



NORTHWEST FLORIDA BEACHES INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

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NORTHWEST FLORIDA BEACHES INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (ECP) ANNOUNCES NEW NONSTOP SERVICE TO AUSTIN-BERGSTROM INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (AUS) WITH DELTA AIR LINES

NEW NONSTOP SERVICE TO BEGIN SPRING 2025

PANAMA CITY, Fla. (OCTOBER 2, 2024) – Northwest Florida Beaches International Airport (ECP) announces new nonstop daily service between ECP and Austin-Bergstrom International Airport (AUS) with Delta Air Lines. This new route, set to begin operations in March 2025, will provide travelers with more options and further enhance the connectivity of our region.

“This announcement marks another milestone for ECP as we continue to expand our offerings and improve accessibility for our travelers,” said Parker W. McClellan, Executive Director of ECP. “We are proud to partner with Delta and confident that this service will be another popular choice for both local residents and visitors.”

The introduction of this new service comes as ECP anticipates another record-breaking year. “We welcomed more passengers this past June than any other month in the history of the Airport, McClellan noted. “In 2023, we served over 1.6 million passengers, and we expect to see approximately 1.9 million passengers travel through our Airport this year.”

While this is Delta’s inaugural service between ECP and AUS, it is not the first time Northwest Florida Beaches International Airport has offered a nonstop connection to Austin. The return of this nonstop route underscores the continued growing demand for expanded air service in the region. With Delta’s extensive network, passengers flying from ECP will now have even greater access to destinations in the U.S. and beyond.

The flight between AUS and ECP will operate daily by Delta Connection carrier SkyWest on an Embraer ERJ-175 equipped with First Class, Delta Comfort+ and Main

Cabin. Flights arrive at ECP at 4:28 p.m. and depart for AUS at 5:10 p.m. Tickets for the new nonstop service are available now, with flights commencing on Sunday, March 9, 2025, just in time for the busy spring travel season.

For more information and to book flights, passengers can visit [ECP's website](#) or contact Delta Air Lines directly.

Flight schedules are subject to change at any time.

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About Northwest Florida Beaches International Airport

Northwest Florida Beaches International Airport (ECP) is located less than 30 minutes from Panama City Beach, Panama City and the beaches of South Walton. Today, with service from American Airlines, Delta Air Lines, Southwest Airlines, and United Airlines, ECP provides daily flights to worldwide destinations, including daily and seasonal nonstop flights to Atlanta (ATL), Austin (AUS) Baltimore (BWI), Boston (BOS), Charlotte (CLT), Chicago (MDW/ORD), Columbus (CMH), Dallas (DAL/DFW), Denver (DEN), Houston (HOU/IAH), Kansas City (MCI), Nashville (BNA), St. Louis (STL) and Washington DC (DCA). The first international airport to be built in more than a decade, ECP provides Northwest Florida communities with first-class facilities and was strategically developed for major economic development opportunities. ECP is the gateway to visitors seeking Northwest Florida's famous beaches.