Anchorage Airport Update
March 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. **Ted Stevens Commemorative Exhibit**: On February 23rd, a bronzed statue of Senator Ted Stevens and an upgraded seating area was installed by the Ted Stevens Foundation at the start of Concourse C in the secure area.

3. **Summer Seasonal Carrier Service**:
   a. 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.
   b. The following carriers have added frequency and/or locations to their summer service: Alaska Airlines, American, United, Delta, Sun Country, Air Canada, Condor, Icelandair, and JetBlue.

4. **Storm Water Permit Review**: ANC currently expects ADEC to release the draft ANC Storm Water Permit for a 60 day public notice for public comment in on March 1. A public hearing is scheduled for April 3, 6:00pm to 8:00pm at the Coast International Inn (Dates and location subject to change).

5. **Airport-wide Cleanup Day**: Planned date is April 26th. More information to follow next month.

6. **Lake Hood Seaplane Base**:
   a. **Frozen Lakes**: Winter operations are in effect, and we are requesting everyone's help to spread the reminder to please stay off the ice. The frozen lakes remain restricted active runway surfaces all winter long for ski operations. For further information please contact the Lake Hood Office at 907-266-2410.
   b. **Pesticide Permit**: The airport is working to get its own pesticide permit to apply herbicide to the lakes for weed control this summer. We anticipate a public notice period in March or April.

7. **2019 Anchorage Travel & Tourism Job Fair**: The airport is hosting this free event on March 23rd from 10am-3pm at the North Terminal, 4600 Postmark Dr.

8. **Airport Recruitment**: 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.

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