

RESERVE REVIEW:

Reserve Timeline for the June Bid Month

MEC Reserve Committee

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If awarded or assigned a Reserve line for the June bid month, there are various scheduling request deadlines and processes that occur during the period between bid awards and through the first week of the new month. While some of these events occur on the same calendar days each month, there are a few that are based on when the new Flight Attendant bid month begins, which may vary from month to month. For your convenience, we have compiled a Reserve bid month timeline detailing these items in both calendar and list formats.

June 2022 Bid Month Reserve Timeline - Calendar View

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Sunday 15	Monday 16	Tuesday 17	Wednesday 18	Thursday 19	Friday 20	Saturday 21
May Bid Month		Primary Bids Close @ 0800 HDT	Primary Award Line #s Visible by 0800 HDT Mutual Trades begin @ 1700 HDT	VAC Slide Requests due by 0800 HDT		
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
VAC Short Block Adjustment requests due by 2359 HDT	Day Off Trades with Pool begins in Staggered Brackets Open Pick up of CQ by calling Inflight Admin (FAST) during bracket	Day Off Trades with Pool re- opens @ 0700 HDT Re-start Open Pick up of CQ by calling Inflight Admin (FAST) @ 0700 HDT			Day Off Trades with Pool closes @ 0700 HDT Re-opens @ 2100 HDT	
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
		Resolve End-of- Month 1-in-7 Conflicts by 2359 HDT Move-Up Electing screen closes @ 2359 HDT	June Bid Month Begins Move-Up Line Build begins @ 0001 HDT			
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Advance Vacation Fly- Thru requests for July due by 1000 HDT Move-Up Line Build Ends @ 2359 HDT Open Pick up of CQ by calling Inflight Admin (FAST) ends @ 2359 HDT	CQ may be assigned by Inflight Admin (FAST) starting @ 0001 HDT ("Due" and "Grace" months only)					

June 2022 Bid Month Reserve Timeline – Detailed List View

Date	Time	Event Description						
5/17	0800 HDT	Primary Bids Close						
	0800 HDT	Primary Award Line Numbers Visible						
5/18	1700 HDT	Mutual Trades Begin						
	11001121	Vacation Slide Requests Due						
5/19	0800 HDT	 Contract Section 12.G.3.a. provides Reserves with the ability to move a vacation up to two (2) days in either direction, provided no new legality or short blocks are created. Contract Section 12.G.3.b. provides a Reserve who is awarded a vacation that does not include any days of availability the ability to move the vacation a sufficient number of days forward or backward in order to encompass the nearest two (2) available Reserve days. See our Reserve Lines and Vacation document for more details. 						
		Vacation Short Block Adjustment Requests Due						
5/22	2359 HDT	Contract Section 12.C.3. provides Reserves will have a period of five (5) days to adjust their vacation or schedule to eliminate any short blocks created by the vacation days, if they so choose. This may be accomplished by dropping availability days, moving availability days, or moving the vacation by up to two (2) days in either direction. See our Reserve Lines and Vacation document for more details.						
	Staggered	Reserve Day Off Trades with the Pool Begin						
5/23	Brackets See Bid Packet Cover Letter	Open Pick-Up of CQ Training Pairings Begin Reserves must contact Inflight Administration (i.e., the FAST team) at 1-800-FLT-LINE, option 4, option 2 to be scheduled on a day of Reserve availability.						
5/24	0700 HDT	Reserve Day Off Trades with the Pool Re-Open						
3/24		Open Pick-Up of CQ Training Pairings Re-Opens (see above)						
5/27	0700 HDT	Reserve Day Off Trades with the Pool Close						
3/2/	2100 HDT	Reserve Day Off Trades with the Pool Re-Opens						
5/31	2359 HDT	 Whenever a Reserve is not scheduled with at least one (1) calendar day off at their home domicile in any consecutive seven (7) day period due to the convergence of monthly schedules, Contract Sections 6.P.3. and 8.I.2. provide the Flight Attendant with the ability to decide how the schedule conflict will be reconciled. NOTE: If you do not contact the Crew Desk before the first day of the new bid month, the 1-in-7 is considered automatically waived. Please see our Transitioning to Reserve document for details. Move-Up Electing Screen Closes Unless otherwise selected during the Primary bidding process, all Reserves are added to the Move-Up List. Following the bid awards, Reserves may edit their Move-Up elections (remove/re-add name to list, type of flying preferences, protected days) using the Move-Up Electing screen in CCS until 2359 HDT on the last day of the old bid month. See the Reserve Survival Guide and JCBA Move-Up List Enhancement Guide for more information. 						

Date	Time	Event Description		
6/1	0001 HDT	June Bid Month Begins		
		Move-Up Line Build Begins		
		See the Reserve Survival Guide and JCBA Move-Up List Enhancement Guide for more		
		information.		
6/5	1000 HDT	Advance Vacation Fly-Through Requests for July Due		
		See our Reserve Lines and Vacation document for more details.		
	2359 HDT	Move-Up Line Build Ends		
		Open Pick-Up of CQ Training Pairings Ends		
5/6	0001 HDT	CQ Training May Be Assigned by Inflight Administration (FAST)		
		 If June is your "Due" or "Grace" month for CQ, and you have not picked up a CQ 		
		training pairing by this date, Inflight Administration will attempt to assign the		
		training. If the Inflight Administration team is unable to assign training, you can		
		continue to try picking up open CQ training positions by contacting them		
		throughout the month.		

If you have additional questions on these or any other Reserve related topics, contact your Local Council Reserve Committee.