



## **Rochester Based OnCore Aviation, LLC Acquires Buffalo's Prior Aviation Flight School**

*Leading the Way in a Worldwide Community of Modern Flight Training*

**To Whom It May Concern:**

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This morning, [OnCore Aviation, LLC](#) Founder and Owner, Todd Cameron announced the acquisition of the Prior Aviation Service Inc. flight school located in Buffalo, NY. The addition of Buffalo, as a third location for OnCore, is a huge step in making modern flight training accessible to aviators of all ages throughout the northeast. This year's pandemic has left commercial airlines facing unprecedented economic firsts, coupled with political upheaval that has taken its toll. However, in the face of these challenges, general aviation and flight training operations have seen tremendous growth. **In fact, training flights are exponentially up and our airports, like many in the country, are seeing an enormous amount of traffic and commerce due to general aviation.** As the airline industry stabilizes there are still record retirements projected and eventual career opportunities on the horizon. The pilot shortage will be back.

That being said, Cameron sees this acquisition as an opportunity for continued growth in a market that has a century of rich aviation heritage. For years, he has acted as an advocate for raising awareness of trade skill's, STEM education, and the wealth of opportunities in aviation. The expansion is an exciting reach into western NY and one of many planned for the future. OnCore's Flight Operations Team will have the ability to mentor and train more aspiring aviators to attain the success they desire. Programs available through ground schools, flight instruction, simulators and airplane rental enable students of all ages to acquire the ratings required for a safe and successful flying career.

**“Our goal is to be the thought leader in a worldwide community of modern flight training and a company that impacts our entire aviation ecosystem,”** says Cameron.

For more than 59 years Prior Aviation Service Inc. has laid the groundwork as the premier flight training center in Buffalo, New York. OnCore Aviation will build upon that foundation as we continue to offer exceptional customer service and education from experienced, professional instructors.

**“This acquisition is a giant leap forward for New York's aviation industry as a whole. It represents more than just increasing the size of a traditional flight school. Instead, this is a business model that starts with flight training and evolves into economic stimulus for local airports and job opportunities that will shape the industry for years to come,”** says Andy Moore, President of the [New York Aviation Management Association](#) and Director of the [Greater Rochester International Airport](#).

OnCore Aviation welcomes the Prior Aviation flight school instructors and customers into their family. Together, we can continue to make the dream of flight a reality for individuals of all ages and backgrounds. For more information, visit: [OnCoreAviation.com](#).

**Todd M. Cameron, Founder & Owner of OnCore Aviation, LLC**