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**Date:** October 23, 2019  
**To:** Thomas B. Modica, Acting City Manager   
**From:** Cynthia Guidry, Director, Long Beach Airport   
**For:** Mayor and Members of the City Council  
**Subject:** Long Beach Airport 2019 Festival of Flight

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Long Beach Airport (Airport) is celebrating its annual Festival of Flight on Saturday, November 2, 2019, from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. This event takes place on the airfield and gives the public an opportunity to meet with Airport tenants, fixed-base operators, pilot shops, and flying schools. Visitors can enter the airfield from the west end of the Airport property at East Wardlow Road and Globemaster Way. Free parking will be available.

This year's Festival marks the culmination of a year-long celebration of the Airport's 95<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. As in years past, the event features an aviation static display, numerous games and activities for kids, and helicopter rides over downtown Long Beach for purchase. Airport tenants and aviation-related businesses will be exhibiting their products and services. In addition to gourmet food trucks, the Auld Dubliner will be offering Festival attendees age 21 and over beer for purchase. Live entertainment will include the California Footwarmers ragtime and swing band, the Satin Dollz 1940s era vocal and dance troupe, and 1980s Tribute Band Knyght Ryder. Aircraft static displays tentatively scheduled include a Boeing C-17, Virgin Orbit's 747 Cosmic Girl, a Gulfstream G650, and a U.S. Navy P-8.

A print and online advertising campaign has begun in local media outlets, and free marketing is also being conducted on social media. The flyer has been translated into Khmer, Spanish, and Tagalog and is being distributed at local events and to community-based organizations to promote the Festival. Information and updates will be made available at [http://lgb.org/information/festival\\_of\\_flight](http://lgb.org/information/festival_of_flight).

A flyer promoting the Long Beach Airport 2019 Festival of Flight is attached.

For more information, please contact Kate Kuykendall, Airport Public Affairs Officer, at (562) 570-2679.

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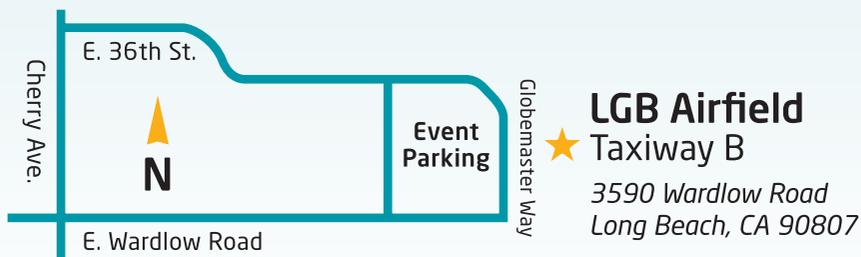
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**November 2, 2019**  
**10 a.m. - 4 p.m.**

Join us for the **Festival of Flight**, a free celebration featuring food and beer trucks, static aircraft and vehicle displays, and live entertainment.



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