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Airport Opens New
Long Term Parking Lot
Closer to the Terminal – Credit Card Operated

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Parking lot construction projects at the Jackson-Evers International Airport (JEIA) are soon to be complete. The final element of the comprehensive ground transportation and parking plan at JEIA, a self-service credit card in and out long term parking lot on South Hangar Drive will be open for use on September 1, 2007. Dirk B. Vanderleest, Chief Executive Officer of the Jackson Municipal Airport Authority (JMAA) stated, “We began working on comprehensive ground transportation and parking projects in July of 2005, and I am pleased to report we are reaching completion.”

Patrons of JEIA have a variety of convenient ground transportation options to choose from. Public parking and rental cars are available in the new garage. The surface parking lot has been refurbished and the exit plaza expanded. A new self-service credit card in and out long term lot will open on September 1, 2007 as will our new free “Cell Phone Lot” where patrons can wait in their vehicles for their party to arrive. Parking rates range from \$13.00 per day in the garage to \$11.00 per day on the surface lot, and \$8.00 per day in the long term lot. Prices and service are subject to availability of space in each lot. Sky cap services are available for curbside check-in or assisting with baggage claims. Free shuttle service to and from the long term lot is also available.

