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MERIDIAN OPENS NEW HANGAR AT TETERBORO AIRPORT

Teterboro, NJ, July 19, 2018 – Meridian, the award-winning private aviation company, is pleased to announce the opening of a new, state-of-the-art hangar at its New Jersey-based headquarters in Teterboro Airport. Construction on ‘Hangar 12’, as it is commonly known, is now complete and the structure is fully operational.

The new building replaces the original Hangar 12, which was demolished in the summer of 2016. This modern facility includes a 40,000 sq. ft. hangar and a two-story support building, effectively doubling the size of the previous facility. The first floor includes tenant office space as well as a comfortable customer reception area. The second floor is primarily reserved for charter support, including maintenance, quality assurance, and inflight services. The hangar will serve as a maintenance facility, as well as provide parking accommodations for both managed and transient aircraft.

“The new Hangar 12 enhances Meridian’s footprint at TEB and gives us more space and flexibility for maintenance and allows us to hangar additional aircraft,” said Steve Chandoha, President of Meridian Teterboro. “As we continue to grow and as traffic increases in the busy Northeast corridor, this expansion will help us continue to serve our customers and meet their needs.”

In addition to Hangar 12, Meridian's complex at Teterboro includes its headquarters facility, which features a 40,000 sq. ft. hangar and a 30,000 sq. ft. Executive Terminal, and another 22,000 sq. ft. hangar with additional office and support space at the south end of the airport.

The new Hangar 12 is designed to handle a variety of large cabin aircraft, including the Gulfstream G650 and Global 6000. The facility features larger hangar doors for easy access and other features that will enhance service and support capabilities for Meridian customers.

About Meridian

Meridian is an award-winning, private aviation company with locations at Teterboro Airport (TEB) near New York City, and Hayward Executive Airport (HWD) near San Francisco. Meridian owns and operates businesses that include FBOs, Air Charter, Aircraft Management, and Aircraft Maintenance. We also have charter sales offices located at Van Nuys Airport (VNY) and Sonoma County Airport (STS) in California.

Meridian has earned numerous industry awards and accolades for its exceptional service: 2018 AIN FBO Survey: Top 10% FBO in the Americas; #1 FBO in Northeast; 2018 *Professional Pilot* PRASE Survey: Among Top 15 Best FBOs in US; Among Top 7 Best Independent FBOs in US; Best CSRs (#1 for Betsy Wines and #5 for Victor Seda); 2017 Pilots' Choice Awards by FltPlan.com: #1 US FBO in Northeast; Meridian was voted #1 FBO at Teterboro Airport in all three surveys.

Meridian's safety standard is one of the best in the industry. In addition to our own internal evaluation program, we also regularly undergo rigorous third-party audits conducted by the industry's leading vendor and international industry auditing associations. Meridian is one of only 135 operators worldwide to hold the ARG/US Platinum rating, the highest level awarded. We are also IS-BAO Stage 2 Certified and IATA TCO Approved. We maintain the Wyvern Wingman Certification, which fewer than 100 operators currently hold worldwide.

For more information, please visit our website at www.meridian.aero or call us in Teterboro, NJ, at 201-288-5040, or in Hayward, CA, at 510-674-2500.

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An aerial view of Meridian's new Hangar 12 at Teterboro Airport.



The new hangar is 40,000 sq. ft. and can accommodate most large-cabin aircraft, including the Gulfstream G650 and Global 6000.