



PAINT THE TOWN BLUE IN 2022

JetBlue coming to AVL!

It's blue-tiful news! JetBlue has announced that they are adding AVL to their route map, with flights to Boston starting next summer.

We're so excited, we plan to paint the town BLUE in 2022!

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SALT WATER AND WHITE SAND BEACHES

Nonstop to Destin on Allegiant starts May 27

Are you dreaming of a "beach fix?" A visit to the beautiful beaches in the panhandle of Florida may be just what you need. Great news! Allegiant's new nonstop flights to Destin, Florida start May 27.



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AIR TRAVEL ON THE RISE

Health & safety measures remain important

At AVL, we are proud that we were the first North Carolina airport to achieve a global health accreditation from Airports Council International – a testament to our commitment to healthy and safe travel journeys at the airport.

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We remain diligently focused, and want to also commend our many partners for the great work they continue to do, as well.

Traveling by air is a low-risk proposition, when masks are worn and other guidelines are followed. Air quality on commercial planes is excellent – learn about the air filtration systems used, and how the downward and constant circulation of fresh air creates a healthy and safe environment for you.

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GROUND TRANSPORTATION INDUSTRY IN RECOVERY

Plan ahead when traveling

When traveling today, upon landing in your destination city you may notice that there are fewer available taxis, ride app providers (like Uber and Lyft) or other ground transportation options. The contraction of ground transportation providers has occurred in many cities across the country.

During the worst of the pandemic, many ground transportation providers saw drastic declines in numbers of riders, which led to fewer drivers to provide services. The industry is in recovery, just like many other businesses.

This means that the savvy traveler should plan ahead prior to arriving in their destination city. It may be a good idea to prearrange ground transportation if you don't want to wait a while for the next ride to be available.

Most airports should have information on their websites about available ground transportation.

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**NEW ID
REQUIREMENTS
IN
NORTH
CAROLINA**



North Carolina's
REAL ID
For information go to NCREALID.GOV

REAL ID DEADLINE POSTPONED

Make your plan

Department of Homeland Security (DHS) Secretary Alejandro Mayorkas announced a 19-month extension of the REAL ID enforcement deadline.

Passengers boarding commercial aircraft must present REAL ID compliance documents at TSA checkpoints starting May 3, 2023. However, don't wait! Make your plan and get your REAL ID soon!

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