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## NEWS RELEASE

### Delta Announces Nonstop Service From Silicon Valley’s Airport to New York’s JFK

*Four airlines now offer nonstop service between San José and New York-area airports*

SAN JOSÉ, CA – Delta Air Lines has responded to Silicon Valley’s strong passenger demand for more nonstop service to the New York City area by announcing daily nonstop service between Mineta San José International Airport (SJC) and New York’s John F. Kennedy International Airport (JFK) starting June 8, 2018.

“New York remains the most sought-after destination for Silicon Valley business and leisure travelers, and we enthusiastically welcome Delta Air Lines’ plans to add a new nonstop flight to JFK,” said San José Mayor Sam Liccardo. “We thank Delta for their confidence and investment in Silicon Valley’s Airport and wish the airline much success of this SJC-JFK route.”

Delta’s onboard experience will be on Boeing 737-800 aircraft, equipped with on-demand entertainment, power ports and in-flight Wi-Fi access at every seat. Delta will offer seating for 16 in First Class, 36 in Comfort+ and 108 in the main cabin.

“We’ve heard loud and clear from our Bay Area customers that nonstop service to New York City is important to them, and we’re pleased to offer this new daily flight starting next spring,” said Ranjan Goswami, Delta’s Vice President, Sales-West. “In addition to New York City access, this flight enables convenient connections to dozens of cities at our JFK hub to the Northeast and internationally.”

The new Delta flight will operate as follows:

City Pair	Departs	Arrives
San Jose-New York JFK	10:35 p.m.	7:15 a.m. (next day)
New York JFK-San Jose	8:15 a.m.	11:45 a.m.

The inaugural Eastbound flight departs SJC the night of June 8, with the inaugural Westbound flight leaving JFK the next morning (June 9).

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“This new service is a big win for our passengers,” said San José Director of Aviation John Aitken. “We’re grateful to Delta and we see this flight as especially great for New York-based business travelers who can arrive in Silicon Valley in time for a lunch meeting and can even travel home that same night if they wish. With four carriers flying nonstop to New York-area airports, SJC now offers an even more desirable menu of flight options throughout the day.”

JetBlue currently operates daily nonstop flights between SJC and JFK, while United and Alaska Airlines offer daily nonstop flights to Newark.

The new Delta offering is available for purchase now at [delta.com](http://delta.com), the Fly Delta App or by calling Delta at [1-800-221-1212](tel:1-800-221-1212).

The service complements more than 20 Delta departures on an average day at San José to Las Vegas and its hubs in Atlanta, Minneapolis/St. Paul, Los Angeles, Seattle and Salt Lake City, offering customers easy one-stop connections to its global network of more than 300 destinations worldwide.

**About Delta**

Delta Air Lines serves more than 180 million customers each year. In 2017, Delta was named to Fortune’s top 50 Most Admired Companies in addition to being named the most admired airline for the sixth time in seven years. Additionally, Delta has ranked No.1 in the Business Travel News Annual Airline survey for an unprecedented seven consecutive years. With an industry-leading [global network](#), Delta and the [Delta Connection](#) carriers offer service to 306 destinations in 52 countries on six continents. Headquartered in Atlanta, Delta employs more than 80,000 employees worldwide and operates a mainline fleet of more than 800 aircraft. The airline is a founding member of the [SkyTeam](#) global alliance and participates in the industry’s leading transatlantic [joint venture](#) with [Air France-KLM](#) and [Alitalia](#) as well as a joint venture with [Virgin Atlantic](#). Including its worldwide alliance partners, Delta offers customers more than 15,000 daily flights, with key hubs and markets including [Amsterdam](#), [Atlanta](#), [Boston](#), [Detroit](#), [Los Angeles](#), Mexico City, [Minneapolis/St. Paul](#), [New York-JFK and LaGuardia](#), [London-Heathrow](#), [Paris-Charles de Gaulle](#), [Salt Lake City](#), São Paulo, [Seattle](#), Seoul, and [Tokyo-Narita](#). Delta has invested billions of dollars in airport facilities, global products and services, and technology to enhance the customer experience in the air and on the ground. Additional information is available on the [Delta News Hub](#), as well as [delta.com](http://delta.com), Twitter [@DeltaNewsHub](https://twitter.com/DeltaNewsHub), [Google.com/+Delta](https://www.google.com/+Delta), and [Facebook.com/delta](https://www.facebook.com/delta).

**SJC: Transforming How Silicon Valley Travels**

Mineta San José International Airport (SJC) is Silicon Valley’s airport, a self-supporting enterprise owned and operated by the City of San José. The airport serves 12 million passengers annually, with 200+ peak daily departures on 16 international and domestic carriers to 53 nonstop destinations. SJC has been America’s fastest-growing major airport over the past two years, based on percentage increase in passenger seat capacity. For more airport information, visit [flysanjose.com](http://flysanjose.com).

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