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Media Advisory

City of Atlanta, Hartsfield-Jackson Officials Comment on Successful Holiday Weekend
Leaders to address start of summer travel season

ATLANTA – City of Atlanta leaders and Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport (ATL) officials, just days after working with Transportation Security Administration officers to screen nearly a half-million travelers through ATL, will comment Wednesday on the speed and efficiency of passenger security processing over the Memorial Day weekend. Officials meeting with the media will also discuss how ATL plans on maintaining low wait times for the entire summer travel season.

“The Memorial Day weekend was as busy as expected,” interim Airport General Manager Roosevelt Council, Jr. said today. “We worked with our TSA colleagues and our airline partners to ensure customers received a pleasant, efficient travel experience.”

WHO Dan Gordon – chief operating officer, City of Atlanta
Roosevelt Council, Jr. – interim airport general manager, ATL

WHAT Press availability to discuss holiday weekend travel

WHEN Wednesday, June 1, 2016. 11:30 a.m.

WHERE Main Security Checkpoint
Domestic Terminal
Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport
6000 North Terminal Parkway
Atlanta, GA 30320

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Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport

Hartsfield-Jackson (ATL) is the world's most traveled and most efficient airport, serving more than 101 million passengers annually with nonstop service to more than 150 U.S. destinations and nearly 70 international destinations in more than 45 countries. ATL boasts a direct economic impact of \$34.8 billion in metro Atlanta and a total direct economic impact of \$70.9 billion in Georgia. The Airport is the largest employer in Georgia, with more than 63,000 employees. The Airport is a frequent recipient of awards of excellence for concessions, operations, sustainability, architectural engineering, and construction. ATL is about to embark on a \$6 billion capital improvement plan, ATL Next, that will modernize the domestic terminal and concourses, create new parking decks, construct a 300-room hotel, Class A commercial office space, add a new runway, new concourse and expand cargo facilities. For more information, go to www.atlanta-airport.com.

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