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Silver Airways Announces Flight Schedule Beginning August 2012

Silver brings back early morning flights.

MORGANTOWN –Silver Airways, the new carrier at Morgantown Municipal Airport beginning August 1, has just informed Airport leaders of the new schedule offered as they commence their service.

“Silver Airways is excited to be the new Essential Air Service provider for Morgantown,” wrote Mickey Bowman, Vice President of Essential Air Service at Silver. “We feel that the schedule we will be offering effective August 1st will allow Morgantown passengers greater flexibility and convenience in their travel options. These new flights will continue to operate under the United Express program and the people of Morgantown will benefit from all of the amenities they have come to expect such as through ticketing and baggage transfer as well as participation in United’s MileagePlus Frequent Traveler Program. Timed for maximum connections to and from United Airlines flights at Washington Dulles International Airport, our new schedule is indicative of Silver Airways commitment to the Morgantown community.”

Weekday flights will leave Morgantown at 6:25 AM and 10:38 AM nonstop to Washington Dulles International Airport. A third flight will leave at 1:59 PM and have one stop at the North Central West Virginia Regional Airport in Clarksburg before continuing to Dulles. Flights leaving Dulles and returning to Morgantown will arrive at 10:18 AM, after a stop in Clarksburg, 1:39 PM, and 11:04 PM. The last two flights will be nonstop from Dulles to Morgantown. There will be fewer options on weekends.

“The number one thing I have been asked for since my arrival has been the early morning flights,” said Michael Clow, Airport Director. “This will allow people from this community to catch earlier flights from Dulles to meetings or events across the country on the same day.”

In April, the U.S. Department of Transportation selected Silver Airways to take over commercial air service from Morgantown Municipal Airport (MGW) and other regional facilities in West Virginia. They will assume the existing air service partnership with United Airlines and offer 18 weekly nonstop or one-stop round trips over a Clarksburg-Morgantown-Washington Dulles or Morgantown-Clarksburg Washington Dulles routing. Pinnacle Airlines continues to provide service to Morgantown through August 1.

Tickets for flights from Morgantown can be purchased through www.united.com.

If you have questions, please contact Michael Clow, Airport Director, in the Airport Administration office Monday through Friday between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. The number there is 304-291-7461.

