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**Anchorage Airport Update**  
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1. **Airport Communications Plan Update:** The Communications Plan establishes guidelines for effective two-way communication between the airport and the community. A public meeting was held May 15<sup>th</sup> to discuss the proposed updates. The Airport will publish the updated Communications Plan this summer.
2. **ANC Runway 15/33 Rehabilitation Project:** Project will rehabilitate and widen RW 15/33 (the north/south runway), and update taxiway geometry to meet FAA standards through the summers of 2018 and 2019. The runway will be partially closed during the 2018 summer and fully closed during the 2019 summer. Both construction seasons will require heavier cargo aircraft to be shifted to the east-west runways. 2019 summer construction will require *all* aircraft to utilize the east-west runways. Construction is scheduled to begin June 18<sup>th</sup>, 2018.
  - a. The first three weeks of construction, beginning June 18<sup>th</sup>, RW 15/33 will be completely closed 24 hours a day for scheduled annual maintenance. All aircraft will be operating on the east/west runways during this closure.
  - b. To stay up to date on the project and to submit comments, please visit the project website at [www.anc15-33.com](http://www.anc15-33.com).
3. **LHD Taxiway V Reconstruction:** Project will reconstruct Taxiway V for Airplane Design Group (ADG) I and Taxiway Design Group (TDG) 2. Improvements include upgrading the taxiway structural section, replacing and upgrading taxiway lighting, markings and signs, repairing/replacing storm drainage, and adjusting conflicting utilities as needed. Construction is estimated to take place May 29<sup>th</sup> through September 30<sup>th</sup>. Various detour routes will be provided throughout the project to accommodate vehicle and aircraft traffic.
4. **Terminal Concessions:**
  - a. The Pork and Pickle restaurant will soon be available to serve the public pre-security in conjunction with the current post security offerings. Construction of the pre-security location is underway.
  - b. Construction of a new ice cream venue, Crème, is underway.
  - c. Kuhl clothing store is scheduled to open this fall at the connection of Concourses B and C.
  - d. Jazzy Popcorn kiosk near gate C2 is now open.
5. **Passenger Screening Wait Times:** Increased wait times are expected for passengers in TSA's passenger screening lines this summer season. Travelers are advised to arrive at the airport at least two hours prior to departure time. All lanes are expected to be staffed and operational during the peak times.
6. **Alaska International Airports System Rates and Fees:** The Department of Transportation and Public Facilities, under authority vested by AS 2.15.020 and Title 17 AAC 42.125, intends to modify certain fees for the Alaska International Airports System, consisting of the Ted Stevens Anchorage and Fairbanks International Airports. The proposed rates will become effective July 1, 2018. The public notice providing further information on the rates and fees can be found at the following web address: <https://aws.state.ak.us/OnlinePublicNotices/Notices/View.aspx?id=190213>.
7. **Airport Recruitment:** The Airport is recruiting for equipment mechanics and operators, as well as facility maintenance positions and Police and Fire officers. Information on these opportunities can be found on Workplace Alaska or through Local 71 at the following web addresses: [local71.com/jobs](http://local71.com/jobs) and [governmentjobs.com/careers/Alaska](http://governmentjobs.com/careers/Alaska).
8. **Sign up for GovDelivery:** at [anchorageairport.com](http://anchorageairport.com) to receive emails on all sorts of DOT related things. Also visit us on Facebook and Twitter.

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