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Dear Member

Preparations are underway in earnest for this year's Annual Conference in Halifax, Unmanned Systems Canada's signature event. Our annual conference is now recognized as one of the key events on the global unmanned systems community calendar. This success has led to increased demand from our membership to further strengthen the annual conference, expand the Association's capacity to provide professional development and networking services, such as the Emergency Responder Workshop that just took place in Regina, expanding our support to the emerging unmanned ground vehicles sector, and engaging in greater detail with the unmanned maritime community.

In order to provide these expanded services, your Board is focussed on ensuring that we can perform at the level we all envision, and that we can deliver the key ROI that our members and valued stakeholders expect.

Therefore, we are pleased to announce that we have expanded our conference and event planning capacity by engaging the services of Ottawa-based Intertask Conferences. The Intertask team has over 40 years of experience planning conferences and related business events Canada-wide. Their expertise is needed now more than ever before to help us position the conference and other events to meet the needs of our rapidly growing sector and to promote the Unmanned Systems distinct value proposition; which should drive increases in both delegate attendance and membership.

Developing a stronger conference brand and platform so that more corporations, academia and government procurement delegations participate not only as attendees, but as supporters, contributors and presenters, is precisely the level of full sector engagement that will help to ensure Unmanned Systems Canada's continued ability to speak with authority and serve the needs of our growing industries.

---Unmanned Systems Canada, already on the forefront of a global industry is stepping up to the mark. Don't miss your opportunity to join us!

We look forward to seeing you in Halifax.



Thank you
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