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MEDIA ADVISORY

Media availability at Anchorage Iditarod XLVIII food drops

- WHO:** Iditarod mushers, Iditarod Trail Committee representatives, Air Land Transport representatives
- WHAT:** Media availability at Anchorage Iditarod XLVIII food drops
- WHEN:** Wednesday, Feb. 19, 2020, 10 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. (first group)
Thursday, Feb. 20, 2020, 9 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. (second group)
- WHERE:** Air Land Transport
11100 Calaska Circle
Anchorage, AK 99515

DESCRIPTION: On Wednesday, Feb. 19, 2020, from 10 a.m. – 2:30 p.m., the first group of Iditarod mushers will drop off their food and supplies ahead of the 2020 Iditarod Trail Sled Dog Race. The food drop continues on Thursday, Feb. 20, from 9 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. for the second group of mushers. This food drop is critical to a dog team's success on the trail. The food drop bags are delivered to the various checkpoints in advance of the race and a musher can also send extra sleds, supplies and equipment if desired.

Interviews and photo opportunities with mushers, as well as Iditarod representatives and Air Land Transport representatives will be available. Media interested in attending should contact Mark Nordman by email at mark.nordman@iditarod.com or by phone at 907-360-1814.

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