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Railroad Up and Running *Flood Damage Repaired*

At 5:00 p.m. today Alaska Railroad Corporation (ARRC) Maintenance of Way (MOW) crews successfully repaired a washout at ARRC milepost 288. Freight traffic resumed immediately with passenger operations scheduled to resume their normal schedules on Sunday, July 20.

Unusually high levels of rain and snow caused washouts in several areas between Talkeetna and Denali National Park. South end traffic was not affected. Photos of the milepost 288 washout are available on the ARRC web site at:

http://www.alaskarailroad.com/corporate/press_releases.html