

Bob Ross

I started flying model aircraft in high school, all control line. Skip ahead, a bunch of years, and I met few guys in New Jersey flying modern RC including racing drones. I can do that..... Well after 10 years I'm still trying to do it.



I joined AMPS and found it to be a fun group of people who have taught me a lot. I have left my share plastic and foam at the field.

Last year I became the WEB master for the AMPS WEB site. As a board member I will work to move AMPS forward into the new uncertain times of Remote ID/Safety Testing.

I did fly full scale, single engine complex and flight instructor in gliders. I have just more than a 1,000 glider flights.

My life prior to retirement was in Broadcast Engineering, operations and engineering. Fixing equipment and systems. I worked at WBZ-TV, WJZ-TV and KYW-TV all Westinghouse stations. I then became Vice President of Engineering for Group W Television Stations. Westinghouse became CBS, where I moved to run the CBS Broadcast Center in New York, as Senior VP of Operations. I managed the million square feet of office and production space and ran the advanced technology group as well as the day to day operations.

I'm a SMPTE Fellow, was elected into the class of the Broadcasting & Cable Hall of Fame in 2009, and, in 2013, was appointed President of the North American Broadcasters Association.

As I retired from CBS after 40 years, I received an EMMY, from the National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences for Lifetime Achievement.