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Frontier Airlines Announces New Service to 5 Cities from PHL

PHILADELPHIA, PA – Frontier Airlines announced today that it will begin non-stop seasonal flights between Philadelphia International Airport (PHL) and Atlanta, Las Vegas, Myrtle Beach, Pensacola and Raleigh-Durham starting in the Spring, continuing the “Ultra Low-Cost Carrier’s” expansion in Philadelphia.

The 5 new cities unveiled in a news conference today at PHL will bring to 31 the destinations Frontier serves from Philadelphia with a mix of seasonal and year-round service. Ten of those destinations were added in 2018. Next month, the Denver-based carrier begins seasonal flights to Montego Bay from Philadelphia.

“Frontier’s growing network here gives more affordable options to folks who want to travel by air,” said Airport CEO Chellie Cameron. “These destinations Frontier is adding to its PHL network are popular with vacationers as well as business travelers. We are very pleased by Frontier’s focus on Philadelphia and are eager for more service to more cities.”

“We are always thrilled when airlines choose to add more flights at Philadelphia International Airport,” said Mayor Jim Kenney. “Frontier has steadily grown their presence in our city and this latest round of new destinations will give passengers even more options for travel to and from other popular U.S. cities. I look forward to Frontier’s continued partnership with PHL.”

Frontier plans to use Airbus 320 aircraft on the routes. The service to Atlanta, Las Vegas, Myrtle Beach and Raleigh-Durham start on April 30; the service to Pensacola begins on May 3.

PHL – Atlanta (ATL) flying Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday
Departs PHL 1:43pm Arrives ATL 4:05pm; departs ATL 4:55pm Arrives PHL 7:08pm

PHL – Las Vegas (LAS) flying daily
Departs PHL 9:48pm Arrives LAS 12:14am; departs LAS 9:35pm Arrives PHL 5:28am

PHL – Myrtle Beach (MYR) flying Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday
Departs PHL 7:58pm Arrives MYR 9:34pm; departs MYR 10:24pm Arrives PHL 11:59pm

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PHL – Pensacola flying Monday and Friday

Departs PHL 5:20pm Arrives PNS 7:01pm; departs PNS 7:51pm Arrives PHL 11:37pm

PHL – Raleigh-Durham flying Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday

Departs PHL 2:28pm Arrives RDU 3:45pm; departs RDU 4:35pm Arrives PHL 5:54pm

The new service by Frontier gives more options to travelers to cities that are currently served by other airlines at PHL. American Airlines, the hub carrier in Philadelphia, offers service to the 5 cities. Delta serves its hub in Atlanta as well as Raleigh. Southwest flies to Atlanta and Las Vegas, Spirit to Atlanta, Las Vegas and seasonal to Myrtle Beach.

“We are excited to be further expanding our unique brand of Low Fares Done Right in Philadelphia,” said Josh Flyr, Vice President, Network and Revenue for Frontier Airlines. “Frontier is always looking for ways to make travel easier and more affordable and our reimagined frequent flier program with family-friendly benefits and attainable elite status, as well as our reduced changed fees, are the latest examples of what we mean by Low Fares Done Right.”

Philadelphia International Airport is owned and operated by the City of Philadelphia. The Airport is a self-sustaining entity that operates without the use of local tax dollars. It is one of the largest economic engines in Pennsylvania, generating an estimated \$15.4 billion in spending annually and supporting more than 96,300 full-time jobs for the 11-county Philadelphia MSA.