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**Norfolk International Airport reports on October 2014 activity**

**NORFOLK, Va. – (November 13, 2014)** – Norfolk International Airport (ORF) reported a 3.93 percent decrease in passenger activity for the month of October 2014 with 244,988 passengers. This figure compares to an October 2013 passenger count of 255,004. For the January - October 2014 period, passenger activity has decreased 3.82 percent versus the corresponding period in 2013.

In other activity, 5,051,050 pounds of cargo were shipped in and out of the airport during October 2014. This represents a 5.69 percent increase versus October 2013, which saw 4,779,184 pounds of cargo shipped. For the January - October 2014 period, cargo activity has decreased 5.70 percent versus the corresponding period in 2013.

The above-mentioned figures are a reflection of the service by the following airlines: AirTran, American, Delta, Southwest, United, US Airways and their regional airline partners. Cargo carriers include Federal Express, Mountain Air Cargo and UPS.

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*Norfolk International Airport (ORF) is the major airport serving Southeast Virginia and Northeast North Carolina with 68 daily departures provided by American, Delta, Southwest, United, US Airways and their regional airline partners. According to the FAA, ORF is ranked as the 67<sup>th</sup> largest primary airport in the United States (2012) with over 3.1 million scheduled passengers served in 2013.*