Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Travel Authorization Form (TAF)

1. Date of Request	2. Travel Request #	3. Department/Division	4. DEPT/ORGN:	5. Appropriation #
07/20/20		DOR	DOr/100	

6. Name of Traveler	7. Title	8. Dates of Travel
Casey Chmielecki	Corporate Director	From: 08/23/26 To: 08/26/26

9. Travel Itinerary and Justification

2026 NESTOA (Northeastern States) Annual Meeting (Mayflower Hotel, Washington DC)

Conference - Monday, August 24th to Wednesday, August 26th

Agenda attached

Attached supporting documentation (conference agendas, brochures, etc.)

10. Expenses

	Personal Funds	MA State Funds	Federal Funds	Other (describe in #12)
Transportation: (check all that apply) ☐ Rail ☐ Bus ☑ Airfare ☑ Car: ☐ State ☑ Personal ☐ Rental ☐ Taxi ☐ Other:		$ 591.41		
Lodging:		$ 636.57		
Meals:		$ 138.00		
Other: (please list):				
Subtotal	$ 0.00	$ 1,365.98	$ 0.00	$ 0.00

Grand Total: $ 1,365.98

11. Certifications and Authorizations (See G.L. c. 30, §25B)

I hereby certify under the pains and penalties of perjury that, to the best of my knowledge, the above information is true and correct.

Signature of Traveler: Casey Chmielecki — Date: 7/20/2026

I hereby certify that sufficient funds are available for the above described travel accommodations.

Signature of Agency CFO: Timothy Rooney — Date: 07/27/2026

I hereby authorize the anticipated travel described above and related expenses listed in this form.

Signature of Traveler's Appointing Authority: Norman Sewell Norman Sewell — Title: Chief, Business Income Bureau — Date: 7/20/26

I hereby authorize the anticipated travel described above and related expenses listed in this form.

Signature of the Traveler's Cabinet Secretary: Matthew J. Gorzkowicz — Date: 08/18/2026

12. Travel Funded By Private Entity, Foreign Government Entity, or Federally Recognized Tribe:

Travel Funded By Private Funds: ☐Yes ☐No

If Yes: $_____ Source (Contact Information):_____

TRAVEL FUNDED BY PRIVATE SOURCES MUST BE DISCLOSED TO AND AUTHORIZED BY APPOINTING AUTHORITY PURSUANT TO 930 CMR 5.08 (2)(d)(1). FOR THE APPROPRIATE FORM GO TO: https://www.mass.gov/disclosure-forms

13: Upon final approval, the Cabinet Secretary shall ensure that a copy of this form is distributed to:

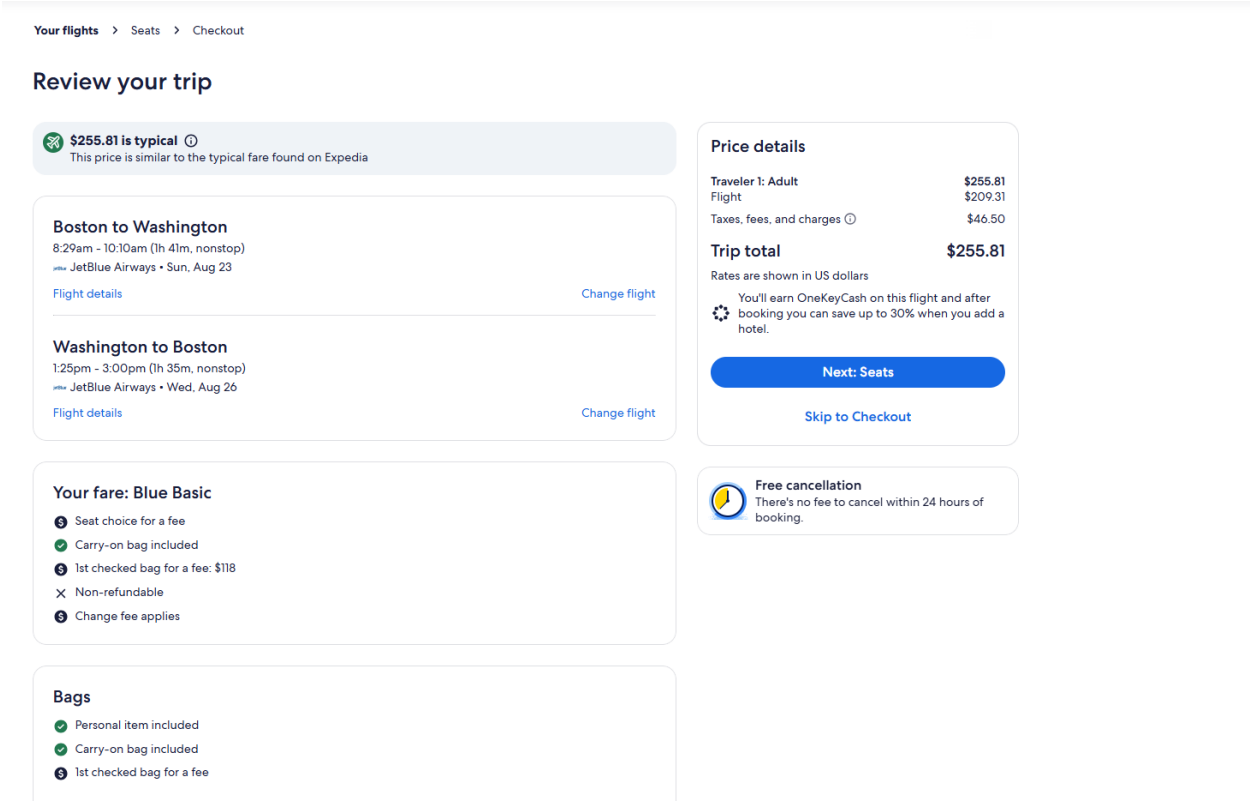
☐ **A&F Budget Director & The Office of the Comptroller (please check once complete)**

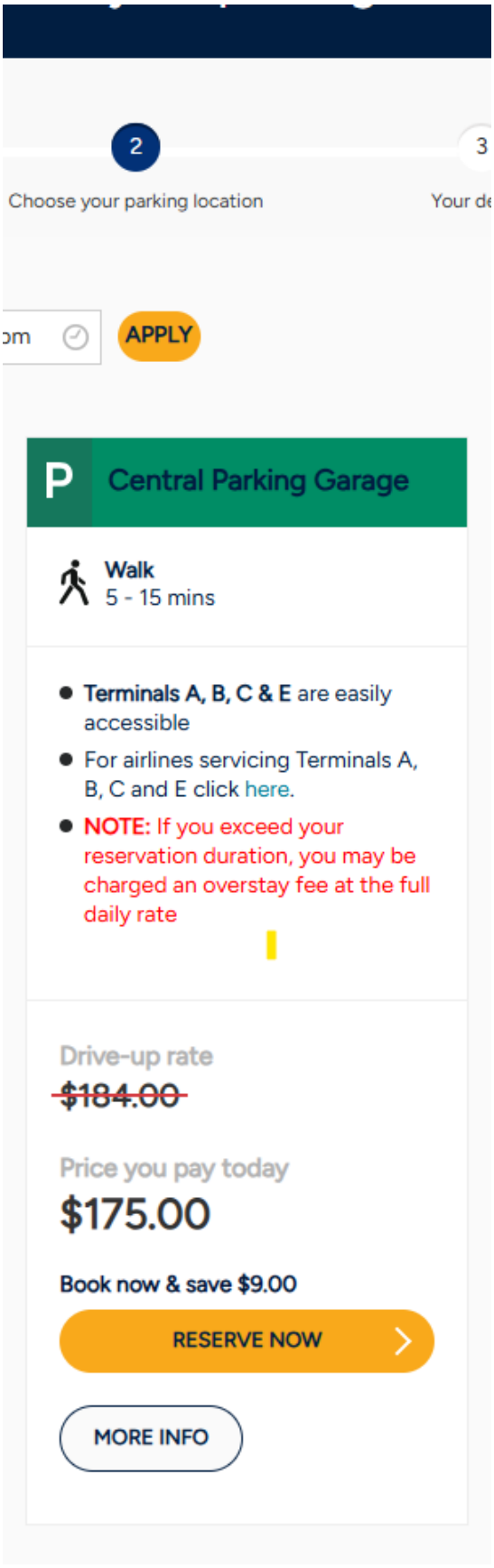
Casey Chmielecki

NESTOA Conference Washington DC

August 23rd to August 26, 2026

Flight and Parking

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Central Parking Garage
Walk
5 - 15 mins
Terminals A, B, C & E are easily accessible
For airlines servicing Terminals A, B, C and E click here.
NOTE: If you exceed your reservation duration, you may be charged an overstay fee at the full daily rate
Drive-up rate
$184.00
Price you pay today
$175.00
Book now & save $9.00
RESERVE NOW
MORE INFO

NESTOA Annual Conference

August 23-26, 2026

Washington, DC

Registration: $574



Hotel: Mayflower Hotel

1127 Connecticut Ave NW

Washington, DC, 20036

$183 per night ++



Agenda

Sunday August 23rd:

8:30 AM
6:00 PM
Taxing Agencies' Attorney and Auditors Meeting
Michael Fatale
BreakoutChinese Ballroom
Show details

2:00 PM
5:00 PM
Conference Registration

RegistrationPromenade Foyer
6:00 PM
8:00 PM
Networking

Monday August 24th

7:30 AM – 9:00 AM

Commissioners' Breakfast
NetworkingPennsylvania Room
Show details

7:30 AM – 9:00 AM

Delegate Breakfast
NetworkingEast Ballroom
Show details
10:15 AM
10:45 AM
Morning Break
NetworkingGrand Ballroom
Show details
10:45 AM
12:00 PM
Sticks and Stones
Dave Weber
KeynoteGrand Ballroom
Show details
12:00 PM– 1:20 PM(2 concurrent sessions)

12:00 PM – 1:20 PM

Delegate Luncheon
NetworkingEast Ballroom
Show details

12:00 PM – 1:20 PM

Lunch and Learn: Exploring the Future of Tax Administration
Kevin Milligan, Eric Myers, Argi O'Leary, John Biello

NetworkingGrand Ballroom
Show details
1:20 PM– 2:10 PM(3 concurrent sessions)

1:20 PM – 2:10 PM

NASPO Collection Agency ValuePoint Agreements
Kathy Revel, Milt Cuevas
CollectionsChinese Ballroom
Show details

1:20 PM – 2:10 PM

Sponsor Series

Details available soon

1:20 PM – 2:10 PM

News From The SaLT Mine
Brian Oliner, Jeff Friedman, Richard Pomp, Jim Eads
AuditPalm Court Ballroom
Show details
2:10 PM
2:15 PM
Break
BreakPromenade Foyer
2:15 PM– 3:05 PM(3 concurrent sessions)

2:15 PM – 3:05 PM

Collections

Details available soon

2:15 PM – 3:05 PM

Sponsor Series

Details available soon

2:15 PM – 3:05 PM

Audit

Details available soon

3:05 PM
3:15 PM
Afternoon Break
NetworkingPromenade Foyer
Show details
3:15 PM– 4:05 PM(3 concurrent sessions)

3:15 PM – 4:05 PM

Collections

Details available soon

3:15 PM – 4:05 PM

Sponsor Series

Details available soon

3:15 PM – 4:05 PM

Audit

Details available soon

4:05 PM
4:10 PM
Break
BreakPromenade Foyer
4:10 PM– 5:00 PM(3 concurrent sessions)

4:10 PM – 5:00 PM

Audit

Details available soon

4:10 PM – 5:00 PM

Collections

Details available soon

4:10 PM – 5:00 PM

Sponsor Series

Details available soon

5:00 PM
6:00 PM
Networking Reception in the Sponsor Area
NetworkingPromenade Foyer

Tuesday August 25th

7:30 AM – 9:00 AM

Delegate Breakfast
NetworkingEast Ballroom
Show details

7:30 AM – 9:00 AM

Commissioners' Breakfast
Business MeetingPennsylvania Room
Show details

9:00 AM
10:15 AM
Commissioners' Panels

Details available soon

10:15 AM
10:35 AM
Break

Details available soon

10:35 AM

11:25 AM
General Session

Details available soon

11:25 AM
12:00 PM
General Session

Details available soon

12:00 PM
1:20 PM
Lunch - On your own
NetworkingOffsite
Show details
1:20 PM– 2:10 PM(3 concurrent sessions)

1:20 PM – 2:10 PM

Customer Service

Details available soon

1:20 PM – 2:10 PM

Tax Policy

Details available soon

1:20 PM – 2:10 PM

Management

Details available soon

2:10 PM
2:15 PM
Networking

Details available soon

2:15 PM– 3:05 PM(3 concurrent sessions)

2:15 PM – 3:05 PM

Customer Service

Details available soon

2:15 PM – 3:05 PM

Management

Details available soon

2:15 PM – 3:05 PM

Tax Policy

Details available soon

3:05 PM
3:15 PM
Afternoon Break
NetworkingPromenade Foyer
Show details
3:15 PM– 4:05 PM(3 concurrent sessions)

3:15 PM – 4:05 PM

Customer Service

Details available soon

3:15 PM – 4:05 PM

Tax Policy

Details available soon

3:15 PM – 4:05 PM

Management

Details available soon

4:05 PM
4:10 PM
Afternoon Break
NetworkingPromenade Foyer
Show details
4:10 PM– 5:00 PM(3 concurrent sessions)

4:10 PM – 5:00 PM

Customer Service

Details available soon

4:10 PM – 5:00 PM

Tax Policy

Details available soon

4:10 PM – 5:00 PM

Management

Details available soon

5:30 PM
9:00 PM
Networking

Wednesday August 26th

7:30 AM
9:00 AM
Delegate Breakfast
NetworkingEast Ballroom
Show details
9:00 AM
10:15 AM
Commissioners' Panels

Details available soon

10:15 AM
10:45 AM
Morning Break
NetworkingGrand Ballroom
10:45 AM
12:00 PM
Breakout

Details available soon