Nampa Model Aviators July 2011 Meeting – July 14, 2011

• The meeting was called to order at 7:00 P.M. by club president Jack Read. This was preceded by lots of flying and another excellent Barbeque capably handled by Ed Reagles. Special thanks to Ed. There were 27 members present.

MOTION: A motion made seconded and unanimously approved to approve the June 2011 minutes.

<u>President's Report:</u> Jack welcomed the members in attendance and introduced a returning member, Jay Gould. Jack spoke briefly about the Public Day event and went over the guidelines and procedures for the buddy box flying for visitors as well as the set-up for the field.

Jack reminded the group that they have the right to ask for a membership card from anyone attempting to use the facility that they (the member) do not recognize. Doing this ensures that only members with current AMA membership and insurance are allowed to fly.

OLD BUSINESS:

- The new bulletin board is now installed and looks great. Special thanks to Roc Cox for building it, Robert Terhune for painting it and Jack and Larry Bresson for installing it.
- The runway repairs are now completed and look great.

SAFETY REPORT: Larry Bresson reminded the members of the importance of flying within the established safety zones and related a recent close call where a member lost control of an airplane and nearly flew into the pit area. Jack mentioned the need for the members to be prepared to assist any other member who appears to be having difficulty with a model in flight. "Stuffing" an airplane into the ground would always be better than having it fly into the pit area.

The monthly raffle drawing was held and Bruce Chandler held the winning ticket. The prize was an electric glider complete with a motor and radio. This plane was donated by an un-named visitor who stopped by the field and gave it to Jack Read.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted:

Ron Landram, Secretary, Nampa Aero Modelers

Approved:

Jack Read, President