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Norfolk International Airport reports on May 2020 activity

NORFOLK, Va. - (June 11, 2020) – Norfolk International Airport (ORF) reported an 87.2 percent decrease in passenger activity for the month of May 2020 with 45,712 passengers. This figure compares to a May 2019 passenger count of 356,894. January to May 2020 total passenger count has decreased 48.7 percent representing 769,034 passengers versus 1,499,997 passengers during the same period in 2019. Passenger traffic has been severely impacted by the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic.

In other activity, 5,502,194 pounds of cargo were shipped in and out of the airport during May 2020. This represents a 3.4 percent decrease versus May 2019, which saw 5,689,687 pounds of cargo shipped. January to May 2020 cargo pounds shipped has decreased 5.3 percent representing 25,841,069 cargo pounds versus 27,274,436 cargo pounds during the same period in 2019.

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

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Norfolk International Airport (ORF) is the major airport serving coastal Virginia and northeast North Carolina with scheduled air service provided by Allegiant, American, Delta, Frontier, Southwest, United and their affiliate airline partners. According to the FAA, Norfolk International Airport's passenger activity is ranked in the top 13% of commercial service airports in the United States with over 3.9 million scheduled passengers served in 2019.