

COUNTY OF



ALLEGHENY

RICH FITZGERALD
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Proclamation

WHEREAS, Southwest has had an outstanding commitment in serving travelers in the Pittsburgh region and a successful partnership with the Allegheny County Airport Authority; the Authority is proud to recognize the company's growth and success over the past 10 years and to raise awareness of the nonstop destinations Southwest currently serves from Pittsburgh; and

WHEREAS, Southwest began its service at Pittsburgh International Airport on May 4, 2005 with nonstop flights to four cities: Las Vegas, Orlando, Chicago, and Philadelphia; today, the airline has become the airport's second largest carrier, serving 12 destinations nonstop and averaging nearly 30 flights per day; additionally, the airline recently announced that it will add nonstop service to Dallas Love Field beginning on August 9; and

WHEREAS, as part of the Authority's recognition of that 10 year anniversary, it hosted a "10 Days of LUV for Southwest" celebration honoring the airline's 10th anniversary of providing air service at Pittsburgh International Airport; and

WHEREAS, as part of the "10 Days of LUV," May 4-13, 2015 was targeted for special recognition events for employees and customers, a social media campaign, ticket counter and gate activities, and more; all intended to reflect our pride and happiness in having Southwest as such an important part of Pittsburgh International Airport; and

WHEREAS, Allegheny County is thankful for the partnership formed between the Allegheny County Airport Authority and Southwest; the airline's service has been a great benefit to our region and we look forward to many more years of collaboration and success.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Allegheny County Executive Rich Fitzgerald, by virtue of the authority vested in me, do hereby proclaim May 2015 as "Southwest Airline Month" in Allegheny County.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the County of Allegheny to be affixed this 4th day of May, 2015.

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