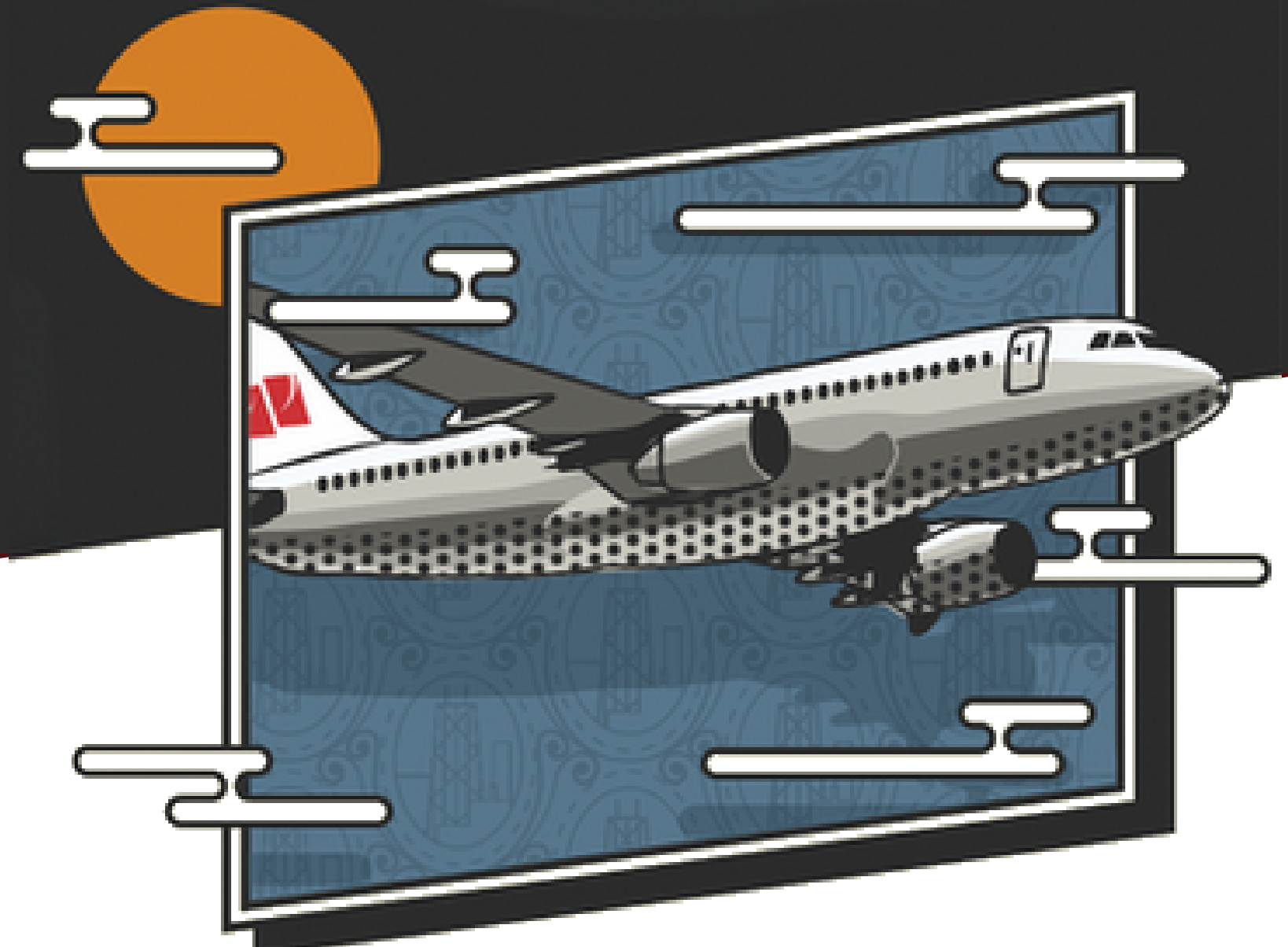




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# Regulatory and Legislative Updates

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# Today's session

Implementation of FAA Reauthorization Act of 2024

Funding initiatives

New regulatory or quasi-regulatory initiatives

Congressional crystal ball

Changes in administration



# FAA Reauthorization



## **Big picture – implementation guidance**

Format

Timing

## **Specific substantive provisions**

Section 743 (land use regulatory authority;  
ALP review)

Section 788 (NEPA)



# Funding initiatives

Airport Improvement Program (under Reauthorization)  
Airport Safety and Resiliency Infrastructure Discretionary Program  
PFAS Replacement Grant Program  
Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL)



# Other regulatory and quasi-regulatory initiatives

Electric aircraft infrastructure (advanced air mobility)

Surface awareness initiatives

Counter – UAS

Leaded avgas transition

Part 380 scheduled charters

Aviation worker screening

Buy American

# Forthcoming policy efforts

Aircraft/airport noise policies

Orders and Advisory Circular updates

- Order 5190.6B (Compliance)

- Order 1050 (Environmental reviews)

- AIP Handbook

- Incorporating Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) into revised A/Cs (as appropriate)

  - ALP Advisory Circular

  - Master Planning Advisory Circular



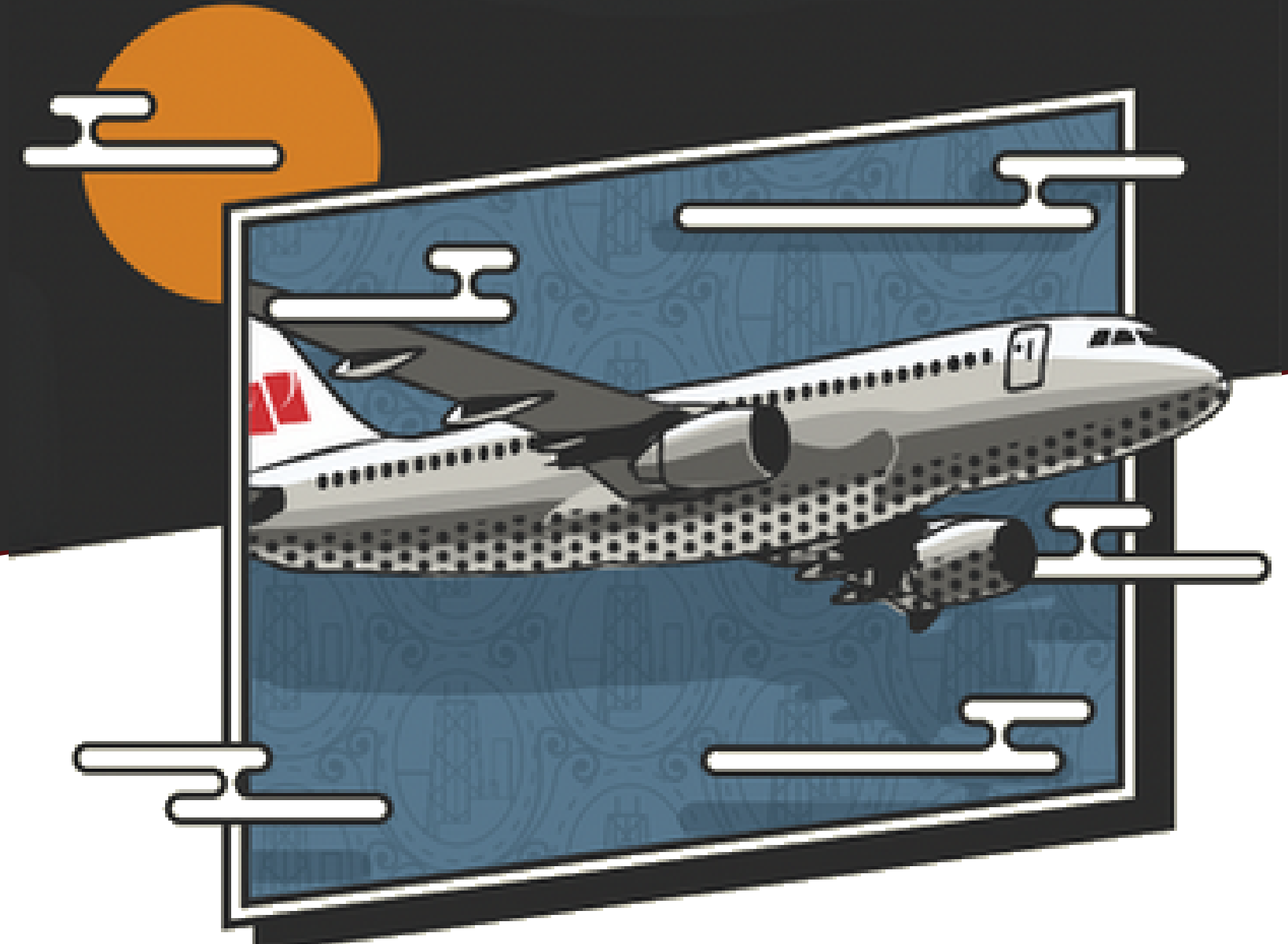
# Congress and the new administration



Funding – 2025 and forward  
Results of election – industry perspective  
Hot topics?



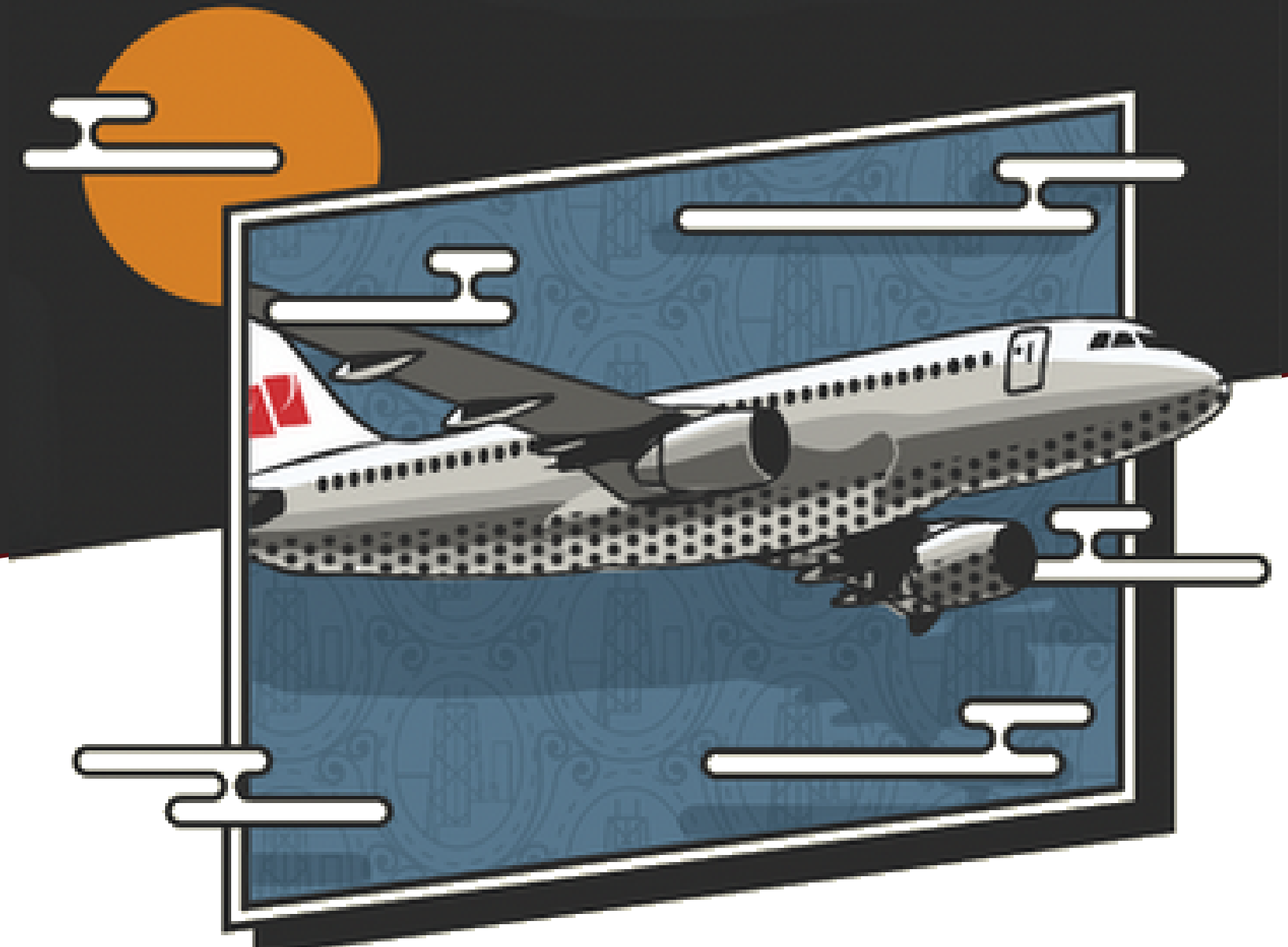
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# QUESTIONS?



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