FACT SHEET



The Alaska Railroad is a full-service passenger and freight railroad servicing ports and communities from the Gulf of Alaska to Fairbanks.



The Alaska Railroad carries more than 400,000 passengers and 5.11 million tons of freight annually. It has 656 miles of track, 1,381 freight cars, 45 passenger cars and 57 locomotives.



Owned by the State of Alaska since 1985, the Alaska Railroad is a self-sustaining corporation. The Alaska Railroad received no operating funds from the state. It generates revenue through freight, passenger and real estate services to cover personnel, employee benefits, operations and maintenance expenses.



The Alaska Railroad currently employs more than 600 Alaskans.



The Alaska Railroad earned Green Star Award Certification by reducing energy and water consumption, as well as an air quality award recertification for its efforts to curb emissions.



It takes just one gallon of fuel to move a ton of freight the length of the entire Railbelt.



The Alaska Railroad recently invested in new, more efficient and lower-emission locomotives, and switched to ultra-low-sulfur diesel ahead of U.S. Environmental Protection Agency mandates.



The Alaska Railroad's freight shed facility was recently converted into first-class office space. The historic building is up for certification under the U.S. Green Building Council's Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) program.



The Alaska Railroad has six \$4 million GoldStar double-deck dome cars. The cars travel routes from Seward to Anchorage, and Anchorage to Fairbanks, with stops in Denali National Park.

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