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**Atlantic Southeast Airlines flies into history books with first all-female,
African American crew**

Well-wishers can share in history by visiting www.flyasa.com

ATLANTA, Feb. 27, 2009 – Atlantic Southeast Airlines (ASA), a wholly owned subsidiary of SkyWest, Inc. (NASDAQ: SKYW) made history this month when it operated the first scheduled commercial flight by a U.S.-based carrier with an all-female, African American crew.

Captain Rachelle Jones, First Officer Stephanie Grant and flight attendants Diana Galloway and Robin Rogers flew Delta Connection Flight 5202 from Atlanta to Nashville, Tenn. on Feb. 12, and returned Flight 5106 to Atlanta on CRJ700 equipment.

“It seems fitting that this historic flight happened to take place during Black History month,” said ASA President and COO Brad Holt. “Not only are these women gifted in their professions, but they set examples for young people across the country that with hard work, passion and determination, the sky is the limit.”

ASA has launched a tool on www.flyasa.com where well-wishers can take part in this historic event by sharing their comments with the crew.

About Atlantic Southeast Airlines

Atlantic Southeast Airlines, a wholly owned subsidiary of SkyWest, Inc., operates more than 800 flights each day to 109 airports in 30 U.S. states, District of Columbia, Bahamas and Canada. Under the SkyWest, Inc. umbrella, ASA and SkyWest Airlines form the world’s largest regional airline alliance. Founded in 1979, ASA has operated as a Delta Connection carrier since 1984. The airline operates a fleet of 148 aircraft and employs more than 4,300 aviation professionals across its route system. For more information, visit flyasa.com.

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