the RUPANEWS Editor, the Website Coordinator, the past Presidents, and other members, as appointed by the Board.

**Section 2. Term/Removal.** Members of the Board of Directors will serve an indefinite term. A Board Member can be removed by a two-thirds (2/3) approval vote of the BOD.

**Section 3. Audit Committee.** The President shall appoint a three-person Audit Committee from members of the Board of Directors and the committee shall make a report on the State of the Association to the Membership. The report will be completed and published in each February issue of the RUPANEWS and will include the previous calendar year's financial status.

## **ARTICLE 7. CONVENTIONS/REUNIONS**

**Section 1. Location.** The Association may hold a biennial convention/reunion at a site suggested by the site committee and agreed upon by the majority of those indicating an intention to attend.

**Section 2. Host Committee.** There must be a willing host committee at the proposed site who will arrange the venue, tours, and activities.

**Section 3. Cancellation.** The convention/reunion or any part of it may be canceled to preclude RUPA from any financial penalties that would be incurred should membership participation be inadequate.

## **ARTICLE 8. AMENDING BYLAWS**

These By-Laws may be amended, as needed, at the request of the President, Officer, or any Board member. An email poll of the Board of Directors will require two-thirds (2/3) approval of the said changes.

## **ARTICLE 9. DISSOLUTION**

**Section 1. Requirement.** The Association may be dissolved at any time by an affirmative of three-fourths (3/4) majority of voting members.

**Section 2. Physical Asset Disposal.** In the event of such dissolution, the Executive Committee shall dispose of all physical assets and resolve any questions or problems relating thereto.

**Section 3. Liquid Asset Distribution.** All liquid assets (after approved debts are paid) shall be distributed to authentic charities or educational organizations as decided by the majority vote of the Board of Directors.

## **ARTICLE 10. LIMITATIONS**

Notwithstanding any of the above statements of purpose and powers, this Organization shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the specific purpose of this organization.

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# 2021 Flown West List

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|                              |              |                                |              |
|------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------------|--------------|
| Amato, Raymond "Ray" A       | Jul 17, 2021 | DeVries, Richard K             | Apr 19, 2021 |
| Arfsten, Kenneth E *         | Sep, 2021    | Donatoni, Jr, Henry "Hank" M * | Sep 23, 2021 |
| Banks, Scott Dennis *        | Feb 27, 2021 | Donegon, Bob                   | Jun 08, 2021 |
| Barlow, John W               | Dec 31, 2020 | Douglas, Geoffrey R *          | Apr 15, 2019 |
| Barnes, Joseph "Jay" W *     | Oct 01, 2021 | Dreher, Roger Thomas           | May 09, 2021 |
| Battersby II, Larry K *      | Jun 27, 2021 | Duggin, Thomas L               | Apr 04, 2021 |
| Becker, Alexander "Alex" J * | Jan 01, 2020 | Eaton, Ernest "Les" L          | Oct 13, 2021 |
| Bellm, Jr, Thomas A *        | Sep 01, 2020 | Eaton, Ernest "Les" L          | Oct 13, 2021 |
| Bennett, Frank Allen *       | Jul 29, 2021 | Fagerland, David               | Nov 14, 2020 |
| Berg, Thomas "Tom" L         | Oct 20, 2020 | Fischer, Herbert "Herb" J      | Apr 04, 2021 |
| Bisbey, John Earle *         | Aug 17, 2021 | Ford, Michael E *              | Mar 27, 2021 |
| Bleyle, George A             | Jun 05, 2021 | Fusco, Stephan "Steve" R       | Oct 22, 2021 |
| Blue, Keith Eugene           | Nov 13, 2020 | Goding, Hugh R *               | Jul 07, 2021 |
| Bonde, Preben PK             | Jan 08, 2021 | Goldwasser, Joseph             | Nov 20, 2020 |
| Bouttier, Robert "Archie"    | Feb 28, 2021 | Golemon, William "Bill" L *    | Mar 24, 2021 |
| Boyd, James "Jim" W *        | Dec 18, 2020 | Graham, Wayne M *              | July, 2021   |
| Broderick, James "Jim" A     | Oct 17, 2021 | Graham, William "Bill" G       | Oct, 2021    |
| Buice, Ulus "Jerry" G *      | Mar 25, 2021 | Grau, Terry W *                | Apr 16, 2021 |
| Burgess, Jr., Fred C         | Dec 03, 2021 | Hammond, Eldon "Gene"          | Nov 12, 2020 |
| Bye, Carlton "Carl" P        | Nov 12 2021  | Harris, David A *              | Aug 01, 2019 |
| Cabeza, Fernando J *         | Jan 13, 2021 | Heydon, Robery "Bob" M *       | Mar 10, 2021 |
| Caldwell, Justin W *         | Oct 01, 2020 | Heyerly, Leroy Wayne *         | Oct 18, 2020 |
| Carey, Robert "Bob" J        | Aug 09, 2021 | Hill Jr., John "Jack" J        | Jul 06, 2021 |
| Clark, ulus D                | Aug 31 2021  | Hippert, James "Jim" B *       | Apr 27, 2020 |
| Clark, Garry R               | Jan 13, 2021 | Howard, Robert "Bob" N         | Nov 02, 2020 |
| Cole, Ronald "Ron" W         | May 11, 2021 | Jackson, Jr, Clarence G *      | Apr 18, 2021 |
| Cronin, James "Jim" P        | Nov 29, 2021 | Jacobson, Robert "Jake"        | Nov 28, 2020 |
| Cudnowski, Nobert            | Oct 14, 2020 | Jensen, Donald L *             | Feb 21, 2021 |
| Cummings, Eugene "Gene" M    | Jul 04, 2021 | Johnson, Jack W *              | Jun 04, 2021 |
| Darnell, Donald R            | Aug 13, 2021 | Juhl, Ronald "Ron" K           | Sep 05, 2021 |
| D'Aurora, Joe R *            | Nov 18, 2019 | Kahl, Charles "Chuck" J        | Mar 15, 2021 |



\* = Non RUPA Member

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| Karolek, Charles "Chuck" J   | Aug 24, 2021 | Radford, Richard L *        | Feb 06, 2021 |
| Kelly, Robert "Bob" W        | Oct 02, 2021 | Richards, Wilmer "Bill" R   | Sep 13, 2021 |
| Kelly, Neil M                | Feb 28, 2021 | Roderick, Sr, John "Jack" T | Nov 20, 2020 |
| Kelly, Arthur "Art" A        | Aug 23, 2021 | Rodgers, Fred L             | Oct 21, 2020 |
| Kibort, Bernard R            | Sep 15, 2021 | Rombauer, Edgar "Ed"        | Dec 10, 2020 |
| Kobyluk, Pete R              | Jul 29, 2020 | Ronning, Wesley "Wes" D     | Feb 07, 2021 |
| Landry, Dave Robert          | Dec 04, 2020 | Royce, Daniel M             | Feb 26, 2021 |
| Lang, Robert E               | Jun 06, 2021 | Russell, Richard "Dick"     | Mar 24, 2021 |
| Lange, John R *              | Jun 25, 2019 | Schilling, Henry "Hank" A * | Oct 23, 2021 |
| Lawson, Robert Thomas        | Nov 04, 2020 | Schram, Robert "Bob" F      | Apr 04, 2021 |
| Leigh, Scott A *             | July, 2021   | Selph, Richard "Rich" W     | Jan 19, 2021 |
| Lund, Mark A *               | Dec 04, 2020 | Shepley, Timothy A *        | Dec 06, 2020 |
| Madson, Donald "Don" J       | Mar 31, 2021 | Shinkle, Ronald "Ron" J     | Nov 27, 2020 |
| McFarland, Clayton S *       | Nov 22, 2021 | Slocum, L "Bill" William    | Jan 22, 2021 |
| McMahon, Thomas "Tom" F      | Oct 04, 2021 | Smith, Fred J               | Nov 16, 2017 |
| Meinert, William p           | Sep 11, 2021 | Soltis, Joseph "Joe" E      | Mar 02, 2021 |
| Mitchell, Robert L           | Jul 30, 2021 | Stampfli, Walter H *        | Sep 09, 2013 |
| Mitchell, Alan "Al"          | Oct 23, 2021 | Strow, Walter "Walt" E *    | Aug 28, 2021 |
| Mosby, David "Dave" G        | Oct 30, 2021 | Synnestvedt, Norwin N       | Jun 20, 2021 |
| Mosher, Robert "Bob" E       | Dec 13, 2019 | Thorsen, William "Bill" A   | Feb 17, 2021 |
| Murtha, David                | Oct 23, 2020 | Thuotte, Gerald "Jerry" F   | Jan 05, 2021 |
| Nance, Robert "Barry" B      | Sep 20, 2021 | Tranter, Watson W *         | Jun 17, 2021 |
| Napolitano, Severino "Sam" * | Feb 06, 2021 | Tucker, Kris "Max" G *      | 2021         |
| Nord, Fred F *               | Feb 03, 2021 | Vanlandingham, James D      | May 13, 2021 |
| Olson, Eugene "Gene" D       | Apr 11, 2021 | Vogtritter, Robert A        | Aug 31 2021  |
| Osborne, John C              | Apr 03, 2021 | Walter, Lyman L             | Feb 09, 2021 |
| Paulsen, Norman "Norm" C *   | Mar 15, 2021 | Warrender, John "Jack" W *  | Jan 07, 2021 |
| Perry, Michael "Mike" A      | Jan 13, 2021 | Wells, Sydney A *           | Oct, 2021    |
| Peterson, Glen R             | May 07, 2021 | Williams, Joseph R          | Jun 22, 2021 |
| Pezzi, Octavio V             | Aug 12, 2021 | Wilson, David J *           | Jun 28, 2021 |
| Porter, Oakley W             |              | Witherow, Ronbert "Bob" J * | Sep 22, 2021 |
|                              |              | Young, Vincent "Vince" N *  | Oct 05, 2021 |

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To those who love aviation, the sky is  
home.**





# Retired United Pilots Association



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- \* Douglas Wilson 1977-1979
- \* John Strong 1979-1981
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- \* Donald Bisson 1985-18987
- \* William Knight 1987-1989
- \* Eugene Tritt 1989-1991
- \* William Stookey 1991-1993
- \* Walter Ramseur 1993-1995
- \* Milt Jines 1995-1997
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- W. E. "Bill" Smith 1999-2001
- \* W. R. "Bill Bartel 2001-2003
- Rich Bouska 2003-2005
- Cleve Spring 2005-2007
- \* D. L. Larry Wright 2007-2009
- Ronald Jersey 2009-2011
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