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Anchorage Airport Update May 2019

1. **ANC North/South Runway Renewal Project:** Project involves rehabilitating and widening RW 15/33 (the north/south runway) and updating taxiway geometry to meet FAA standards. Construction is planned for 7 days per week, 24 hours per day, April through October. During construction, the majority of air traffic will be shifted to the east/west runways. Most arrivals will land from the west, and most departures will take off to the east, creating a temporary increase in air traffic and noise over the city. To stay up to date on the project and submit comments, visit the website at anc15-33.com.
2. **Summer Seasonal Carrier Service:**
 - a. Sun Country is beginning a new service direct to Las Vegas on Wednesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays, and Sundays.
 - b. A new ultra-low-cost carrier, Allegiant Air, will begin nonstop seasonal service between Bellingham and Anchorage. Allegiant will operate two-weekly roundtrip flights on Wednesdays and Saturdays, throughout the summer starting May 22.
3. **Mandatory Annual Firefighter Training:** The Airport Police & Fire will be conducting mandatory annual firefighter training May 1st and 2nd from approximately 2:00pm to 7:00pm each day. Firefighters will be lighting and extinguishing fuel fires to stay current with FAA requirements. During those training days/times large plumes of smoke from the south side of the Airport will be visible. If you have any questions or concerns please call 907-266-2407.
4. **Great Alaska Aviation Gathering:** Event will be held May 4th and 5th at the FedEx Hangar on Postmark Drive. For more information visit www.greatalaskaaviationgathering.org/.
5. **Lake Hood Seaplane Base:**
 - a. **LHD Strip:** 2-3 days of routine spring maintenance is tentatively scheduled to begin May 7th-9th to include routine cleanup, grading, dust control, etc. Please check the LHD NOTAMs for current information/updates.
 - b. **Pesticide Permit:** The airport is working to get its own pesticide permit to apply herbicide to the lakes for weed control this summer. Public notice was published April 16th and 17th, with public comment period through May 16th.
6. **Annual MS Society Walk:** Event will take place May 11th. For further information visit http://main.nationalmssociety.org/site/TR/Walk/WASWalkEvents?pg=entry&fr_id=29570; or contact the LHD Office at 907-266-2410.
7. **Human Trafficking Awareness Training:** The Airport is co-sponsoring a free 90-minute situational awareness training on what we can do as a community to help stop human sex trafficking from happening here. The training gives attendees the tools on how to handle these types of situations. Training will be held May 9th, 1:00 PM to 2:30 PM, at the British Petroleum, 900 E. Benson Blvd, Conference Room C – BP Atrium.
8. **Airport Recruitment:**
 - a. The Airport is recruiting for a Building Permit Coordinator position. For more information, visit [https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/alaska?location\[0\]=anchorage&department\[0\]=Transportation%20%26%20Public%20Facilities&sort=PositionTitle%7CAscending](https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/alaska?location[0]=anchorage&department[0]=Transportation%20%26%20Public%20Facilities&sort=PositionTitle%7CAscending)

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b. The Airport is recruiting for equipment mechanics and operators, as well as facility maintenance positions. Information on these opportunities can be found on Workplace Alaska or through Local 71 at the following web addresses: local71.com/jobs and governmentjobs.com/careers/Alaska. Active recruitments are as follows:

*Maintenance Specialist-Electrician-Journey II Lead	\$26.73-\$30.68/hr	Class B CDL required within 90 days of hire
*Equipment Operator Journey II Seasonal or Full Time	\$23.60/hr	Class A CDL required at time of hire
*Maintenance Specialist, Building/Facility/Construction, Journey I (HVAC)	\$24.00/hr	Refrigerant Certification required. Commercial building experience highly desired.

9. Sign up for GovDelivery: at anchorageairport.com to receive emails on DOT related items; visit us on Facebook and Twitter.