# Summit Station Skiway Report - May 28, 2017

**SKIWAY:**

Use of center skiway is recommended. Rammsonde penetrometer measurements for snow strength taken weekly.

**Markers**: Skiway markers are free of frost/snow.

All skiway and approach markers have been raised to standard height. A small number are missing/broken. All markers will be repaired by the beginning of the flight period. On June 5th.

**Surface Grooming Completed:**

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| **Phase Type:** | **# since last flight period:** | **# since beginning of season:** |
| **Full width Grooming** | 1 | 2 |
| **Centerline** | 6 | 12 |
| **Turnarounds** | 8 | 10 |

* Skiway preparation in accordance with SOP418 - Construction, Surface and Strength Maintenance Procedures for Summit Station Skiway.
* A full grooming cycle including 2-3 full width and turnarounds is planned prior to June 5th.
* Additional maintenance will be performed prior to flights as weather conditions / drifting dictate.

**TAXIWAY:**

Markers: Blue flags denoting taxiway area have been raised / replaced.

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| **Phase Type:** | **Since last flight period:** | **Since beginning of season:** |
| **Full Width Grooming** | 4 | 5 |

* A compaction of the taxiway and cargo area is planned prior to June 5th.

**APPROACH MARKERS:**

Are all raised, a few repairs need to be made and are planned prior to June 5th.

**COMMUNICATIONS:**

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| **VHF/AM** | 123.45 MHz Primary | 122.8 MHz Secondary |
| **HF** | 8.093 MHz Primary | 4.753 MHz Secondary |
| **Iridium** | 8816.314.60730 |  |

* Note: - BH Office HF not currently operational

**WEATHER:**

Weather station operational.

Weather observations:

* Begin 3 hours prior to first scheduled offdeck.
* Are transmitted 10 minutes prior to each hour (00:50)
* Continue hourly. Provided more frequently in intermittent conditions or upon request.
* End upon departure of final aircraft from Summit or as directed.
* Updated conditions available upon request during flight operations.