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Center Management Council Debuts

Solutions, not gripes. Leadership on issues, not weekly fill time. Action items, not minutes. These contrasts describe the mission of the new Center Management Council. It met August 12 in the first of its bi-monthly meetings designed to produce better facility coordination. Every on-site customer of the COATC is a participating member. Boeing, Bionetics, AFMETCAL, AIS, Heath Rec Center, and Kaiser were represented at the inaugural meeting. The CMC replaces the former IPT group for inter-tenant coordination on facility matters.

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SAFETY NETwork Goes to Work, Fast

Safety issues can't wait for a meeting. With that basic fact in mind, the Port Authority has established and begun using *SAFETY NETwork*, a new tool for on-site safety professionals and leadership to quickly share safety concerns amongst each other. The new schedule of tornado siren testing, recent train derailment blockage, and last-minute power line work crews deployment are recent examples of where the e-mail network has been used to share safety issues—fast.

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Base TV: Welcome Colonel Mitchell

AFMETCAL welcomed its new Commander, Colonel Robert Mitchell, in a ceremony last month. *Base TV* gets a few seconds to get the personal side.

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Blog: In An Economic Powerhouse

Port Authority CEO Rick Platt has signed on as a "blogger" on NewarkAdvocate.com. He promises a regular economic development topic from his port authority and community perspective. This week's message is about the combined economic power of the four industrial parks along the I-79/Thornwood corridor—McMillen, COATC, Mid-Ohio, and Newark Ohio Industrial Park. Combined, these parks represent Central Ohio's largest manufacturing concentration with over 11 million sq. ft. of industrial space.

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