

## Bridge 467.8 Replacement

### Project Description

The Alaska Railroad Corporation (ARRC) proposes to replace the bridge located at MP 467.8 located in Fairbanks, Alaska. The existing seven (7) span 98-foot timber trestle bridge with three (3) 48-inch diameter, 68-foot-long smooth steel pipe culvert. This work is necessary for the safety and reliability of this critical infrastructure. Replacement of the 98-foot timber trestle bridge includes:

- Removal of existing timber spans.
- Excavation of existing organic soils to sand/gravel layer.
- Compacting sand/gravel layer and fill with compacted granular backfill.
- Installation of three (3) 48-inch diameter culverts including necessary rip-rap.
- Relocation of existing fiber optic utility.

### Purpose and Need

The project will replace a bridge which is reaching the end of its useful life span. The purpose of this project is to enhance the stability of the track infrastructure, protect critical state infrastructure, improve safety for the ARRC and its customers, including passengers, and maintain the integrity of the railroad.

### Status

- National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) approval was received on November 25, 2025.
- Final Design is underway.
- Construction is anticipated by being by fall 2026.
- Project completion is expected by summer 2027.



*Bridge 467.8 is located in Fairbanks, Alaska.*

## Funding

The project is expected to be funded by the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) with a 20% match by ARRC.

## More Information

For more information, email the Alaska Railroad at [Public\\_Comment@akrr.com](mailto:Public_Comment@akrr.com). The ARRC Bridge Program fact

**Bridge at  
Milepost 467.8  
in Fairbanks,  
Alaska.**



Site Plan - Bridge MP 467.8

