### American Airlines adds Routes in 2024 at Cape Cod Gateway Airport

by Katie Servis, Airport Manager October 19, 2023





#### Background

- →Since FY2007 airport passenger activity and operations have declined.
  - Openion of the ope
    - Industrywide pilot and mechanic shortage,
    - Increased competition from high-speed passenger ferries, and
    - The loss of several airlines.
      - Colgan in 2010 and Island Airlines in 2015 a loss of 168,506 passengers that never recovered
- →2018 Airport Strategic Plan/Business Plan developed to focus on turning the tide



# 2018 Airport Strategic Plan/Business Plan

- →Four major goals:
  - o To maximize general aviation activity at the Airport,
  - o Diversify airport revenue streams,
  - o Enhance the airport image and branding, and
  - o Become a regional air transportation leader.





# 2018 Airport Strategic Plan/Business Plan (Cont.)

- →Implementing various goals of the 2018 Airport Business Plan has helped to accentuate and improve activity.
- →In the 5 years from its inception, many goals have been completed or are underway









To maximize general aviation activity at the Airport Example: Mary Dunn Way Rehab/Extension

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Barnstable Municipal Airport rebranding as Cape Cod Gateway Airport

**Bronwen Howells Walsh** 

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Diversify airport revenue streams

Example: 49-year Lease to WS

Development

Enhance the airport image and branding

Example: Rebranding/Community

**Events** 

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Become a regional air transportation leader Example: Adding AA to our flight offering partnership Studies completed in 2018/2019 = approx. 215,000 Cape Cod residents access the air transportation system via off-Cape airports, and another 200,000 arrive on Cape Cod, again using off-Cape airports.

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American Airlines to begin service out of Cape Cod Gateway Airport next summer

**Walker Armstrong** Cape Cod Times

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American Airlines adding flights to Cape Cod, Nantucket, Martha's Vineyard: 'Terrific for our community'



5-years of conversations with AA - we did it!

# American Airlines adds Hyannis routes in long-awaited win for Cape Cod

Seasonal routes to Cape Cod Gateway Airport will go to New York and Washington

By Beth Treffeisen Globe Correspondent, Updated October 13, 2023, 3:26 p.m.

#### **American Airline Particulars**

#### →When will service begin?

- Seasonal = June September 2024
- June 5, 2024 = daily flight service to/from New York's LaGuardia Airport,
- June 22, 2024 = daily flight service to/from Washington,
   D.C.'s Reagan National Airport

#### → What will they fly?

- Aircraft = E175 (slightly smaller than the JetBlue aircraft)
- Accommodates 72-75 passengers

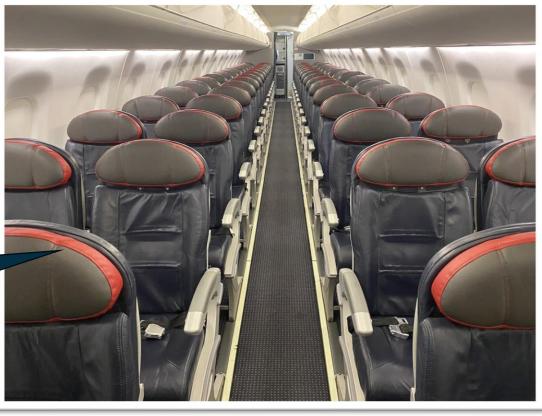
#### When can I buy tickets?

o October 23 on <a href="https://www.aa.com">https://www.aa.com</a>



#### Embraer (E175) Aircraft







#### Lots of excitement flying around on social media

I Absolutely love this idea they've been doing massive renovations withis summer on the runways I think this is great for the cape and businesses and it will be a great burden lifted from travelers coming over the bridge in the summer time the cape is a wonderful place to visit not just in the summer but in the fall as well I love aviation of I am all for it

Like Reply 5d



Glad to see the increased use of the airport. Would really like to see an airline offer direct to Florida. I see Breeze has expanded a flight from Providence to Vero Beach. Why not do Hyannis to Vero Beach. Lots of snowbirds live on the Cape and Islands.

Like Reply 2d



Great news since I fly into Providence RI to head to the Cape

Like Reply 6d





Wished they did flights yesr round, Jet Blue should do Florida



## Cape Cod Gateway Airport is excited too!

## **Any Questions?**



