

## 22 AUGUST 2022

## Link Airways Coffs Harbour Route Extended to January 2023

Due to popular demand, in conjunction with Link Airways, Canberra Airport is pleased to announce today that the Coffs Harbour direct service has been extended until at least 31 January 2023.

Commencing 22 September 2022, this will be the first time Canberrans can fly directly from Canberra Airport to Coffs Harbour with a twice-weekly service and a launch price of \$189 one-way.

Canberra Airport's Head of Aviation, Michael Thomson, is pleased to welcome the extension of the service to Coffs Harbour.

"We're excited to connect travellers with Coffs Harbour – this underrated and spectacular part of the Mid North Coast of NSW, with pristine beaches, mountain escarpments, rainforests – a nature lovers paradise, and, as expected, this new service has already been a huge success." Mr Thomson said.

Jeff Boyd, Manager of Network Strategy at Link Airways, said "Even though the new route is still one month from its inaugural service on 22 September 2022, we've seen such strong booking demand already for the direct flights between Canberra and the Coffs Coast, proving the strong links between the two regions, we believed that the service needed to be extended"

"It is wonderful to see these flights extended, allowing Canberrans to visit the sunny far north NSW coast now or for the following school holidays and Christmas holidays, with the service extended until at least 31 January 2023." Mr Boyd said.

Link Airways, a Canberra-owned airline, currently operates services across five states and territories to 15 destinations. Link Airways is owned by Corporate Air - one of the longest-established aviation service providers in eastern Australia. To book your flights, visit <u>linkairways.com</u>

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