

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Your Safety and Technology Department here at the NATCA National Office is proud to work towards improving working conditions for all of NATCA's represented aviation professionals and contributing to the growth, efficiency, and prosperity of the world's safest and most efficient air traffic control system.

The value of collaborating with the FAA and others in the aviation industry has proven to be extremely beneficial to our workforce and has led to the implementation of numerous NextGen programs. Based on our recent successes, the FAA is asking NATCA to work on many ongoing and new programs. Our value comes in ensuring the people who work airplanes every day, and our other valuable aviation experts in the field, have a direct say in the development and implementation of new technologies and procedures.

Our continued participation holds great value. NATCA continues to receive a steady stream of solicitations for subject matter expertise and requests for NATCA Representatives to serve on projects. We are working to improve the way in which we directly communicate these solicitations to the membership. Our goal is to ensure information on opportunities is received by as many NATCA members as possible.

When we receive solicitations, they will be sent out on Friday afternoons via email directly to those members working in the type of facility that is being requested. Also, we will post all solicitations to a page in the Safety and Tech section of the members side of the natca.org website, which you can access directly by [clicking here](#).

If you have any questions, please contact Robert Utley, NATCA's Technical Representative Liaison; Rutley@natcadc.org.

Thank you.

In solidarity,

Jim Ullmann
Director of Safety and Technology