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New Daily Summer Seasonal Service Between Denver DEN International Airport and TVC Will Begin June 20th, 2019

Weekend Service Begins June 8th

(Traverse City, Michigan) – Cherry Capital Airport is pleased to announce that United Airlines is enhancing its seasonal summer schedule between Denver (DEN) and Traverse City, Michigan (TVC), beginning June 8, 2019.

United will continue its Saturday seasonal service to Denver, Colorado (DEN) next summer and will expand the schedule to daily service beginning Thursday, June 20, 2019. Cherry Capital Airport and United Airlines are working together to make it easier for customers traveling from Denver and the western United States to the Traverse City Region. Each flight will depart DEN at 5:30 p.m. and arrives TVC at 10:05 p.m., while the return flight to DEN from TVC will take off each day at 7:50 a.m. and arrive DEN at 8:30 a.m.

“This new daily direct, dual class flight continues to show the dedication on behalf of United Airlines in growing our service. It is ever so clear that our job as a community is to promote, use, and support this service,” stated Kevin Klein, Airport Director.

The summer daily service between DEN and TVC represents over 10,000 additional seats in the market this summer. Beginning June 8th, the Saturday direct flight will depart DEN in the afternoon and arrives into TVC later in the evening, while the aircraft will return to DEN from TVC each Sunday. The daily service will begin June 20th and operate the same schedule

as the weekend service. The route will operate with a 70-seat CRJ-700 aircraft which allows passengers to enjoy a two class seat option that includes First Class.

United Airlines also offers customers convenient direct summer service to TVC from New York's Newark International Airport each day, in addition to year round service to its hub in Chicago (ORD), getting visitors to northern Michigan with just one-stop from anywhere in the World.

On the heels of many accolades and features, including being home to the nationally acclaimed Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lake Shore, and the announcement of a new world class Ironman event northern Michigan is the perfect destination for those inbound who enjoy the outdoors; from beaches to biking and hiking trails. "It's not surprising to see the surge in visitors from both the west coast and east coast since the region boasts dune-edged shorelines, wineries and picturesque small towns. There are world class sporting and cultural events, and now our acclaimed region can be reached via a robust and convenient flight schedule," said Traverse City Tourism CEO & President Trevor Tkach. Beyond summer festival and events including the NEW Iron Man, the National Cherry Festival, Great Lakes Equestrian Festival, TC Film Festival, and the National Writers Series, the region is now known for its distilleries, craft beer, wine and culinary prowess.

"We at TVC continue to fulfill a true Northern Michigan experience; one that is clearly Pure Michigan. We are eager to continue work with our northern Michigan partners including Traverse City Tourism, our Chamber of Commerce, the Gaylord Golf Mecca, Petoskey Area Tourism Bureau, historic Mackinac Island and airlines alike to attract additional services.

Visit tvairport.com to learn more and download the TVC airport APP for all the up to date flight information.

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