



PRESS ADVISORY

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July 11, 2019

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TSA, SLC officials to provide update ahead of summer travel surge

Peak summer travel period at SLC will be July 15 – August 15

SALT LAKE CITY - Officials with the Transportation Security Administration (TSA) and Salt Lake City International Airport (SLC) will host a media availability **Monday, July 15, 2019, at 1 p.m.**, to discuss what travelers can expect at SLC during the peak summer travel period, which begins Monday and continues through August 15. They will highlight busiest times of day, busiest days of the week and provide helpful tips to make the security screening process go smoothly.

During the event, airport officials will announce a new queue management technology that provides security screening line estimated wait times.

TSA officials will also discuss REAL ID requirements and what travelers who fly commercially should do now to ensure they are in compliance. Federal enforcement of REAL ID requirements begins in Oct. 2020.

Following the media event, all media will be invited into the security checkpoint to get photos and b-roll of security screening operations. This is an excellent opportunity to get updated pictures and video for use in current and future stories related to air travel.

WHO: Mark Lewis, TSA Federal Security Director
Lorie Dankers, TSA Public Affairs Manager
Nancy Volmer, SLC Director of Communication & Marketing

WHAT: Peak summer travel outlook and summer travel tips

WHEN: **Monday, July 15, 2019**
1 p.m.

WHERE: Salt Lake City International Airport
Terminal 1, mezzanine level overlooking security checkpoint

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