



## AIRPORT MINORITY ADVISORY COUNCIL

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### Message from the President

Dear Members and Friends:

Our 34th Annual Airport Business Diversity Conference: *Inspiring Possibilities* has officially launched! We are elated to partner with the Seattle-Tacoma International Airport (Sea-Tac) to host this premier aviation event at the Westin Seattle from August 21 - 25, 2018.

AMAC's Annual Airport Business Diversity Conference continues to bring together nearly 1,000 businesses, aviation professionals, government officials and individuals from around the country to discuss a variety of subjects ranging from how to do business at airports to public policy issues impacting the entire aviation industry. This highly acclaimed conference serves as a hub for education, advocacy and networking opportunities that promote diversity and inclusion in airports.

We hope you can join us so together we can achieve AMAC's vision "to create economic equity, prosperity and wealth for minorities and women in the aviation and aerospace industries" and make it a reality. For sponsorship opportunities contact [info@amac-org.com](mailto:info@amac-org.com).



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Sincerely,

Krystal J. Brumfield  
President & CEO  
AMAC / AMAC Foundation

## EVENTS

### Business Diversity for Construction Contractors

Indianapolis Airport Authority  
Tuesday, February 20, 2018  
9:00 am - 11:30 am EST

### AMAC New Member Orientation Webinar

Online Webinar  
Wednesday, February 21, 2018  
2:00 pm - 3:00 pm EST

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## Locating and Applying for Contracts at SFO

SFO Training Center  
Friday, February 23, 2018  
10:00 am - 11:30 am PST

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## 14th Annual ARN Revenue Conference & Exhibition

Rosen Shingle Creek  
March 12 - March 15, 2018  
8:30 pm - 11:00 pm EST

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## AMAC Leadership Summit on Capitol Hill COMTO's Celebrating Women Who Move the Nation

K&L Gates/U.S. Capitol Visitor Center  
March 20 - March 21, 2018  
8:00 am - 6:30 pm EST

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## AMAC Airport Business Diversity Conference

The Westin Seattle  
August 21 - August 25, 2018  
7 am - 12 pm PST

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### Denver International Airport Takes a 'Smart' Approach to Facilities Management

Denver International Airport has partnered with Johnson Controls in an ongoing effort to become a "smart airport." On any given day, smart airports use technology to help terminals operate more efficiently.

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### Will Facial Recognition Speed Up Airport Security Lines?

In hopes of easing airport congestion, the Transportation Security Administration (TSA) is testing a new technology that confirms the identity of



passengers through facial recognition at one of the nation's largest airports, Los Angeles International.

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## New Valet Parking Service Now Open at BWI Marshall Airport

Baltimore/Washington International Thurgood Marshall Airport (BWI) announced a valet parking service at the airport's Hourly Garage is now open and operational. The new Fly Away valet service is located on level 5 of the BWI Marshall Airport Hourly Garage, which is connected directly to the airport terminal.



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## AVIATION NEWS

### Rolls-Royce Launches IntelligentEngine

Rolls-Royce recently launched its pioneering IntelligentEngine vision at the Singapore Airshow. With more people flying than ever before and an increasing demand for more efficient travel, Rolls-Royce has defined a vision for the future of aircraft power that will help deliver passengers more reliably and more efficiently than ever before.



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## JFK Terminal 4 Earns Gold LEED Certification

The U.S. Green Building Council awarded John F. Kennedy International Airport (JFK) a gold certification for Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design for Existing Buildings: Operations & Maintenance. Terminal 4 achieved this distinction with the help of CodeGreen, which consulted on energy and sustainability during the certification process.



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# LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

## Trump Budget Continues to Support Air-Traffic Control Privatization

President Trump continued his budget blueprint to support moving air-traffic controllers out of the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) and into a non-profit corporation, which is hotly debated in Congress.



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