

## **Items for Discussion**

## Ohio Aerospace and Aviation Technology Committee (OAATC)

## 1. Proposed Operating Guidelines for Selecting Strategic Initiatives

Strategic initiatives selected by the Committee should:

- Fulfill duties outlined in enabling legislation
- Be "actionable" and "measureable"
- Leverage or extend existing Ohio competitive advantage
- Unite the leading aerospace organizations in the State, educational and research organizations, State government agencies, industry, and the national laboratories
- As a group, seek to achieve statewide political consensus

## 2. Proposed Strategic Topics

- Make aerospace and aviation a higher state priority
- Increase recognition for the Ohio aerospace and aviation brand
- Propose and support legislation at the state level that promotes aerospace and aviation technology development, jobs, manufacturing, services, research, education, and training
- Position Ohio as the lead for new emerging technologies associated with aerospace and aviation
- Increase support for small and medium-sized aerospace and aviation firms
- Foster new and innovative initiatives to train the aerospace and aviation workforce of the future
- Propose and support education policy changes at both K-12 and postsecondary levels to produce an educated workforce that can support a robust aerospace and aviation sector
- Increase aerospace and aviation manufacturing
- Work with the Ohio Federal Military Jobs Commission (FMJC) on mutual goals
- Other aerospace and aviation initiatives as determined by the Committee