

PWA President-elect and Treasurer Election Results



Larry Pacey



Roger Goyette

Please join me in congratulating our newly elected President-Elect, Larry Pacey and our re-elected Treasurer, Roger Goyette.

Both have been elected by the Active Members of PWA and their term in office will be January 1, 2010 through December 31, 2011.

Larry and Roger bring outstanding credentials to their elected positions. And on behalf of the PWA Board of Directors and its Members, we again congratulate them and look forward to working with them.

I N MEMORIUM

Beverly Overholser

Beverly passed away earlier this year. Beverly was the wife of Dennis Overholser, Senior VP of Painless Performance Products of Fort Worth, Texas. She had been very ill for the past five years. She will be missed by all that knew her.

N E W PRODUCTS

ACI Tonneau covers Now Available for 2009 Ford Trucks



ACI (Agri-Cover, Inc.), manufacturer of the Access[®], LiteRider[®], Lorado[™] and Vanish[™] Roll-Up Covers. Roll-up cover features: •Easy to install. •Rolls open, or closed in seconds, allowing full bed usage and no need for removal. •Increases gas mileage by up to 10%. •Engineered to operate in all four seasons. •Lifetime Warranty covers all components, including the fabric. Each cover is made model specific for the tightest fit with your truck and are available for most Chevy, GMC, Ford, Dodge, Nissan, Mazda and Toyota pickup trucks.

Treasury Announces Auto Supplier Support Program

Program Will Aid Critical Sector of American Economy

The U.S. Department of the Treasury announced a new program to help stabilize the auto supply base and restore credit flows in a critical sector of the American economy. As the President's Task Force on the Auto Industry continues to review restructuring plans submitted by General Motors and Chrysler, Treasury announced an Auto Supplier Support Program that will provide up to \$5 billion in financing, giving suppliers the confidence they need to continue shipping parts, pay their employees and continue their operations.

As rising unemployment and contracting credit continue to threaten economic recovery, today's announcement will support an industry employing more than 500,000 American workers across the country. Because of the credit crisis and the rapid decline in auto sales, many of the nation's auto parts suppliers are unable to access credit and are facing growing uncertainty about the prospects for their businesses and for the auto companies that rely on the parts they ship. This program will help break this cycle and provide confidence in the supplier base at an important time for the domestic auto industry. It is part of the Administration's broader efforts to ensure that our Financial Stability Plan reaches the main street businesses that create good jobs for American workers.

"The Supplier Support Program will help stabilize a critical component of the American auto industry during the difficult period of restructuring that lies ahead," said Treasury Secretary Geithner. "The program will provide supply companies with much needed access to liquidity to assist them in meeting payrolls and covering their expenses, while giving the domestic auto companies reliable access to the parts they need."

A full fact sheet on the program can be found at: http://www.treas.gov/press/releases/docs/supplier_support_program_3_18.pdf

Source: The Treasury Department

Lessons Learned from Life

Written By Regina Brett, 90 years old, of The Plain Dealer, Cleveland, Ohio.

To celebrate growing older, I once wrote some lessons life taught me. My odometer rolled over to 90 in August, so here goes:

- Life isn't fair, but it's still good.
- When in doubt, just take the next small step.
- Life is too short to waste time hating anyone.
- Don't take yourself so seriously. No one else does.
- Always choose life.
- Forgive everyone everything.
- Over prepare, then go with the flow.