A Message from Honeywell Aerospace President and CEO Tim Mahoney

For more than a century, Honeywell has played a major role in key moments throughout aviation history, from Amelia Earhart's landmark flight in 1932 to Neil Armstrong's first steps on the moon. Honeywell has a rich history of invention and innovation related to navigation including Pioneer Instruments' Earth Inductor Compass, which was used on Charles Lindbergh's transatlantic flight on the Spirit of St. Louis in 1927. Honeywell has continued to refine and expand our technological innovations to improve safety and reliability for pilots, passengers and the military, including the development of the ring laser gyroscope and our latest weather radar product, which can detect lightning and hail in 3-D, and offers the industry's longest turbulence detection range.

Honeywell is proud to support the Smithsonian Air and Space Museum's Time and Navigation exhibit, where visitors from across the world will be able to explore how improvements in navigation have dramatically changed our world. Our commitment to innovation continues with ongoing research into new technologies to improve safety, efficiency, productivity and comfort for the aerospace industry, including next generation guidance, navigation and control systems. As we look to the future, our community involvement also reflects a commitment to Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) education initiatives, and championing today's students, who will ultimately become the innovators of tomorrow.