

DIVISION OF CORPORATION FINANCE

May 15, 2024

Tammy Romo Chief Financial Officer Southwest Airlines Co. P.O. Box 36611 Dallas, Texas 75235

> Re: Southwest Airlines Co. Form 10-K for the Fiscal Year ended December 31, 2023 Filed February 6, 2024 File No. 001-07259

Dear Tammy Romo:

We have completed our review of your filing. We remind you that the company and its management are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of their disclosures, notwithstanding any review, comments, action or absence of action by the staff.

Sincerely,

Division of Corporation Finance Office of Energy & Transportation