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## **Taste of Hartsfield-Jackson To Highlight Airport Dining Options**

Event to feature chef competition; proceeds to benefit No Kid Hungry

**ATLANTA** – Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport (ATL) will host its third annual Taste of Hartsfield-Jackson Wednesday, Nov. 1. The event offers travelers and guests the opportunity to sample the delicious and diverse dining options provided by ATL concessionaires. In addition, this year's Taste will also include a chef's competition featuring celebrity chef Cat Cora and a timed culinary challenge. The Taste of Hartsfield-Jackson benefits Share Our Strength's No Kid Hungry, a nonprofit focused on combatting childhood hunger.

The event is open to the public and will take place in the Domestic Terminal atrium before the security checkpoint.

Participating concessionaires include the following: Mustard Seed BBQ; Harvest & Grounds; Fly Burger; Lottafrutta; Fresh To Order; Ecco; Chicken + Beer; Atlanta Chophouse & Brewery, Chick-fil-A, The Varsity; El Taco; Qdoba Mexican Grill, Carrabba's Italian Grill; Piece of Cake; Villa Fresh Italian Kitchen; Nathan's Famous Frankfurters; TGI Fridays; Charley's Philly Steaks; Phillips Seafood, Jersey Mike's; Sweet Georgia's Juke Joint; Papi's Cuban & Caribbean Grill; Atlanta Braves All Star Grill; Shane's Rib Shack; Atlanta Stillhouse; Café Intermezzo; Cat Cora's Kitchen; Jekyll Island Seafood Company; Sweet Auburn Market

Books of 10 tickets are \$10 (one ticket allows for one sample of food). Tickets are available at <a href="http://www.atl.com/taste/">http://www.atl.com/taste/</a>

WHO: Roosevelt Council Jr., Airport General Manager, Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta

**International Airport** 

Allison Palestrini, Southeast Director, Share Our Strength

Charles "Chilly" Ewing, Director of Concessions, Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta

International Airport Cat Cora, celebrity chef

Steak Shapiro, host, 'Atlanta Eats' Tom Catherall, restaurateur

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**WHAT:** Taste of Hartsfield-Jackson

WHEN: Wednesday, Nov. 1, 2017

11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Chefs' competition begins at 1 p.m.

WHERE: Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport

Domestic Atrium

6000 N. Terminal Parkway

Atlanta, GA 30320

## **NOTES FOR MEDIA:**

Event kicks off at 11 a.m.

Chefs' competition begins at 1 p.m.

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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 now in the midst of 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 <a href="https://www.atlanta-airport.com">www.atlanta-airport.com</a>.

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