

Okaloosa County News Release

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Allegiant Air Returns to Announce New Air Service on Tuesday

Representatives from Allegiant Air will arrive Tuesday, March 8, to announce additional air service to the Destin-Fort Walton Beach Airport. Residents are encouraged to attend on **Tuesday, at 10 a.m., in the Airport Administrative Conference Rooms** to hear the big announcement. Follow signs for free event parking.

“We will continue to build on our partnership with Allegiant and are excited to see the community response and expect that to grow with these new added cities,” said Airports Director Tracy Stage. For more information, contact 311 or 850-651-7160, extension 4.

Following the announcement by Allegiant in January of Cincinnati and St. Louis, service rapidly increased. These flights were originally scheduled to fly twice weekly and until mid-August, but due to the unprecedented volume of advanced bookings, a third weekly flight was added to each city and the season was extended until at least mid-October. The new flights will generate an estimated \$6.6 million annually in total visitor spending. Flight days, times and the lowest fares can be found only at Allegiant.com.

Allegiant ([NASDAQ: ALGT](http://NASDAQ:ALGT)) offers a unique travel option to travelers. Focusing on low-cost leisure travel, the company provides customers with low base fares averaging nearly half of the cost of the average domestic round-trip fare. Allegiant’s innovative business model has allowed the company to grow from one aircraft and one route just over a decade ago, to providing convenient, affordable service in over 100 communities nationwide.

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