NORFOLK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

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Norfolk International Airport reports on March 2021 activity

NORFOLK, Va. - (April 12, 2021) – Norfolk International Airport (ORF) reported a 14.1 percent increase in passenger activity for the month of March 2021 with 182,826 passengers. This figure compares to a March 2020 passenger count of 160,277. January to March 2021 total passenger count has decreased 40.1 percent representing 421,793 passengers versus 704,635 passengers during the same period in 2020. March was the busiest month at the airport since the beginning of the pandemic. For additional information regarding travel safety at Norfolk International Airport visit https://www.norfolkairport.com/covid-19-airport-status-update/

In other activity, 5,952,215 pounds of cargo were shipped in and out of the airport during March 2021. This represents a 17.0 percent increase versus March 2020, which saw 5,086,435 pounds of cargo shipped. January to March 2021 cargo pounds shipped has increased 3.1 percent representing 15,410,031 cargo pounds versus 14,951,574 cargo pounds during the same period in 2020.

The above-mentioned figures reflect service by scheduled airlines Allegiant, American, Boutique Air, Delta, Frontier, Southwest, United and their regional airline partners and charter airlines Miami Air, Sun Country, Swift Air and XTRAirways. Cargo carriers include Federal Express, Mountain Air Cargo and UPS.

Norfolk International Airport (ORF) is the major airport serving coastal Virginia and northeast North Carolina with scheduled air service provided by Allegiant, American, Boutique Air, Delta, Frontier, Southwest, United and their affiliate airline partners. ORF is a significant asset to the region, providing global access for airline passengers and cargo, furthering regional commerce and improving quality of life. A 2019 Economic Impact Study concluded that Norfolk International Airport contributed 17,300 jobs and $2.2 billion in total economic output to the region.

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