New England, Central Regions Host Town Hall
Featuring Santa, LeBovidge

The New England (NNE) and Central (NCE) Regions held a joint town hall virtual meeting earlier this month with President Rich Santa and Executive Vice President Andrew LeBovidge. NCE Regional Vice President (RVP) Aaron Merrick and NNE RVP Mick Devine moderated the call and Santa and LeBovidge took questions from members about a variety of topics including facility equipment upgrades, COVID-19 pandemic protocols, and plans for the future. Read more here.

Happy 25th NATCAversary to our FCT Bargaining Unit!

The FAA contracted out 101 Level 1 VFR towers from 1993-1997. Following the decision to contract out these facilities, an organizing effort began in earnest and grew into a resounding NATCA success story that continues today, bolstered by
the work of the National Organizing Committee. This week, NATCA marks the 25th anniversary of the National Labor Relations Board certifying NATCA as the exclusive bargaining representative for its first Federal Contract Tower, Central Wisconsin Tower (CWA) in Mosinee, Wis. NATCA currently represents 123 of the 256 FCTs run by Midwest Air Traffic Control Services, Serco Management Services Inc., Robinson Aviation (RVA) Inc., and Cl2 Aviation, Inc. View our list of represented FCTs.

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**NATCA Celebrates Engineers Week**

NATCA proudly celebrates the FAA engineers it represents and recognizes their many contributions to the workforce during National Engineers Week, Feb. 20-26. "We devote this week to honoring the outstanding work of our engineers," NATCA President Rich Santa said. "They are a critical component in the maintenance and advancement of the NAS, and they are committed to the safe and efficient operation of the NAS."

These professionals support every one of the 70,000 flights that safely take off and land each day in the National Airspace System (NAS). They design, construct, and upgrade air traffic control facilities. They integrate, analyze, improve, and upgrade the operation of information, surveillance, and communications systems. Read more here.

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**NCEPT Update: Feb. 16 PPT and Second Quarter Results Now Available**

The Feb. 16 Priority Placement Tool (PPT) for the National Centralized ERR (employee requested reassignment) Process Team (NCEPT), as well as the second quarter NCEPT results are now available to view on the NCEPT webpage, located here.
EAP Update: Benefits of the WorkLife Solutions Program

Do you feel like you're in a rut or need help jump-starting some aspect of your life? Employee Assistance Program (EAP) WorkLife Solutions offers private, confidential, and unbiased lifestyle coaching. Coaches can assist with a variety of topics including career or work performance, relationship concerns, sleeplessness, weight and diet, and personal improvement. Sessions occur through phone or video, will always be the same coach, and can be up to 45 minutes in length.

The greatest benefit of the WorkLife Solutions Program is eight confidential counseling sessions with a licensed clinician. You have access to eight sessions per issue every 12 months. The sessions are available to you, your spouse, children, and anyone living under your roof, even if they are not your dependent. The sessions are completely free, and your medical insurance will not be used.

To learn more about the counseling sessions, lifestyle coaching, or any other WorkLife Solutions benefits, please contact the NATCA EAP Committee at worklife@natca.net. If you'd like to browse all benefits, visit magellanascend.com. Be sure to select "Find My Company" on the top right and then choose "Federal Aviation Administration" to access specific member benefits.

To use any of these services, contact Magellan WorkLife Solutions at 800-