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# Homer Partlow, Airport's oldest employee, retires at age 90

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Homer Partlow, the oldest employee working at Shreveport Regional Airport, is scheduled to retire on Friday, Nov. 12, 2010 – on his 90<sup>th</sup> birthday.

Partlow has worked for Thrifty Car Rental for at least 12 years and has worked with rental car companies for nearly 30 years. He has worked at Shreveport Regional since 1999 when Thrifty moved into the new terminal.

A reception for Mr. Partlow will be held at Thrifty's office in the main terminal at 11 a.m. Friday. Friends and co-workers are invited to attend.

"We are sad to see Homer retire because he is such an incredible employee and has such a high quality of work ethic. I have learned so much about life in general and the car business just by working with Homer," said Sandra Burkeen, general manager of Thrifty in Shreveport. "He acts like he is not a day over 65."

Throughout his years working at Shreveport Regional, Mr. Partlow has serviced cars both in the heat, cold, rain and sun.

"The Shreveport Airport Authority wishes Mr. Partlow all the best," said Roy H. Miller, Jr., A.A.E., Director of Airports. "He has been a real inspiration with his work ethic, his great attitude toward others and his friendliness to everyone at Shreveport Regional. We will truly miss having him at the airport."

