

NATCA Safety and Technology Leadership Council (NSTLC) Meeting Minutes May 8, 2025 (In-Person)

The May 2025 NATCA Safety and Technology Leadership Council (NSTLC) Meeting was held in-person on May 8, 2025.

Attendance/Committee Members

John Murdock – National Safety Article 114 Representative – Chair
Mark McKelligan – Director of Safety and Technology – Co- Chair
Phil Hargarten – Deputy Director of Safety and Technology
Dan Hamilton – National Program Management Office (PMO) Article 114 Representative
Jamaal Haltom – National Training Article 114 Representative
Adam Rhodes – National NextGen Article 114 Representative
Jen McCoy – National Procedures Article 114 Representative
Josh Haviland – National Airspace Article 114 Representative
Mark Ostronic – National Strategy Article 114 Representative
Brianna Deaver – Safety and Technology Administrator (non-committee member)

Standing Agenda Items

NSTLC Priority List:

This item was tabled for discussion at a future meeting.

Reviewed Requested Travel:

- Meeting of the Meteorology Panel – June 2-4, 2025, in Kansas City, KS
 - NSTLC Recommended
- Safety Forum – June 6-7, 2025, in Brussels Belgium
 - NSTLC Recommended

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FAA Re-Auth

Adam Rhodes, Mark Ostronic, and Josh Haviland presented their findings from their review of the FAA Reauthorization document, identifying items that will impact the bargaining unit.

FAA Telecommunications Infrastructure (FTI):

Mark Ostronic (Strategy Article 114 Representative) provided a brief overview of the FTI program and its status.

NATCA Convention Preparation:

The NSTLC discussed convention preparations and confirmed which of the NSTLC members will be attending convention and will be available to speak to any topics if needed.

Project LIFT/Voice Switches:

Mark Ostronic provided a brief overview of the Project Lift/Voice Switches program and its status.

Representatives at Facilities:

The NSTLC discussed the challenges representatives face when reporting to facilities and the ongoing issues they are experiencing.

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Communicating for Safety (CFS):

The NSTLC discussed and brainstormed suggestions for panels and breakout sessions they would like to see at CFS 2025.

Tower Minimum Equipment List:

The NSTLC discussed and drafted a standard Tower Minimum Equipment List, which will be submitted to Congress by NATCA Public Affairs.

Upcoming Meetings

- June 17 and 18, 2025 (In-Person) – CANCELED
- July 16, 2025 (Virtual)
- August 5 and 6, 2025 (In-Person)
- September 24, 2025 (Virtual)
- October 21 and 22, 2025 (In-Person)
- November 12, 2025 (Virtual)
- December 16 and 17, 2025 (In-Person)