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DINOLFO ANNOUNCES SEASONAL NON-STOP SOUTHWEST FLIGHTS TO FT. MYERS, FLORIDA

More options, more seats, more non-stop flights for snowbirds and vacationing families

Monroe County Executive **Chery Dinolfo** today announced that Southwest Airlines for the second year in a row has expanded their destination offerings from the Greater Rochester International Airport (ROC) with the addition of seasonal, non-stop service on select Saturdays to Ft. Myers, Florida (RSW) for February 2019.

“Southwest Florida is one of the most popular winter destinations from ROC and we are grateful that Southwest Airlines continues to invest in this growing market with more direct-flights to Ft. Myers,” said **Dinolfo**. *“Southwest’s expanded seasonal service will provide more options, more seats, and more non-stop flights for local snowbirds and vacationing families getting away to enjoy the Florida sun during winter recess. There’s no doubt our ROC Renovation Project is already generating more and more excitement about our airport, which will help us attract more visitors and more jobs to our community for years to come.”*

Southwest will be offering the new non-stop service from ROC to Ft. Myers (RSW) using their 737-700 aircraft. This means over 400 more non-stop seats this winter for area snowbirds traveling to Southwest Florida – specifically Ft. Myers (RSW).

The new non-stop flights scheduled on Saturday, **February 16th**, Saturday, **February 23rd** and **March 2nd** 2019 are as follows:

<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Departs</u>	<u>Frequency</u>
ROC	RSW	11:25 am*	Seasonal Select Saturday Non-Stop Flight
RSW	ROC	3:15 pm*	Seasonal Select Saturday Non-Stop Flight

*Schedule Subject to Change

Passengers can book tickets today from ROC to RSW on Southwest Airlines by visiting www.southwest.com.

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