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## **BOB HOPE AIRPORT ISSUES SUMMER TRAVEL ADVISORY: ARRIVE EARLY AND GET A LIFT**

*Busiest Summer Travel Season in Airport's History Means More Time Needed for  
Ticketing, Baggage Handling, Security Clearance;  
Fourth of July Weekend Parking Very Tight.*

BURBANK, Calif., July 1, 2005 – Bob Hope Airport today issued a summer travel advisory to encourage alternate transport to the airport and remind travelers to arrive earlier than they normally do. Parking in the airport's economy lots was already under heavy pressure prior to noon today.

“We've always been known for convenience and quick processing, but many passengers are still arriving with only a few minutes before scheduled departure of their flight, and that can put them in a bind,” said Scott Smith, Director of Administrative Services at the airport.

Smith, who oversees the parking operation at Bob Hope Airport, pointed out that travelers who arrive by shuttle, train or get dropped off by a friend or relative will solve two potential problems.

“They will save time, and they won't encounter a problem finding parking, which can get very tight at peak travel times,” Smith said.

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The Airport supplies phone numbers for shuttle and cab companies on its website, [www.bobhopeairport.com](http://www.bobhopeairport.com), as well as links to Amtrak and Metrolink websites where rail schedules to the airport are available. There is also comprehensive information on airport parking lot location and pricing.

In the event travelers in their own cars are behind schedule and may not have time to park remote and take the airport's free shuttle to the terminal, Bob Hope Airport offers valet parking with the drop off point immediately in front of the main terminal building. Valet parking costs \$17 per day; Economy Lot parking is currently \$7.00 daily. Both prices include a 12% City of Burbank parking tax.