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## Wayne County Airport Authority Statement Regarding Northwest Airlines' New Flight to London-Heathrow

Statement by Lester Robinson, Wayne County Airport Authority CEO:

“Northwest Airlines’ announcement that it plans to add a new daily, non-stop flights between Detroit Metro Airport and London-Heathrow this May is great news for Metro Detroit travelers.

“This second daily flight to London – and Northwest’s first to the city’s largest and most popular airport at Heathrow – will more than fill the void left by British Airways’ decision to discontinue service to Detroit this spring.

“We are particularly pleased that Northwest has decided to also maintain its existing service between Detroit and London Gatwick airport, providing Detroit Metro travelers and customers connecting via Detroit with access to two of Europe’s busiest international gateways.”

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*View the related Northwest Airlines press release online at*  
<http://www.nwa.com/corpinfo/newsc/2007/pr121120071918.html>.