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FRONTIER AIRLINES TO LAUNCH SERVICE TO SARASOTA

PHILADELPHIA — Frontier Airlines has announced it will begin seasonal non-stop service between Philadelphia International Airport (PHL) and Sarasota beginning December 10, providing a new non-stop destination for PHL passengers.

The service is scheduled to depart Mondays and Fridays at 4:52 pm from Philadelphia and arrive 7:45 pm in Florida. Flights will depart from Sarasota-Bradenton International Airport (SRQ) at 8:43 pm and arrive at 11:18 pm in Philadelphia. Frontier plans to use A-320 aircraft on the route, which was previously serviced in the late 1990s by US Airways.

Sarasota is Frontier's 27th non-stop destination from Philadelphia. Currently, no other airline at PHL offers non-stop service to the Florida Gulf Coast city.

Sarasota will be the 11th non-stop destination Frontier has added to its Philadelphia service in 2018. Earlier this year, Frontier Airlines added new service to Charleston, Jacksonville, Madison, Memphis, Omaha, Birmingham, Grand Rapids, Indianapolis, Savannah, and Dallas-Fort Worth.

"We are excited that Frontier Airlines continues to grow their service out of Philadelphia," said Airport CEO Chellie Cameron. "Passengers benefit from more flights to more cities, and we look forward to that trend continuing."

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.