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Wipaire Partners with SPA for Lifetime Membership Benefits

Oshkosh, Wisconsin, July 22, 2019 – Wipaire announced a partnership with Seaplane Pilots Association [SPA] to increase support of pro-seaplane initiatives through membership. "Beginning July 22, 2019, all new owners of Wipline floats will receive complimentary lifetime membership with Seaplane Pilots Association. This increases awareness and participation for our customers on the many benefits of joining SPA" said Chuck Wiplinger, third generation President of family owned Wipaire, Inc.

"SPA serves as the resource for seaplane pilot education which is helpful for new float owners. Through lifetime membership, they'll receive discounts on insurance, access to safety seminars and be able to enjoy our events and splash-ins" said Steven McCaughey, Executive Director of SPA. "Our lifetime members provide support critical to our advocacy. This includes our efforts to maintain open waterways and work with government entities to create pro-seaplane legislation. Partnering with Wipaire for lifetime membership supports the mission of SPA: Protecting and Promoting Water Flying. We truly appreciate this exclusive benefit being included with the purchase of new Wipline floats."

About Wipaire, Inc.

For over 55 years, Wipaire has been engineering and manufacturing a full line of aircraft floats for all sizes of aircraft from the Piper Cub to the Viking Twin Otter, including most single engine Cessna aircraft. In addition, Wipaire has engineered over 100 Supplemental Type Certificated modifications for improved performance, convenience, and reliability. As a leading aircraft service provider, Wipaire offers maintenance, avionics installation and repair, custom interior design and installation, and exterior paint refinishing across locations in South Saint Paul, Minnesota. Wipaire is recognized for its quality products and engineering expertise worldwide.

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About Seaplane Pilot's Association

The Seaplane Pilots Association's primary focus is to promote safe seaplane operations and to protect our privilege to share our nation's waterways with our recreational, governmental and commercial operators.

Our staff, field directors and members work around the nation to ensure our fair access to water flight. SPA is the only organization in the world solely dedicated to working these issues for seaplane pilots and operators at a local, state and national level. We do this by working with pilots, communities and governing agencies to resolve conflicts and insure fair and equal access through positive outreach, that includes educating policy makers and the public through educational programs and videos so that these decisions can be made from an informed perspective verses one made on assumptions by those not familiar with seaplanes and seaplane operations.

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