



*At the U.S. Faster Payments Council (FPC), our goal is to advance faster payments. To achieve that, we are bringing all payments industry segments together to determine the best paths forward.*

*We believe that the Federal Reserve's announcement today is a strong endorsement of faster payments and puts an even greater emphasis on the need for industry to work together. As the Federal Reserve puts more specifics in place around the features of its real time settlement service, we encourage them to collaborate with the FPC and the broader industry to enable new opportunities, increase access, create greater efficiencies and support choice across the industry.*

*As the faster payments landscape continues to evolve, the FPC's mission remains steadfast. We will work to ensure Americans can safely and securely pay anyone, anywhere, at any time and with near-immediate funds availability. We're looking forward to continuing to work with all industry stakeholders to make that vision of faster payments a reality.*