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Myrtle Beach International Airport (MYR) September 2019 Passenger Counts

Myrtle Beach, SC, October 24, 2019 During September 2019, a total of 203,911 passengers passed through the Myrtle Beach International Airport (MYR).

At MYR, total passenger traffic during September 2019, which includes enplanements and deplanements, totaled 203,911 compared to 188,041 in September 2018. The number of people arriving on flights, or deplanements, was 99,355 compared to 92,981 in 2018.

"September passengers counts at the Myrtle Beach International Airport were robust" said Scott Van Moppes, director of airports. "For the month, overall traffic was up eight percent over last year as the majority of the airlines serving the market experienced passenger count increases. As we move into the fall season we are optimistic that passenger counts will remain strong due to the popularity of the destination and ever increasing local population."

Detailed passenger statistics are located at flymyrtlebeach.com, under "Facts and Figures."

About the Myrtle Beach International Airport (MYR) The Myrtle Beach International Airport is the gateway to Myrtle Beach, SC and the Grand Strand. The Myrtle Beach International Airport is owned by Horry County and operated by the Department of Airports. MYR is served by Allegiant, American Airlines, Delta Air Lines, Frontier Airlines, Porter Airlines, Spirit, United Airlines and WestJet. Learn more at: <u>www.flymyrtlebeach.com</u>