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In the urgent dance against time, the SAFIR-Ready initiative emerges to revolutionize emergency medical responses and fortify critical infrastructure with the cutting edge of Advanced Aerial Mobility and U-Space technologies.



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Antwerp, 15 July 2024 –

One year after its official kick-off, SAFIR-Ready is well set on the path to success.

Eight years ago, we had an idea; spurred on by the significance of timely response to medical emergencies and armed with expert knowledge on uncrewed aviation, we sought to utilise cutting-edge technologies towards an all-important public benefit. From the project's original conception, we have contributed to the first EU unmanned aviation regulation (SAFIR), developed the appropriate digital interfacing and demonstrated their function in medical use cases (SAFIR-Med). In SAFIR-Ready, our 34 Specialised Partners and expert Advisory Board members are ready to bring this

# EMERGENCY RESPONSE THROUGH ADVANCED AERIAL MOBILITY

idea to reality, focusing on 'mission readiness' - enabling rapid deployment both technologically and conceptually - by means of automated flight authorisation and integrated drone ground automation, leveraging U-space services.

Our goal is to significantly reduce response times, lower transportation costs, and decrease carbon emissions, for medical and critical infrastructure emergencies.

In the thirteen months since the inauguration of this European initiative, our Partners have provided seven initial deliverables detailing project management planning; standardisation and regulation recommendations; and cost and benefit analysis. Most importantly our partners have developed the system architecture and relevant concept and technology validation plans!

Now this is where the exciting part starts! Stay connected with us to keep updated on our demonstration events, which will be targeted both at industry specific stakeholders and the wider public accordingly, wherein we will be showcasing project components and results. Our first Conference is taking place in the final quarter of 2024 in Belgium – we hope to see you there!

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# NOTE FROM THE COMMUNICATIONS TEAM

We hope you have enjoyed this update and insight into our project; your commitment and engagement is the heartbeat of this transformative journey – thank you! 🌟🤝

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