# Terry Blue, A.A.E.

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#### **EDUCATION and EXPERIENCE**

- Master of Public Administration Degree, University of Illinois Springfield, May 1998
- Bachelor's Degree in Aviation Management, Southern Illinois University Carbondale, August 1996
- 16 years of aviation industry experience; 14 at medium & large hub, winter-ops commercial airports
- Accredited Airport Executive (A.A.E.) and Airport Certified Employee (ACE) Security by the AAAE
- Licensed Private Pilot Airplane Single Engine Land (ASEL)
- National Incident Management System Courses Completed 100, 200, 275, 300, 400, 546, 700, & 800.
- Wisconsin Airport Management Association Board Member

## **WORK HISTORY**

#### MILAUKEE COUNTY'S GENERAL MITCHELL INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (MKE)

## **Deputy Airport Director – Operations & Maintenance**

February 2008 to Current

- Lead a team of over 200 in operations, safety, security, law enforcement, maintenance and environmental and manage multiple and competing priorities of these functional areas and the accompanying budget of \$50M.
- Develop and maintain productive working relationships with airlines, tenants and government agencies.
- Represent and act on behalf of the Airport Director in his absence, with the news media, speaking engagements, emergencies, public relations and other events.
- Ensure compliance with federal, state and local regulations including operations, security, maintenance, environmental and safety functions for a medium hub commercial and general aviation airport (MWC).
- Led MKE team to four consecutive perfect FAA certification inspections, 2010 FAA Great Lakes Region Safety Award, and Honorable Mention for the Balchen-Post Snow Removal Award all firsts for MKE.

#### **DENVER INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (DEN)**

#### **Aviation Operations Manager**

March 2006 to February 2008

- Managed all aspects of airfield operations to ensure efficient flow, safety, and adherence to all applicable Federal, State, City, and Airport regulations.
- Assumed the Incident Commander (IC) authority when situations and incidents warranted.

#### **Assistant Aviation Operations Manager**

September 2000 to February 2006

- Conducted inspections of the airfield, terminal, concourses, ramps, and landside facilities to monitor and maintain compliance with all applicable rules and regulations.
- Performed aircraft ramp control, coordination and management of the concourse gates, deice pads, and ramps.

### **Airport Security Technician**

March 2000 to August 2000

- Monitored compliance with and enforced federal and airport security regulations.
- Performed access investigations and criminal history record checks

## **Aviation Operations Representative Supervisor**

December 1999 to February 2000

- Supervised and coordinated the operation of the Airport Communications Center during scheduled shifts.
- Supervised 20 Aviation Operations Representatives (AOR) and 8 Aviation Emergency Dispatchers (AED).

#### **Aviation Operations Representative**

June 1998 to November 1999

- Initiated emergency notifications and coordinated incidents with the Aviation Operations Manager.
- Directed a staff of 40+ contracted security guards.

## **ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION - DIVISION OF AERONAUTICS**

#### **Graduate Intern**

May 1996 to May 1998

• Performed/assisted with Airport Master Record (5010) inspections and Pavement Condition Index (PCI) inspections.