



## NORFOLK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

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### **Norfolk International Airport Reports on November 2022 Activity**

**NORFOLK, Va. - (December 14, 2022)** – Norfolk International Airport (ORF) reported 0.7 percent decrease in passenger activity for the month of November 2022 with 331,111 passengers. This figure compares to a November 2021 passenger count of 333,299. Despite the slight decrease, this marks the second highest November passenger count in the airport's history. January to November 2022 total passenger count has increased 26.8 percent representing 3,791,866 passengers versus 2,990,207 passengers during the same period in 2021.

In other activity, 5,326,951 pounds of cargo was shipped in and out of the airport during November 2022. This represents a 2.9 percent decrease versus November 2021, which saw 5,484,122 pounds of cargo shipped. January to November 2022 cargo pounds shipped has decreased 6.0 percent representing 57,777,716 cargo pounds versus 61,447,261 cargo pounds during the same period in 2021.

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

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*Norfolk International Airport is the major airport serving coastal Virginia and northeast North Carolina and presently ranks in the top 14% of the country's airports in terms of passengers served annually, with over 3.3 million passengers and over 62,000 flight operations in 2021. The Airport is a significant asset to the region, providing global access for airline passengers and cargo, furthering regional commerce and improving quality of life. One of the most powerful economic generators in the region, the Virginia Department of Aviation estimates the Airport's consolidated economic impact in 2019 exceeded 17,300 jobs that paid \$775 million in earnings, with GDP of more than \$1.3 billion and total economic output of \$2.2 billion.*