



KETCHIKAN GATEWAY BOROUGH & CITY OF KETCHIKAN



MEDIA RELEASE | Allen Marine Providing Ferry Service for Wolfe Point Closure

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For Immediate Release:

KETCHIKAN, Alaska – In response to the ongoing road closure at Wolfe Point, Allen Marine will provide passenger-only ferry service between Taquan and the KETCH to assist with transportation.

Passengers must be at least 18 years old to travel alone. The boats, docks, and buses are not ADA accessible.

A small bus will shuttle individuals between the KETCH and the Tyler Rental parking lot roughly every 10 to 15 minutes. An additional bus will run a continuous loop from the Tyler Rental parking lot to Clover Pass to provide transportation to those without vehicles. To board any place along Tongass Ave, individuals should extend their arm outward to signal the driver. The last ferry will depart from The KETCH at 10 p.m., and the final bus will leave the KETCH at 9:45 p.m.

Service will resume Friday morning, with the first bus departing Clover Pass at 6 a.m. and the first ferry leaving KETCH at 7 a.m. The ferry will not operate on a fixed schedule but will prioritize making as many trips as possible. Additional scheduling details will be released as they become available.

Those who wish to leave their vehicle on the north end before traveling into town should park at Tyler Rental, where the shuttle will provide transportation to the KETCH port.

To support travelers affected by the closure, Ketchikan International Airport will waive parking fees until further notice. Those utilizing airport parking should follow posted instructions and official updates for more details.

For updates, visit <https://www.kgbak.us/1113/Wolfe-Point-Landslide>.

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