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DISC 2026

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Office of US Senator Ted Budd

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Col C. C. McDonald II
Executive Officer

CAPT R. J. Berti
Commanding Officer

Mr. D. W. Rose
Executive Director

Command Brief

03 March 2026

History



Timeline

- 1943 – Assembly and Repair Department
- 1946 – Overhaul and Repair Department
- 1967 – Naval Air Rework Facility
- 1987 – Naval Aviation Depot
- 2002 – NAVAIR Depot
- 2006 – Fleet Readiness Center East



Highlights

- Repaired more than 35 type/model/series aircraft from WWII to present
- DoD Vertical Lift Center of Excellence
- Celebrated 80 years of excellence Dec. 16, 2023



We Deliver Flightline Readiness

- Maintenance, Repair and Overhaul Services
- Worldwide Support
- Lifecycle Sustainment Services



Department of Defense Vertical Lift Center of Excellence



Our Capabilities Supporting Air, Land, and Maritime Operations



AIRCRAFT

- F-35A/B/C Lightning II
- MV-22, CV-22 & CMV-22 Osprey
- F/A-18A-D Hornet
- CH/MH-53E Super Stallion/Sea Dragon
- CH-53K King Stallion
- C/KC-130T/J Hercules
- UH-1Y Venom
- AH-1Z Viper
- AV-8B & TAV-8B Harriers
- Air Force UH-1N Huey
- HH-60W Jolly Green II



ENGINES

- T400 Reduction Gearbox (UH-1N)
- T58-400B (Presidential VH-3D Sea King)
- T64 (CH/MH-53E)
- *F-35B Lift System*
- *T408 (CH-53K King Stallion)*
- F402 (AV-8B & TAV-8B)



COMPONENTS

- Gas turbine compressors
- Auxiliary power units
- Gearboxes
- Rotor blades
- Hydraulic & pneumatic actuators
- Fuel controls
- Avionics



MANUFACTURING

- Metal plating, coating, forming, heat-treating
- Welding
- Material analysis
- Non-Destructive Inspection
- Low observable paint
- Titanium tube bending, inspection, testing
- Composite & fiberglass fabrication
- CNC machining (5-axis)
- 3-D printing & additive manufacturing



Alignment

Fleet Readiness Centers are support activities that provide shore-based and depot-level maintenance and support to Naval aviation efforts.

They are under the direction of the office of Commander, Fleet Readiness Centers (COMFRC).



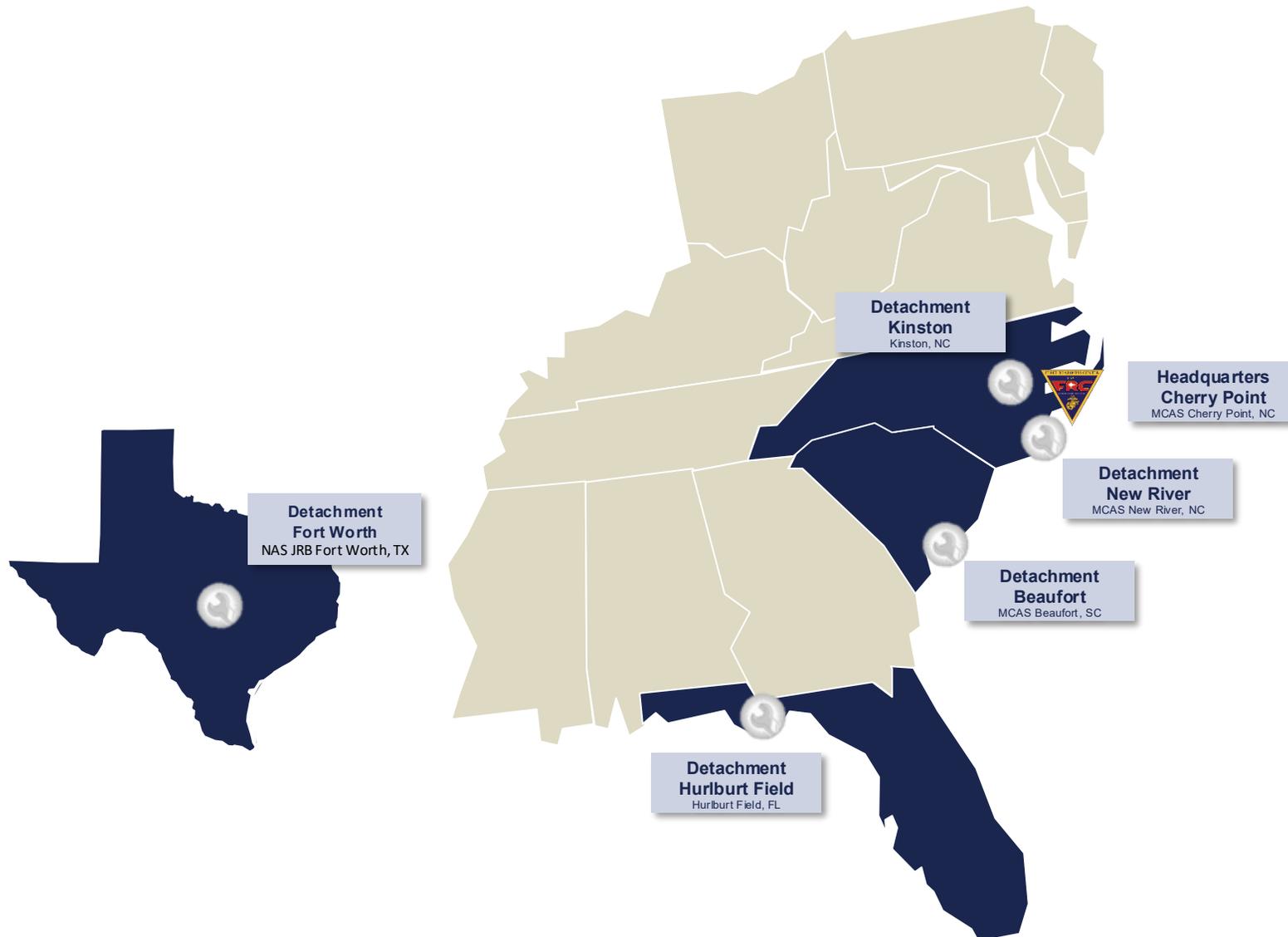


COMFRC Locations





FRC East Detachments



MCAS Cherry Point, NC

- AV-8B & TAV-8B Harrier
- MV-22, CV-22 & CMV-22 Osprey
- CH-53E/K Super Stallion
- MH-53E Sea Dragon
- F-35A/B/C Lightning II

MCAS New River, NC

- MV-22 & CV-22 Osprey
- AH-1Z Viper
- UH-1Y Venom

Global TransPark Kinston, NC

- Air Force UH-1N Huey
- C/KC-130T/J Hercules
- HH-60W Jolly Green II
- MH-139A Grey Wolf

MCAS Beaufort, SC

- F/A-18A-D Hornet

USAF Hurlburt Field, FL

- CV-22 Osprey

NAS JRB Ft. Worth, TX

- C/KC-130T Hercules

By the Numbers



Workforce

- 3,600 employees
 - Artisans: 1,300
 - Engineers: 1,000
 - Support: 1,300
- \$92,000 Average Salary



Financials FY25

- \$886 Million in Revenue
- 4.2 Million Direct Labor Hours
- \$546 Million Payroll



Workload FY25

- 81 Aircraft Repaired
- 50 Engines Repaired
- 8,549 Components Repaired



FRC East Overview



Questions?

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VSE Aviation Overview

2026



VSE at a Glance

Pure-play independent Aerospace service provider with strong organic & inorganic growth opportunities

41+ Years
as a NASDAQ
company

100%
Aerospace
Parts and
Services

~1,500
Employees

~\$1.4B+
Revenue

41
Global
Distribution
& MRO
Facilities

South
Florida
Corporate
HQ



Global provider of aftermarket distribution, maintenance, repair, and overhaul ("MRO"), and manufacturing services



Support Commercial, Rotorcraft, Defense, Business and General Aviation



Strong customer/supplier relationships with embedded services enhance long-term opportunities and revenue stability



Rapid recent growth, including a global, exclusive engine distribution agreement with Pratt & Whitney Canada



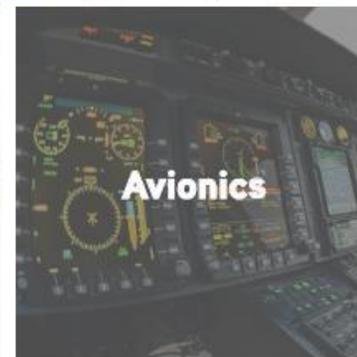
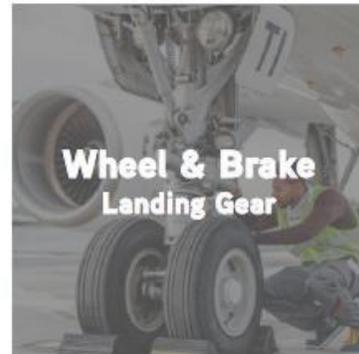
Cultural transformation driving above-market growth

Business Overview

Distribution



MRO and Exchange Services



Proprietary Solutions



VSE Aviation Market Coverage

Examples of Products & Services by Segment



VSEaviation.com

	BUSINESS & GENERAL AVIATION				COMMERCIAL			DEFENSE
	GA	Turbo Prop	Rotorcraft	Business Jets	Regional	Large Airlines	Cargo	US & Intl
Distribution								
	<i>Tire/Tube Program</i>	<i>Engine Accessory Distribution Center of Excellence</i>		<i>Airframe & Avionics</i>	<i>Actuation, Avionics, Electronics, Electromechanical, Engines</i>			<i>Tires, Engine Accessories, Hydraulics</i>
MRO								
	<i>Wheels, Brakes, Hoses</i>	<i>Largest Engine Accessory MRO</i>		<i>Engines, Wheels, Brakes, Oxygen, Hydraulics</i>	<i>Engines, Pneumatic, Avionics, Fuel, Hydraulics</i>	<i>Cargo Systems, Seats, Galleys</i>		<i>Engine Accessories, Pumps</i>

Distribution Facilities

	NORTH AMERICA							EUROPE		ASIA-PACIFIC	
LOCATION	Miami FL	Wichita KS	Phoenix AZ	Chicago IL	San Bernardino CA	Cincinnati OH	New Castle DE	Hamburg GE	Bristol UK	Singapore	Sydney AU
CENTER OF EXCELLENCE	Main Distribution Center	Airframe	Engine Accessories	Commercial Engine Parts	Tires	Tires	Wheels & Brakes	EMEA Distribution Center	Tires	Engine Accessories	Tires & Engine Accessories
CORE CAPABILITIES	Engine Accessories, Actuation, Avionics	Airframe Spares	Engine & USM Parts	Engine Components, Electro-Mech	Tires, Wheels, Brakes	Tires, Wheels, Brakes	Wheels, Brakes	Engine Accessories, Tires, Avionics, Actuation	Tires, Wheels, Brakes	Engine Accessories, Avionics	Tires, Wheels, Brakes, Engine Accessories
TOP OEM PARTNERS	P&WC, Honeywell, Triumph	Bombardier, Textron, DeHavilland	P&WC, Boeing, Triumph	Ametek, Valcor, Electroid	Goodyear, Michelin, Bridgestone	Goodyear, Michelin, Bridgestone	Collins	P&WC, Michelin, Goodyear, Triumph, Honeywell	Goodyear, Michelin, Collins	P&WC, Honeywell, Triumph	P&WC, Goodyear, Michelin

MRO Facilities

	6 ENGINE FOCUSED MROs						2 COMPONENT MROs	
LOCATION	Independence KS 	Everett WA 	Venice FL 	Bloomfield CT 	Fort Lauderdale FL 	Shannon & Dublin IRL 	Miramar FL (2 sites) 	Cincinnati OH 
MARKET SEGMENT	B&GA	B&GA	B&GA	Commercial	Commercial	Commercial	Commercial	Commercial
CENTER OF EXCELLENCE	Fuel	Fuel	Engine Components	Engine Components	Engine	Engine	Avionics Accessories Fluid Flow	Interior Components
CORE CAPABILITIES	Fuel, Exciters	Fuel	Precision Blending, Machining, Welding, Plasma, TBC Coatings, X-Ray	LLPs, Gearboxes, Housings, Frames, Airseals	Lease Return, Light Repair	Lease Return, Light Repair	Pneumatics, Fuel, Avionics, Hydraulics, Electronics	Seats, Galley, Oxygen
TOP OEM AUTHORIZATIONS	Honeywell, Collins, P&WC	Honeywell, Collins, P&WC	Pratt & Whitney	CFM, GE, PW, IAE	CFM, GE, IAE	CFM, GE, IAE	Honeywell, Collins, Eaton	IPECO, Collins, Safran
TOP CUSTOMERS	P&WC Engines, P&WC Comp, Standard Aero, Collins, Honeywell	Salus, Honeywell, Heli-Explore, Turbine Trad., Aero Air	Pratt & Whitney, DOF / DDOF, Overhaul Shops, HSI Shops, Operators	Pratt & Whitney, Safran, GE, GA Telesis, AAR	World Star, ELFC, FTAI, SES, Aercap	World Star, ELFC, FTAI, SES, Aercap	Southwest, UPS, Delta, BP Aero Engine, GOL	FedEx, Atlas, United, Southwest, Aercap

MRO Facilities

12 WHEELS & BRAKES MRO												
LOCATION	Los Angeles CA	Wichita KS	Dallas TX	Phoenix AZ	Miami FL	Atlanta GA	Indianapolis IN	Manchester NH	Calgary CAN	Montreal CAN	London UK	Manchester UK
MARKET SEGMENT	B&GA	B&GA	B&GA, Commercial	B&GA, Commercial	B&GA, Commercial							
CORE CAPABILITIES	Wheels, Brakes, Hoses	Wheels, Brakes, Hoses	Wheels, Brakes, Batteries, Landing Gear, Actuation	Wheels, Brakes	Wheels Brakes							
TOP OEM AUTHORIZATIONS	Goodyear, Michelin, Collins	Goodyear Michelin Collins	Safran, Collins, Honeywell	Safran, Collins, Honeywell	Safran, Collins, Honeywell							

Unique Fully Integrated Aftermarket Solutions Provider

Combining Distribution Technical Sales and MRO Repair Capabilities

Distribution



Unique
Solutions

MRO Services



New Parts



Manufacturing



USM/Rotables



Repair