

**NATCA Safety and Technology Leadership Council (NSTLC) Meeting Minutes
July 24, 2026 (Virtual)**

The July 2026 NATCA Safety and Technology Leadership Council (NSTLC) Meeting was held virtually on July 24, 2026.

Attendance/Committee Members

John Murdock – National Safety Article 114 Representative – Co-Chair
Dean Iacopelli – Acting Director of Safety and Technology – Co-Chair
Dan Hamilton – National Program Management Office (PMO) Article 114 Representative
Ben Latimer – National Procedures Article 114 Representative
Jamaal Haltom - National Training Article 114 Representative
Josh Haviland – National Airspace Article 114 Representative
Mark Ostronic – National Strategy Article 114 Representative
Adam Rhodes – National NexGen Article 114 Representative
Aaron Merrick – Regional Vice President (RVP) for the Central Region (NCE)
Mike Christine – Regional Vice President (RVP) for the Eastern Region (NEA)
Brianna Deaver – Safety and Technology Administrator (non-committee member)
Toby Hauck – Incoming Director of Safety and Technology
Jim Dyckman - Incoming Deputy Director of Safety and Technology

Standing Agenda Items

NSTLC Priority List:

This agenda item was tabled for discussion at a future meeting.

OLD BUSINESS

Article 114 Solicitation Interview Panel:

Josh Haviland (National Airspace Article 114 Representative) will make edits to the NSTLC Article 114 Solicitation Interview Panel SOP and will send the SOP to the NSTLC for review.

NEW BUSINESS

Brand New Air Traffic Control System (BNATS) Update:

Dan Hamilton (National Program Management Office (PMO) Article 114 Representative) provided a brief update on the current status of BNATCS.

Training Update

Jamaal Haltom (National Training Article 114 Representative) provided a brief update on the current status of training initiatives across the NAS.

Safety Update

John Murdock (National Safety Article 114 Representative) provided a brief update on the status of the Safety Team and Reports.

Article 114 Solicitation Interview Panels

The NSTLC will provide future recommendations in ranked order based on the panel's assessment and recommendation.

CFS A114 Meeting

A meeting was set up with the Safety and Technology Department to further discuss the meeting agenda.

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OPEN DISCUSSION

The NSTLC Discussed:

- FAA Organizational Structure
- NextGen Contacts.
- KSN Access
- Title 49 – 4103
- Action Item
- Slatwall Implementation

Upcoming Meetings

- August 21, 2026 (Virtual)