



PRESS STATEMENT

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Modern Skies Coalition Statement on DOT's Air Traffic Control Modernization Summit

WASHINGTON, April 21, 2026 — The Modern Skies Coalition supports Secretary Duffy's efforts to modernize our nation's air traffic control system, with a focus on strengthening the safety and efficiency of the National Airspace System (NAS) while addressing antiquated technology and staffing shortages. The event held at the Department of Transportation today shows the important progress made over the past year and highlights the roadmap for the next tranche of funding.

To sustain this momentum, the Coalition urges Congress to provide additional resources and enable continued progress.

ABOUT THE MODERN SKIES COALITION

The Modern Skies Coalition is comprised of more than 50 aviation industry organizations that are united in their support for ATC modernization. For more information about the Modern Skies Coalition, visit our website modernskies.com.

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