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- 4) **Window installation:** Tim Hedstrom says he has helped install windows on 13 Lancair IVs. What they do is fit the windows first, then drill holes very careful for screws, then lube the screws with mold release wax, and lub some area washers the same way. Then get a few key screws, place a large wedge of flox in the joint, press the window in place, and while holding insert 4 key screws with area washers on both sides. After all are in place, tighten carefully. To get a nice exterior edge where the flox seeps out, before hand, use two layers of electrical tape where the window meets the frame. After tightening the screws, wipe away the excess flox. Then just pull up the 2<sup>nd</sup> layer of tape. Leave the first layer there for protection as you sand the lip later for paint.
- 5) **Rain:** Sooner or later, everyone will park outside in the rain. And no matter how well you are covered and sealed, a little water might leak in. Rather than have to open up the inspection cover in the nose to sop it out, the sneaky thing to do is to drill a couple of holes through the bottom at the low point so the water will drain out all by itself. Hmmmm!

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