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President's Report

THE SATELLITE INDUSTRY ASSOCIATION'S MONTHLY NEWSLETTER
Featuring the latest Association and Member News and Industry Events

Welcome to the NEW SIA President's Report In this Month's Issue

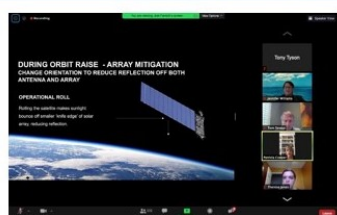
- SIA NEWS - SIA Policy News and Press Releases
- SIA FEATURE - Satellites and COVID-19 Update
- SIA EVENT NEWS - SIA Webinar, Seminars and Member-only Roundtables
- SIA MEMBER NEWS - SpaceX Falcon 9 Crew Dragon Launch Rescheduled for Saturday, May 30th
- SIA MEMBER NEWS - Additional News Updates from Boeing, EchoStar, Globalstar, Hawkeye 360, Hughes, Inmarsat, Intelsat, Kratos, OneWeb, Planet, SES, Telesat and Viasat
- SATELLITE INDUSTRY CALENDAR UPDATES

SIA News Headlines

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- SIA APPLAUDS COMMERCE DEPARTMENT FOR STREAMLINING LICENSING REGULATIONS REGARDING COMMERCIAL SATELLITE REMOTE SENSING
- SIA SUPPORTS AMERICAN SPACE COMMERCE ACT - PROPOSED LEGISLATION TO SUPPORT THE LAUNCH OF AMERICAN SATELLITES FROM U.S. SOIL
- SIA ANNOUNCES EXECUTIVE AND ASSOCIATION MEMBER-ONLY ROUNDTABLES
- SIA PRESIDENT TOM STROUP REPRESENTS COMMERCIAL SATELLITE INDUSTRY AT THE EISENHOWER SCHOOL AT THE NATIONAL DEFENSE UNIVERSITY

SIA and American Astronomical Society Organize Webinar: Impacts of Satellite Constellations on Optical Astronomy



For a complete recap of the past month's SIA News and filings, please visit the [SIA News Page](#)

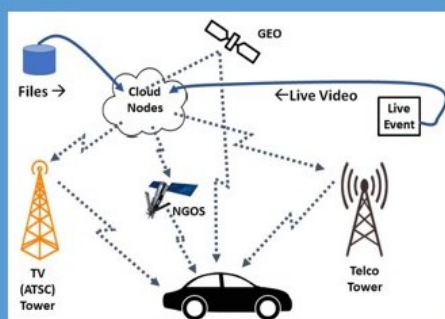
UPDATE - THE SATELLITE INDUSTRY AND COVID-19



This month's Trends column continues to focus on the role that satellites and SIA members are playing in the fight against the COVID-19 pandemic. As the world continues to endure this unprecedented crisis, satellites are providing a host of communications, business continuity, broadcast, navigation, remote imaging and other vital services critical to public health and safety and community well being. Read the latest initiatives and updates on the SIA website page [HERE](#).

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SIA Member News Headlines

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PLANET TO LAUNCH SIX OF ITS SKYSAT SATELLITES FROM CAPE CANAVERAL USING SPACEX FALCON 9



On May 13th, Planet announced it will launch its SkySat 16-21 geospatial imaging satellites on board two rideshare missions using SpaceX's Falcon 9 launch vehicle. The first three satellites are expected to launch next month on the ninth Starlink mission from Space Launch Complex 40 (SLC-40) at the Cape Canaveral Air Force Station in FLA. Above: Planet image from earlier this year shows a SpaceX Falcon 9 launch vehicle on the SLC-40 launch pad at Cape Canaveral. For further details on this and other member news stories, please click [HERE](#). (Photo credit: Planet.com)

MORE MEMBER NEWS HEADLINES

- SPACEX FALCON 9 CREW DRAGON LAUNCH DELAYED DUE TO WEATHER
- ONEWEB REQUESTS FCC APPROVAL FOR UP TO 48,000 SATELLITES
- VIASAT RECOGNIZED AS ONE OF THE TOP 10 INTERNET SERVICE PROVIDERS IN THE AMERICA
- HUGHES CEO MESSAGE - SUPPORTING PUBLIC HEALTH NEEDS AROUND THE WORLD
- BOEING COMPLETES ANOTHER SET OF COVID-19 AIRLIFT MISSIONS
- TELESAT JOINS CONSORTIUM TO OFFER RURAL BROADBAND AND BRIDGE THE DIGITAL DIVIDE
- INTELSAT AND SES OPT INTO ACCELERATED C-BAND CLEARING PLAN TO SUPPORT FCC 5G PLAN
- INTELSAT ANNOUNCES RESTRUCTURING FOR LONG-TERM SUCCESS
- GLOBALSTAR LAUNCHES NEW SPOT JEEP-BRANDED 2-WAY SATELLITE MESSENGER
- KRATOS AWARDED GOVERNMENT CONTRACT TO MODERNIZE AFSCN SITES
- ECHOSTAR, HUGHES AND INTELSAT SUPPORT DRAFT REGULATORY FEE ORDER
- HAWKEYE 360 NAMES NEW CFO
- INMARSAT ANNOUNCES NEW BGAN SATELLITE PUSH-TO-TALK SOLUTION FROM COBHAM
- VIASAT EXTENDS COVID-19 CUSTOMER CONNECTIVITY INITIATIVES THROUGH JUNE

For more details on these and other stories, visit the SIA Member News Page [HERE](#).

SIA Organized Industry Events and Calendar

UPCOMING SIA EVENTS - SIA will organize or host the following SIA Member and Industry Events:

1. SIA Executive and Associate MEMBER-ONLY Roundtable with the FCC International Bureau, June 18th at 12:00 p.m. ET. For more details, please contact SIA Sr. Director of Events Jennifer Williams at jwilliams@sia.org
2. SIA Executive and Associate MEMBER-ONLY Roundtable with FCC Chairman Pai's Office, July 21st at 12:00 p.m. ET. For more details, please contact SIA Sr. Director of Events Jennifer Williams at jwilliams@sia.org
3. DoD Commercial SATCOM Workshop - Hyatt Regency Crystal City, Arlington VA Dec 15th-17th

For an updated list of all the scheduled, rescheduled and postponed Association and satellite industry events, please click on the Industry Calendar [HERE](#).



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