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## **NEWS RELEASE**

## Know Before You Go - Discounted, Covered Parking in Lot 2 at Silicon Valley's Airport

Terminal A, Lot 2 - Day Rate Now \$24! - Gives Travelers Another Convenient and Best-Value Parking Option During Construction

**San José, Calif.** - Mineta San José International Airport (SJC) has reduced the daily parking rate in Lot 2, located at Terminal A, to \$24 a day (a daily discount of \$6) valid for vehicles entering any time after 2 a.m. on Aug. 24, 2018, so travelers have another best-value, covered-parking option if their first lot choice is full.

The Airport will soon break ground on an interim terminal building to accommodate growth in airlines and flights, and has reduced parking in Lots 5 and 6, located south of Terminal B, by 500 spaces to make way for this new facility which will offer up to six new boarding gates.

Lot 2, also commonly referred to as the "Terminal A Garage," is a convenient and covered-parking option with available capacity for all travelers:

- Passengers departing on Terminal A flights or that don't need to check a bag with their Terminal B carrier are just footsteps from the terminal and can access the Terminal A security screening for any flight, and
- Travelers departing on a Terminal B airline and that need to check a bag can take the inter-terminal courtesy shuttle located at the Terminal A ground transportation area.

Lot 2 also offers two electric-vehicle charging stations serving four vehicles simultaneously at no additional cost.

"It's always important that our travelers have a parking plan before leaving home or the office for their flight from SJC," said Director of Aviation John Aitken. "We also want our travelers to know that Lot 2 is a great alternative if their first choice in on-Airport parking is closed due to reaching capacity."

Lot 1/Economy parking at the daily rate of \$18 is a preferred option for many travelers, however, this lot fills on a routine basis.

Four charging stations, serving eight vehicles, are located in Lot 5. All parking lots and electric-vehicle charging units are available first-come, first-served.

Before heading out to SJC, travelers can call **408-441-5570** for current parking availability. Also, digital signs along Airport roadways indicate when lots are full. Learn about SJC's six parking lot options <u>here</u>.

SJC continues to grow with more airlines, more flights, and more nonstop destinations to where Silicon Valley travelers want to fly. The Airport's overall passenger traffic has increased by 65 percent over the past five years while international traffic has tripled. The new interim facility to be opened in summer 2019 will allow SJC airlines to operate more efficiently and will reduce walking for travelers.

## **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 13.7 million passengers annually, with 210 peak daily departures on 16 international and domestic carriers to 54 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 <u>flysanjose.com</u>.

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