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**NORFOLK, Va. (April 2007)** – Norfolk International Airport (NIA) reported a .99 percent decrease in passenger activity for the month of March 2007 with 299,668 passengers. This figure compares to a March 2006 passenger count of 302,668.

For the first quarter, January through March 2007, passenger counts have decreased .51 percent with a total passenger count of 797,215.

In other activity, 6,097,021 pounds of cargo were shipped in and out of the airport during March 2007. This represents a 2.94 percent increase from March 2006, which saw 5,922,772 pounds of cargo shipped. For the first quarter 2007, cargo shipments have increased 6.60 percent over the same period of time in 2006.

The above-mentioned figures are a reflection of the service by the following airlines: American, American Eagle, Continental, Continental Express, Delta, Delta Connection, Northwest, Northwest AirlinK, Southwest, United Express, US Airways and US Airways Express. Cargo carriers include Airborne, DHL Airways, Federal Express and UPS.

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