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Horry County Department of Airports January 2017 Passengers Statistics

Myrtle Beach, SC, February 24, 2017 – During January 2017, a total of 68,066 passengers passed through the Myrtle Beach International Airport (MYR), an increase of 4.6 percent compared to January 2016.

At MYR, total passenger traffic in January 2017, which includes enplanements and deplanements, totaled 68,066 compared to 65,078 in 2016. The number of people arriving on flights, or deplanements, totaled 33,858 compared to 32,140 in 2016.

“Both Delta and American generated more deplanements than last year, pushing the Airport’s passengers volumes to the highest level since January 2012,” said Scott Van Moppes, director of airports for Horry County. “The partnership between Horry County Department of Airports and its airline partners is strong, and we thank them for their continued commitment to Myrtle Beach International Airport and our market.”

Detailed passenger statistics are located at flymyrtlebeach.com, under “About MYR.”

About the Myrtle Beach International Airport (MYR) The Myrtle Beach International Airport is the gateway to the 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 Air, American Airlines, Delta Air Lines, Porter Airlines, Spirit, United Airlines and WestJet. Learn more at: flymyrtlebeach.com

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