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**Thousands of Tweets Sent to Congress in Support of Rest and Our Jobs**

Because of your activism, on the phones and over social media, we generated thousands of messages to Congress during yesterday’s 8-10 Day of Action. Labor allies across industries supported our calls. We sent our message loud and clear: Flight Attendants need 10 hours irreducible rest and protection for our jobs now.

Our 8-10 Day of Action is complete, but our efforts to #Fightfor10 and obtain job protections continue. You can still [take action!](https://bit.ly/2fsLmCY) Backup your tweets with calls to Congress for rest and our jobs.

**Dial 855-980-2366 to be connected to**
your Representative to deliver this message:

"I'm your constituent and I'm calling to urge my Representative to vote for the FAA Reauthorization bill that includes 10 hours non-reducible rest for Flight Attendants and prevents the outsourcing of aviation jobs. Flight Attendants can't wait any longer for these safety and job protections. Thank you."

Dial 855-534-1774 twice to reach both of your Senators and deliver this message:

"I'm your constituent and I'm calling to urge my Senator to harmonize language with the House FAA Bill (H.R. 2997) to ensure Flight Attendants have 10 hours non-reducible minimum rest and to prevent the flags-of-convenience model from shipping aviation jobs out of our country. Flight Attendants can't wait any longer for these safety and job provisions. Please include these provisions in S. 1405. Thank you."

Background information on our issues is posted at afacwa.org/restandjobs.

AFA Engages Flying Public Across the Country to Support Mesa Flight Attendants

Throughout this week, AFA, CWA, UNITE HERE!, and labor allies around the country have urged the flying public to tell American and United regional carrier Mesa Airlines to bargain for a fair contract with Mesa Flight Attendants.

Pictures from activists leafleting this week continue to roll in. Activists talked to thousands of passengers at these airports:

Anchorage (ANC)
Atlanta (ATL)
Baltimore (BWI)
Denver (DEN)
Houston (IAH)
Los Angeles (LAX)
Newark (EWR)
Norfolk (ORF)
Philadelphia (PHL)
San Francisco (SFO)
Seattle (SEA)
Washington Dulles (IAD)
Washington National (DCA)

“Passengers need to know Mesa Flight Attendants often must choose between paying utility bills or buying food,” said Sara Nelson, AFA International President. “Major airlines like American and United profit by paying Flight Attendants at regional airlines substandard wages for doing the same work as mainline carriers and pocketing the difference. That's just not fair. Enough! Fair contract at Mesa now!”

The conditions at Mesa threaten our careers everywhere as the industry standards drag down. Supporting Mesa is important to all of us as Flight Attendants. Stronger Together, Better Together.

9/11 Memorial & Museum Recognizes Flight Crewmembers During National Aviation Week

The 9/11 Memorial & Museum will mark National Aviation Week (Aug. 14–20, 2017) by providing free Museum access to crewmembers both active and retired. Throughout the week, the Museum will feature flight crew-themed auditorium programming to highlight this chapter in aviation history and share these stories with Museum visitors.

Active and retired crewmembers are invited to visit the Museum for free during regular operating hours from August 14–20. Onsite ticketing only. A valid ID, such as company identification cards, is required for active crewmembers. Retired crewmembers who don’t have identification will be asked to complete a verification form.

AFA appreciates this week of recognition and focus on the role of our heroes during the events of September 11th. We encourage the 9/11 Memorial & Museum to recognize aviation’s first responders year-round as we continue to serve in the wake of September 11th with the responsibility as aviation’s last line of defense. The AFA Honor Guard will lay flowers at the memorial on September 11th.