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# News Release

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## **Detroit Metropolitan Airport Police Chief Elected to International Panel**

Wayne County Airport Authority Police Chief Edward Glomb has been elected to the Board of Directors of the Airport Law Enforcement Agencies Network (ALEAN).

ALEAN's mission is to promote an information-sharing network for the benefit of airport law enforcement officers and agencies throughout the world. Comprised of nearly 100 US airport agencies, ALEAN facilitates the communication of intelligence and benchmarking best practices for airport law enforcement professionals. Airports in Canada and the United Kingdom, as well as agencies such as the FBI, Interpol and the US Secret Service maintain adjunct memberships.

"Chief Glomb has always been a strong advocate for the sharing of real-time intelligence to strengthen the safety and security of commercial aviation here in Detroit and worldwide," said WCAA CEO Lester Robinson. "We are proud of his involvement in ALEAN and his commitment to adopting best practices in the field of airport law enforcement."

In May 2008, Chief Glomb was appointed to the eleven-member Board to fill an unexpired term but, earlier this month, was elected to a two-year term by the organization's membership.

Chief Glomb, who also serves on the Board of Directors for the Southeastern Michigan Chiefs of Police, has been Police Chief at Detroit Metropolitan and Willow Run Airports since August 2005. He also served as Police Chief for Franklin, MI after 11 years in the Wayne County Sheriff's Department. A Vietnam veteran, Glomb served with the 5<sup>th</sup> Special Forces Group (Green Berets) and was honorably discharged in 1970 with the rank of Captain.

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