

### Honoring Our Advocates' Dedication and Difference-Making on Capitol Hill

We commend all of our activists who traveled to our nation's capital to NATCA in Washington 2024. Whether it's your first time or you're a returning participant, thank you for your commitment to championing our Union's issues with members of Congress. Your presence and advocacy are crucial as we navigate these critical issues and work towards our Union's goals.

Your voice matters. Throughout NATCA in Washington, our members were equipped with the knowledge and tools to effectively represent our Union and engage with legislators and their staffs on Capitol Hill.



Together, we are stronger. We hope you took this opportunity to learn from each other, build relationships, and discover innovative ways to advocate for our Union's priorities. Thank you for your hard work, professionalism, and dedication.

### NATCA Honors 2024 Regional Legislative Award Winners at NiW

Congratulations to NATCA's 2024 Regional Legislative Award winners! Each year, the spotlight shines at NATCA in Washington where the National Legislative Committee (NLC) celebrates standout activists from each region.

Chosen by their Regional Vice Presidents, these champions embody the spirit of union advocacy, dedicating immeasurable hours and boundless energy to forge key congressional relationships, empower and educate fellow members, and advance NATCA's legislative priorities. These NATCAvists' extraordinary contributions have made a difference for our Union and the National Airspace System at large. Join us in applauding their relentless dedication and outstanding achievements.



Below are this year's winners:

#### **Alaskan Region**

Jonathan Eisenmayer (Fairbanks ATCT/TRACON, FAI)

#### **Central Region**

Melissa Tinzmann (St. Louis ATCT, STL)

#### **Eastern Region**

Jeff Sieczkarski (Rochester ATCT, ROC)

#### **Great Lakes Region**

Rachel Gilmore (Indianapolis Center, ZID)

#### **New England Region**

Tim Roig (Bradley TRACON, Y90)

#### **Northwest Mountain Region**

Anita Johnson (Eugene Airport, EUG)

#### **Southern Region**

Dennis Hilton (Greenville-Spartanburg ATCT, GSP)

#### **Southwest Region**

Melissa Potter (Dallas/Fort Worth TRACON, D10)

#### **Western Pacific Region**

Matt Schorman (Phoenix TRACON, P50) Peter Kasabian (Van Nuys ATCT, VNY)

#### Region X

Dominique Piper (Aircraft Certification Service (AIR) Local, EW1)

## Capturing the Moment: See Photos of the NiW Experience & NATCA's Advocacy Power

At NATCA in Washington, every interaction, every message, and every meeting carries immense weight. Our Union's collective voice, amplified by the dedication and passion of each member, resonates through the halls of Congress. It's about more than just being present — it's about actively shaping policies, advocating for our rights, and ensuring a bright future for our profession.

Activists who attended NiW, share your photos to showcase your work on Capitol Hill this week, by sending them to <a href="mailto:publicaffairs@natca.org">publicaffairs@natca.org</a>. Please include the identities of everyone in the picture, and the office you're visiting, so we can feature them across NATCA's communication platforms.

# Send us your Congressional Meeting photos









Send photos to publicaffairs@natca.org





Check out this year's <u>photo album</u> to see the power of our advocacy in action. Together, we're making a difference!

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