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ASA, Upper Midwest Chapter

Meeting Announcement

Date: Tuesday, September 25th (Revised Date)
Time: Social at 5:30pm, Dinner at 6:30pm and Program at 7:30pm. Dinner will be \$25 and will include Caesar Salad, Chicken Roulade, and Chocolate Cake.

Program: "Acoustic testing, understanding and mitigation of subtle sounds in small motors" with Steve Link, AEIOMED
Location: 3rd floor, Holiday Inn Metrodome, 1500 Washington Ave S., Minneapolis, MN 55454

RSVP to Dave Braslau (david@braslau.com or 612-331-4571)

Program Abstract: The motor is the primary source of both radiated and in hose noise for CPAPs. A CPAP is a device that supplies constant positive airway pressure (hence CPAP) to a patient that has obstructive sleep apnea (OSA). To minimize objectionable noises to the patient with OSA and their bed partner requires characterization of the noises and a motor vendor willing to make changes in their motor.

Parking: There is parking available in the ramp adjacent to the hotel. For directions to the hotel please visit, http://www.metrodome.com/location_and_directions.cfm

Membership: Membership in the Upper Midwest Chapter is open to anyone with an interest in acoustics. We rely on membership dues in order to provide programming and special events throughout the year. Thank you to all who have completed their membership form for the 2007-8 year. If you have not yet had the opportunity to complete the form you may download it from <http://umcasa.org>.

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