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2002 City of St. George, Williams Gas Pipeline and SkyWest Airlines Indy Race Takes the Road March 9

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St. George, UTAH, February 11, 2002 – SkyWest Airlines (Nasdaq:SKYW), Williams (NYSE: WMB), and the City of St. George are proud to sponsor the 2002 Indy Race through the streets of Dixie State College on March 9, 2002.

The race, expected to raise over \$100,000 for the United Way – Dixie, begins Thursday, March 7 with a Golf Tournament at Sunbrook Golf Course. Friday, March 8, teams head to the practice course at the Dixie Center to gear up for the big event and attend a banquet to honor competitors. Prizes for best looking car, best dressed team, and fastest pit stop will be awarded. Saturday, March 9 it's Race Day! The fun commences with a Car Parade at 7:00 a.m.

St. George City Mayor Daniel McArthur will be driving one of the miniature style Indy-cars, and numerous local business and civic groups will be participating, as well as international corporations such as Bombardier Aerospace and Embraer Aircraft. There are still slots available, so parties interested in competing should contact Todd Wilkinson at (435) 634 – 3640. Admission is free on Race Day, so bring your friends and family for the Indy Race beginning at 10:45 a.m. on March 9. For more information on the race visit www.indyrace.skywestcentral.com.

The United Way - Dixie helps hundreds of local people every day by funding non-profit, tax-exempt charitable organizations. The United Way - Dixie solicits local funding from employee donations, matching corporate contributions and events such as the Indy Race.

With a system that spans the continental United States, Williams' gas pipeline unit is one of the nation's largest-volume transporters of natural gas. The company is based in Tulsa and Houston and has offices in Salt Lake City and Owensboro, Ky. Williams, through its subsidiaries, connects businesses to energy, delivering innovative, reliable products and services. Williams information is available at www.williams.com.

SkyWest Airlines is the nations largest independently operated regional airline and is based in St. George, Utah. For more information on SkyWest visit www.skywest.com

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