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## **Avelo Airlines Announces New Nonstop Service from the Bay Area/Sonoma County to Salt Lake City and Ontario, California**

*Low, one-way fares start at \$51*

**SAN FRANCISCO and SONOMA COUNTY, Calif.; July 31, 2024** — Avelo Airlines announced today it will begin nonstop service from the Bay Area/Sonoma County to Salt Lake City, Utah and Ontario, California beginning this fall. Low one-way fares start at \$51\*. Travelers can make reservations at [AveloAir.com](https://www.aveloair.com).

Beginning in October, Avelo will offer nonstop service between the Bay Area's most convenient airport – the Charles M. Schulz Sonoma County Airport (STS) – and Salt Lake City International Airport (SLC) and Ontario International Airport (ONT) with twice weekly service on Thursdays and Sundays utilizing Boeing Next-Generation 737 aircraft.

Avelo will operate the STS to SLC route beginning October 24th and the STS to ONT route beginning October 10<sup>th</sup>.

Avelo Airlines also announced today it is extending its West Coast flight schedule through early January 2025. Avelo Customers can now book early winter and holiday travel through January 7, 2025.

**Avelo Airlines Founder and CEO Andrew Levy** said, "We are excited to continue growth at our Bay Area base at STS with the addition of two new routes to Ontario and Salt Lake City. As we add more destinations in Sonoma County, we are committed to bringing more convenient, reliable and affordable travel options to the region."

**Charles M. Schulz Sonoma County Airport Manager Jon Stout** said, "It's fantastic to see Avelo continue to expand their commitment to STS with the addition of major markets such as Salt Lake City, UT and Ontario, CA. These highly requested destinations enhance both the convenience and connectivity of STS, and we look forward to their success."

With the addition of these two new routes Avelo will serve 9 destinations from STS including Bend/Redmond, Boise, Kalispell, Las Vegas, Los Angeles (via BUR), Palm Springs and Portland, OR (via SLE).

### **Exploring Salt Lake City: A Blend of Natural Beauty & Cultural Richness**

Salt Lake City is a vibrant destination offering a blend of stunning natural beauty and rich cultural experiences. Nestled between the breathtaking Wasatch Mountains and the Great Salt Lake, the city boasts world-class skiing, hiking, and outdoor adventures. Visitors can explore historic Temple Square, enjoy a dynamic arts scene, and savor diverse culinary delights

### **Salt Lake City International Airport (SLC)**

The Salt Lake City International Airport serves more than 26 million passengers each year and is the 21st busiest airport in the United States and 70th busiest in the world. More than 330 flights depart daily to more than 95 nonstop destinations.

### **Discover Ontario, California: Gateway to Southern California's Treasures**

Ontario, California, offers tourists a perfect blend of local charm and convenient access to Southern California's premier attractions. Nestled just east of Los Angeles, Ontario is a hub for shopping, dining, and entertainment. Its proximity to LA means that world-famous beaches, Hollywood, and theme parks are just a short drive away. Outdoor enthusiasts can also enjoy nearby mountain ranges and scenic parks, making Ontario an ideal base for exploring all that Southern California has to offer.

### **Ontario International Airport (ONT)**

Ontario International Airport (ONT) is California's most popular airport, according to J.D. Power's most recent North America Airport Satisfaction Study. Located in the Inland Empire, ONT is approximately 35 miles east of downtown Los Angeles in the center of Southern California. It is a full-service airport which offers nonstop commercial jet service to two dozen major airports in the U.S., Mexico, Central America and Taiwan.

### **America's Most Convenient Airline**

Since taking flight on April 28, 2021, Avelo has flown over five million Customers on over 40,000 flights. Today Avelo serves 54 destinations across 24 states, Puerto Rico and two international countries: Jamaica and Mexico.

Avelo has unlocked a new era of convenience, choice, and competition by flying unserved routes to primarily underserved communities across the country. Every route has at least one small, easy to use airport. This makes every Avelo journey a smooth, easy, and more enjoyable experience than contending with the crowds, congestion, and long walks at larger airports.

Avelo is distinguished by its industry-leading reliability. For the first half of 2024, the airline ranked #1 in on-time performance and delivered the lowest flight cancellation rate in the industry. These results are reported by Anuvu, a leading aviation data services company also utilized by *The Wall Street Journal* for the publication's annual airline ranking.

Avelo Customers can always change or cancel their itineraries with no extra fees. Additionally, families can travel with ease knowing every child 14 and under will be automatically seated with an accompanying adult at no additional cost.

Avelo offers advanced seat assignments for sale. One third of its seats are extra leg room seats, ranging from 32 inches to more than 36 inches, offering a more comfortable experience for Customers who value more space. In addition to advance seat assignments, Avelo offers several unbundled travel-enhancing options that give Customers the flexibility to pay only for what they value, including priority boarding, checked bags, carry-on overhead bags, and bringing a pet in the cabin.

### **About Avelo Airlines**

Avelo Airlines' purpose is to *Inspire Travel* by saving people time and money. The Houston-based airline offers travelers time and money-saving convenience, everyday low fares, and a refreshingly smooth, caring, and reliable travel experience. Operating a fleet of 18 Boeing Next-Generation 737 aircraft, Avelo serves 54 popular

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destinations across the United States and Caribbean, including its six bases at Los Angeles' Hollywood Burbank Airport (BUR), Southern Connecticut's Tweed-New Haven Airport (HVN), the Philadelphia and Delaware Valley region's Wilmington Airport (ILG), Raleigh-Durham International Airport (RDU), Orlando International Airport (MCO) and the Bay Area's Sonoma County Airport (STS). On October 24, 2024, Avelo will open its Central Florida Base at Lakeland International Airport (LAL). For more information visit [AveloAir.com](https://AveloAir.com) or the Avelo Newsroom at [AveloAir.com/Newsroom](https://AveloAir.com/Newsroom).

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*\*Introductory one-way fares include government taxes and fees. Fares start at \$51 for travel between STS and ONT for travel completed between October 10, 2024, and October 27, 2024. Fares must be booked by August 7, 2024. Fares start at \$57 for travel between STS and SLC for travel completed between October 24, 2024, and November 10, 2024. Fares must be booked by August 7, 2024. Fares are available on a limited number of flights and seats. Additional fees for carry-on and checked bags, assigned seats and other optional services may apply. A \$25 charge per seated traveler applies to all bookings or changes made through Avelo's Customer Support Center. For full terms and conditions, please see Avelo's [Contract of Carriage](#).*