

Bill Wyatt Executive Director Salt Lake City Dept. of Airports

## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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## MEDIA TOUR OF AIRPORT'S CENTRAL TUNNEL CONSTRUCTION

What:	After 21 months of construction, the Central Tunnel is now at the half-way point to completion. Media are invited to tour the Central Tunnel to see the progress to date and hear about the large-scale art installation that will adorn the tunnel. Learn when the Central Tunnel will be open to the public and the engineering magic it took to construct the tunnel adjacent to an active airport and airfield.
Who:	-Bill Wyatt, Executive Director, Salt Lake City International Airport -Mike Williams, Program Director, Airport Redevelopment Program -Gordon Huether, Artist, The River Tunnel
When:	Tuesday, August 2, 9 a.m. (tour start time) to approx. 10:30 a.m. Media should be on site between 8:30 and 8:45 a.m. to pick up their badge and to be escorted through security screening.
Where:	Meet at the badging office, located in Delta baggage claim area, west of the Hudson Store, between 8:30 and 8:45 a.m. to pick up your badge. The airport's media parking lot will be open for this event.
Wear:	The tour will take place on an active construction site: hard-soled, closed-toe shoes must be worn as well as long pants. No one wearing shorts or open-toed shoes will be allowed on the site. Hard hats, safety vests and glasses will be provided.
Badging:	All media who participate will need to supply their legal name and date of birth by <b>Monday, August 1 at 11 a.m.</b> to <u>nancy.volmer@slcgov.com</u> .

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