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Repairs to Damaged Railroad Bridge Complete *ARRC crews restore service between Anchorage and Fairbanks*

ANCHORAGE, Alaska-The Alaska Railroad Corporation (ARRC) completed temporary repairs early Thursday morning to a damaged railroad bridge. Freight and passenger rail service between Anchorage and Fairbanks has resumed.

Service between Anchorage and Fairbanks was disrupted August 8 when an excavator loaded on a lowboy tractor-trailer struck the bridge. The bridge at ARRC milepost 346.7/ Parks Highway milepost 236.7 is located about a quarter of a mile south of the Denali Park entrance.

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