

MEDIA ADVISORY



Tweed-New Haven Airport to Host Career Fair on Friday

The airport and its partners now accepting applications for more than 100 new positions

WHAT: On Friday morning, Tweed-New Haven Airport (HVN) will host a career fair with local partners to share information about more than 100 specific job opportunities based at the airport. The job openings stem from plans announced earlier this year to invest \$100 million in HVN to extend the runway and build a new, carbon neutral terminal, allowing for more flights to more destinations and eliminating the need for existing state and city subsidies.

The career fair is open to the public and free parking will be available. On-site interviews and virtual interviews will be scheduled and conducted. The event will take place outdoors, and will also ask attendees to abide by social distancing and face-covering safety measures.

*“New Haven Works is excited to partner with Avports and the airport. This event is a great opportunity for Avports and Tweed New Haven to showcase their commitment to local hiring as an essential component of the airport's expansion.” -- **Melissa Mason, Executive Director of New Haven Works***

*“Workforce Alliance is excited to be working with Tweed and Avelo Airlines because expansion not only benefits businesses in our region, but creates jobs. I am glad to see career opportunities from entry-level to upper management.” -- **William Villano, President & CEO of New Haven-based Workforce Alliance***

WHO: Participating partners in Friday's event include:

- **Avelo Airlines**, who have announced plans to hire at least 100 HVN-based employees, including airport customer service and operations-related roles, pilots, flight attendants, as well as a number of manager and supervisor positions.
- **Avports**, HVN's operator of more than 20 years, which plans to hire new employees at HVN in the areas of airport operations and management, safety supervision, security, facilities management and more.
- **Workforce Alliance**
- **New Haven Works**
- **Walsh Construction**
- **The New Haven Building Trades**
- **The North Atlantic States Regional Council of Carpenters**

Friday's event will also be attended by **New Haven Mayor Justin Ellicker**, as well as **Sean Scanlon, Executive Director of Tweed New-Haven Airport**.

WHEN: Friday September 10, 2021, from 10am to 2pm

WHERE:

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