



2024 VAOC SPRING WORKSHOP

May 15-16, 2024
Hotel 24 South
Staunton, Virginia



AGENDA

Wednesday, May 15, 2024

10:30 am - 1:00 pm

Registration
Shenandoah Ballroom

1:00 pm - 1:15 pm

Welcome

Speakers:

Lisa Botkin

Vice President, VAOC

Director, Shenandoah Valley Reg. Airport

Heather Ream

Secretary, VAOC

Director of Marketing and Communications

Shenandoah Valley Reg. Airport

1:15 pm - 2:15 pm

FAA Update

The Federal Aviation Administration's (FAA) Washington Airports District Office (ADO) will provide updates on airport financial programs including the Airport Improvement Program (AIP) and Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL). In addition the ADO will share the latest updates to FAA's guidance on planning, environmental, engineering and other related topics.

Speakers:

Chad Carper

Engineer, Washington ADO

Federal Aviation Administration

Mark Rutyna

Airport Planner, Washington ADO

Federal Aviation Administration

**Thank you to
Shenandoah Valley Regional Airport
for hosting the
2024 VAOC Spring Workshop!**



2:15 pm - 3:15 pm

VAOC Strategic Planning & Legislative Affairs Workshop

This panel will discuss the work of the recently established VAOC Strategic Planning committee. Keith Holt will recap the 2024 General Assembly session with lobbying partners from MWAA and VABA and chart a vision for 2025.

Speakers: Michael Cooper
Manager, State and Local Government Affairs
Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority

Bud Oakey
President
Virginia Aviation Business Association (VABA)

Moderators: Keith Holt
Nick Sabo

3:15 pm - 3:45 pm

Networking Break

3:45 pm - 5:00 pm

AOPA Update - Transition to an Unleaded Future and Quantifying the Hangar Shortage

AOPA will provide an update to the aviation industry efforts to transition to a 100 octane unleaded fuel. AOPA will also debrief the results of our Hangar Survey and discuss best practices for airport managers to solve the hangar shortage.

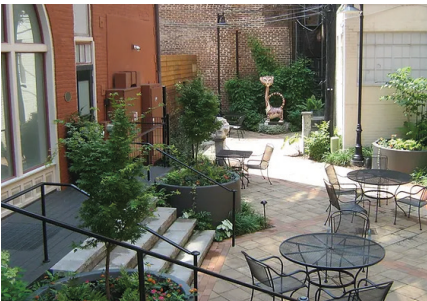
Speaker: Mike Ginter
Vice President, Airports and State Advocacy
Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association (AOPA)

5:30 pm - 7:00 pm

Networking Reception

Staunton Augusta Art Center
20 South New Street, Staunton, VA

Join us in the heart of Staunton's historic district to network and enjoy some refreshments!



The Staunton Augusta Art Center is a non-profit 501 (C) (3) organization dedicated to enriching the community through an appreciation of the visual arts and art education to community members and visitors of all ages.

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Thursday, May 16, 2022

7:00 am- 8:00 am

Hot Breakfast Buffet Colonnade Ballroom

8:00 am- 9:00 am

DOAV Update

Members of the Virginia Department of Aviation will provide updates and an introduction to the Virginia Economic Partnership.

Speakers:

Greg Campbell, Director,
Virginia Department of Aviation

Vernon Carter, Director of Airport Services,
Virginia Department of Aviation

John Campbell

Director of Communications and Education,
Virginia Department of Aviation

Susan Simmers

Grant Program Coordinator,
Virginia Department of Aviation

9:00 am- 9:20 am

VAB Economic Development & Strategic Planning Committee Update

Speaker:

Vanessa Christie

VAB- Chair, Economic Development &
Strategic Planning Committee (EDSPC)

9:20 am- 10:30 am

Airport Development Innovation

Keeping your ALP and ACIPs progressive and relevant through the lens of business development and community needs, as well as innovative funding solutions to bring projects to life.

Speakers:

Mark Perryman, President & Chief Executive
Officer, Norfolk Airport Authority

Peter D'Alema, Director of Program
Management, Virginia Resource Authority

Perry Hickman, VA State Director of Rural
Development, US Department of Agriculture

Moderators:

Nick Sabo
Bill Kelly



10:30 am- 11:00 am

Networking Break

11:00 am- 12:00 am

Airport Emergency Planning & Recovery

This session discusses emergency preparedness, and we'll learn practical lessons on its importance from airport managers with recent experience at their facilities.

The Department of Fire Programs offers support and training to Virginia airports. They will give an update on the mobile ARFF simulator and other training for GA and Air Carrier airports.

Speakers: Chad Riddleberger
Chief of Special Operations, VA Department of Fire Programs

Scott Coffman
Airport Director, Leesburg Executive Airport

Keith Holt
Airport Director, Virginia Tech Montgomery Executive Airport

Jolene Berry
Assistant Airport Director, Manassas Regional Airport

Moderator: Jeremy Wilkinson

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

VAOC Luncheon and Business Meeting Colonnade Ballroom

The luncheon is open to all workshop registrants to eat and visit with friends and colleagues. At the end of lunch, VAOC will hold a business meeting that is also open to anyone who would like to attend.

Meeting to follow
the VAOC luncheon

VAB Meeting Shenandoah Ballroom

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