



The GAAC seeks planning and property expert.

- Unique opportunity to help protect General Aviation Aerodromes from planning and property issues
- Would suit retired town planner and aviation enthusiast looking for a meaningful role in the preservation of General Aviation
- Liaison, as part of an existing team, with Government and CAA an integral part of the role
- Modest Remuneration available by negotiation
- Knowledge of property matters a benefit, although a search for a commercial property surveyor is also planned.

Town Planner with an interest in / experience of aviation or flying needed to support the General Aviation Awareness Council (GAAC), a national body that seeks to encourage and support activity at small, 'General Aviation' airfields. This could include assisting with objections to planning applications that could adversely impact activity at an airfield, responding to local plan proposals or promoting the protection / safeguarding of an airfield with the local authority. Experience of development control and / or planning policy formulation and a sound knowledge of planning legislation would be a major advantage.

Often issues faced by aerodrome operators related to property matters, such as leases, ratings etc and a working knowledge of such matters would be advantageous. Dependent on the outcome of this search, we may also separately seek a commercial property surveyor in addition to this role.

Modest remuneration is available and negotiable. and may suit a retired planner / planning lawyer. Essential expenses would be reimbursed.

Occasionally the advisory role could require full advice and, potentially, additional remuneration could be offered - which would require PI cover.

The role would also offer the opportunity to be part of the GAAC's submissions to and interactions with Government and the CAA.

One town planner is already involved and is looking for support / eventual handover.

For further information please email the GAAC's Chairman, Matt Wilkins - matt.wilkins@gaac.org.uk