

It appears that at least the FAA is considering arming pilots.

Well , gee about time I guess.

There was a time when pilots who carried the U.S. mail were required to be armed. I am thinking that American lives might be as valuable as the mail. Pilots should be armed with handguns and anything else that will allow them to protect themselves and the lives of their Cargo whether that is the U.S. mail or human lives.

Off duty policeman or retired policeman or anyone who holds a valid permit to carry issued by any State ought to have the same right.

There would not have been any hijackings anywhere in the last 30 years if some law abiding Americans had been on those flights.

Thanks for soliciting input.

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