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Passenger Train Service To Airport Depot Resumes Saturday

The Alaska Railroad Corporation (ARRC) reminds Anchorage drivers that passenger train service begins Saturday, May 15. Daily service between Seward, Whittier and Anchorage will once again move visitors to and from the Bill Sheffield Alaska Railroad Depot at the Ted Stevens Anchorage International Airport, and the Downtown Depot in Ship Creek.

Traffic patterns will change at several crossings, including those located along the three-mile airport spur running between Minnesota and the Airport. Crossings include Northwood Drive, Jewel Lake Road, West 50th, and International Airport Road. We ask the driving community to obey all signals, be mindful of trucks and buses that must make mandatory stops at crossings and be prepared for occasional short delays.

The summer season is also a busy time for gravel trains. Both passenger and gravel trains will be running frequently along the new stretch of double track between 120th Avenue and 44th Avenue (Tudor Road). Drivers and pedestrians are reminded to look both ways before crossing the two parallel tracks.

The Alaska Railroad is an independent state-owned corporation that receives no state subsidies and serves Alaska's railbelt communities from Seward to North Pole. We are dedicated to the safety of our passengers, community and employees. For more information, you can contact Public Affairs Officer Tim Thompson at 265-2695.