MONTGOMERY REGIONAL AIRPORT NEWS
4445 Selma Highway | Montgomery, AL 36108 | O: 334.281.5040 | F: 334.281.5041

Released: March 24, 2026

Contact: Brittney Jones-Dabney
334-300-5597
b.dabney@flymgm.com

"Smooth Travels Start Here": Montgomery Regional Airport Operating Under Normal Conditions

Montgomery, Ala. –Montgomery Regional Airport (MGM) is reinforcing its commitment to a seamless passenger experience through its ongoing message: "Smooth Travels Start Here."

MGM continues to operate under normal conditions, with passengers experiencing efficient screening processes and an average TSA wait time of just three minutes.

As part of this effort, the airport is also recognizing the dedication of its frontline partners—including Transportation Security Administration (TSA) officers and federal personnel, such as air traffic control tower staff—who play a vital role in ensuring safe and efficient operations every day.

Passengers are encouraged to plan ahead for their travel by noting that airline ticket counters close 45 minutes prior to departure, and travelers should arrive at least 90 minutes before their scheduled flight to ensure a smooth and stress-free experience.

To show appreciation, MGM is inviting the community to participate in a TSA and Federal Employee Appreciation Initiative by donating items for team members.

Donation Details

Community members are encouraged to drop off donations to the TSA Supervisor, located on the second level of the airport terminal.

Suggested items include:

- Pre-packaged snacks
- Bottled beverages
- Retail gift cards, in value of $25 or less
- Handwritten thank-you notes

“All of us at MGM are incredibly grateful for the TSA officers and federal personnel who show up each day to ensure our passengers are safe and our operations remain seamless,” said Loyd Jenkins, Executive Director of Montgomery Regional Airport. “Through our ‘Smooth Travels Start Here’ campaign, we want our passengers to feel confident in their experience—and we want our frontline teams to know how much they are valued by this community.”

MGM continues to encourage passengers to:

- Arrive early for your flights (at least 90 minutes prior to departure)
- Come prepared for screening with a valid form of identification, such as a STAR ID-compliant driver’s license or another acceptable ID (e.g., U.S. passport or military ID)
- Enjoy the convenience of flying local

With strong operational performance and dedicated personnel, Montgomery Regional Airport remains committed to delivering a safe, efficient, and welcoming travel experience.

About Montgomery Regional Airport

Montgomery Regional Airport (MGM) is a key gateway to Alabama’s capital city, connecting passengers to daily flights offered by American Airlines, Delta Air Lines, and United Airlines to major hubs including Atlanta, Georgia (ATL); Charlotte, North Carolina (CLT); Dallas-Fort Worth, Texas (DFW); Washington, D.C. (DCA); and now Houston, Texas (IAH)—offering endless connections worldwide. With a commitment to excellence in customer service, safety, and community engagement, MGM continues to elevate the travel experience while driving regional connectivity and economic growth. For more information, visit **flymgm.com**.

###