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Garrett Dernoga buys Georgetown Air Services LLC

Former owner to stay on at museum

John Kenney, owner and operator of Georgetown Air Services LLC recently announced the sale of the corporation to Garrett Dernoga. Georgetown Air Services is a fixed based operator that includes a full-service fueling station for corporate and private aircraft including jets, single engine airplanes and helicopters.

Over the past 10 years, Kenney has participated in the transformation of the airport from a low-use facility to a prominent, high-volume Class G regional airport that services all of lower Delaware.

Much of the major growth at Georgetown Air Services during Kenney's ownership involved fulfillment of several major defense contracts responsible for the disposition of 31 C-130 Hercules Aircraft. These contracts were with numerous foreign governments, Lockheed Martin and

Northrop Grumman.

Under Kenney's ownership the volume of fuel sold at Sussex County Airport grew more than 200 percent and three annual Wings & Wheels fly-ins that combines display of classic cars and aircraft were held.

Kenney now intends to fulfill some personal goals that include traveling between his residences in Everglades City, Fla., and Seaford, and spending time with children and grandchildren. Kenney will continue his role as president of the board of directors of the Delaware Aviation Museum, of which he is a founding member.

Dernoga founded Delmarva Aviation flight school in May 2006 and intends to combine Georgetown Air Services operations with the flight school operation and the fixed based operator.

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