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JetBlue Announces New Service from PHL Airport

Airline to add non-stop flights to Fort Lauderdale in November

PHILADELPHIA -- JetBlue Airways announced today that it will begin operating new non-stop daily service from Philadelphia International Airport (PHL) to Fort Lauderdale, Florida (FLL) starting on November 19 just in time for the holiday travel period and the onset of the busy winter season when snow birds flock to Florida.

JetBlue, which launched service at PHL in May 2013 with 5 daily non-stop flights to Boston, will operate 2 daily flights each way between Philadelphia and Fort Lauderdale with Airbus A320 aircraft.

"We applaud JetBlue's decision to provide additional service from Philadelphia to the Sunshine State," said Airport CEO Mark Gale. "Business travelers and vacationers alike will benefit from the various travel options that are now available. We look forward to more low-fare service to more cities from Philadelphia."

To celebrate this new service today, JetBlue is offering an introductory fare of only \$49 one way from Philadelphia to Fort Lauderdale-Hollywood. All introductory fare tickets must be purchased before Wednesday, May 20. Visit www.jetblue.com for details.

The low-cost carrier has won numerous awards for its in-flight comforts and customer service including JD Power and Associates "Highest Customer Satisfaction among Low-Cost Carriers in North America" for 10 consecutive years.

JetBlue will join US Airways / American Airlines and Southwest Airlines in serving the popular Philadelphia – Fort Lauderdale route.

The new flight schedule is as follows:

PHL - FLL

7.30 a.m. - 10.09 a.m.

1.05 p.m. - 3.50 p.m.

FLL - PHL

9.45 a.m. - 12.21 p.m.

6.30 p.m. - 9.13 p.m.

This year, Philadelphia International Airport celebrates the 75th anniversary of its commercial air service. In 1940, the Airport served 40,000 passengers flying to a handful of cities. Today, more than 30 million passengers travel annually to 131 destinations around the world.

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 \$14.4 billion in spending to the regional economy and accounting for more than 141,000 jobs.