

## Southwest Airlines Extends Flight Schedule Through Early March 2019

DALLAS, June 28, 2018 /PRNewswire/ -- Southwest Airlines Co. (NYSE: LUV) today published its bookable flight schedule through March 6, 2019, bringing additional options for Customers traveling nonstop between North Texas and a half-dozen cities, as well as additional service on popular routes currently served from Dallas Love Field. The publication of the larger January/February flight schedule also brings back wintertime seasonal service from coast to coast...and to the Caribbean! The extended flight schedule is available now on Southwest.com.

Beginning Jan. 7, 2019, Southwest® will add nonstop service daily between **Dallas (Love Field)** and newly available or previously offered cities of **Charleston**, **Ft. Myers/Naples**, **Jacksonville**, **Louisville**, **Milwaukee**, and **Minneapolis/St. Paul**, and seasonal service on Sundays to/from **Tucson**.

Elsewhere, Southwest brings back twice daily service (only once on Saturdays) between **New York/Newark** and **Nashville** as well as additional seasonal flying for sun seekers headed to Florida from the Heartland, Great Lakes, and New England, and returning seasonal flights for snow lovers headed for the Mountain West from the Midwest. A full list of the service changes in the carrier's Winter 2019 schedule is available on **Southwest The Community**.

To book a seat on any of these new flights or on any of the carrier's full schedule now available for travel through March 6, 2019, visit **Southwest.com**.

## ABOUT SOUTHWEST AIRLINES CO.

In its 48th year of service, Dallas-based <u>Southwest Airlines Co.</u> (NYSE: LUV) continues to differentiate itself from other air carriers with exemplary Customer Service delivered by more than 57,000 Employees to a Customer base topping 120 million passengers annually, in recent years. Southwest became the nation's largest domestic air carrier in 2003 and maintains that ranking based on the U.S. Department of Transportation's most recent reporting of domestic originating passengers boarded. During peak travel seasons, Southwest operates more than 4,000 weekday departures among a network of 99 destinations in the United States and 10 additional countries. Southwest has announced its intention to sell tickets in 2018 for service to Hawaii, subject to requisite governmental approvals.

Southwest coined <u>Transfarency</u><sup>®</sup> to describe its purposed philosophy of treating Customers honestly and fairly, and low fares actually staying low. Southwest is the only major U.S. airline to offer bags fly free<sup>®</sup> to everyone (first and second checked pieces of luggage, size and weight limits apply, some carriers offer free checked bags on select routes or in qualified circumstances), and there are no change fees, though fare differences might apply.

As launch customer of the Boeing 737 MAX 8 in North America, the Company operates the largest fleet in the world of Boeing aircraft, all of which are equipped with satellite-based WiFi. Customers who connect to the WiFi network may use their personal devices to view on-demand movies and television shows, as well as nearly 20 channels of free, live TV.

From its first flights on June 18, 1971, Southwest Airlines launched an era of unprecedented affordability in air travel described by the U.S. Department of Transportation as "The Southwest Effect," a lowering of fares and increase in passenger traffic wherever the carrier serves. With 45 consecutive years of profitability, Southwest is one of the most honored airlines in the world, known for a triple bottom line approach that contributes to the carrier's performance and productivity, the importance of its People and the communities they serve, and an overall commitment to efficiency and the planet. The 2017 Southwest Airlines One Report can be found at SouthwestOneReport.com.

Book Southwest Airlines' low fares online at <u>Southwest Airlines</u> or by phone at 800-I-FLY-SWA.

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