AIR’s Current Organization

Aircraft Certification Service
AIR 1, Executive Director
Dorenda Baker

AIR 2, Deputy Executive Director, Regulatory Operations
David Hempe

AIR 3, Deputy Executive Director, Strategic Initiatives
Chris Carter

Organizational Performance Division (AIR 300)
Colleen D’Alessandro

International Division (AIR 400)
Amer Younossi, Acting

Policy & Innovation Division (AIR 600)
Mike Romanowski

Compliance & Airworthiness Division (AIR 700)
Lance Gant

Systems Oversight Division (AIR 800)
Jeff Duven

Enterprise Operations Division (AIR 900)
Suzanne Chandler

Executive Technical Support Staff (AIR 10)
Brian Morris

Alternative Fuels Program Staff (AIR 20)
Monica Merritt

Monitors and assesses the overall internal health of AIR, and provides strategic leadership for planning and change management within the organization.

Provides liaison support to other FAA organizations, international U.S. government agencies, the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) and other civil aviation authorities as the AIR international focal.

Supports aerospace innovation by creating novel means of compliance, develops and maintains AIR regulations, manages the CSTA program and overall fleet safety, as well as educational outreach.

Issues all design approvals for both domestic and foreign manufacturers as well as production and airworthiness certificates, executes COS processes, and provides flight test support.

Oversees all FAA approvals, certificates, and bilateral partners in addition to designee and delegation programs.

Provides core services that enable success throughout AIR, including human resources, financial management, workforce development, IT support and information management.