



**March 5, 2015**

## **Hartsfield-Jackson to Temporarily Close Cell Phone Lot from March 6 to March 13**

***Week-long closure due to final phase of roadway improvements; motorists advised to pay close attention to new signage and approach the Airport with caution***

**ATLANTA** – Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport is entering the final phase of its inbound roadway improvement project and plans to temporarily close the cell phone lot beginning Friday, March 6 at 11 p.m. and reopen it on Friday, March 13 at 6 a.m. The temporary closure will allow contractors to pave a new, third lane near the lot.

Drivers who normally access the cell phone lot are strongly encouraged to park in the Airport's hourly parking facilities, where the first 15 minutes are free. Directional signage will be on display. The 160-space cell phone lot is located on South Terminal Parkway.

Motorists are advised to reduce speeds and obey the 25 mph speed limit posted throughout Airport's roadways. Travelers should also allow extra time to reach the north and south domestic terminals.

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### **Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport**

Hartsfield-Jackson (ATL) is the world's busiest and most efficient airport, serving more than 96.1 million passengers annually with nonstop service to more than 150 U.S. destinations and nearly 70 international destinations in more than 45 countries. ATL boasts a direct economic impact of \$34.8 billion in metro Atlanta and a total direct economic impact of \$70.9 billion in Georgia. The Airport is the largest employer in Georgia, with more than 63,000 employees. The Airport is a frequent recipient of awards of excellence for concessions, operations, architectural engineering and construction – including the 2013 Global Efficiency Excellence Award from the Air Transport Research Society, 2013 Project of the Year, Architectural Category for the Maynard H. Jackson Jr. International Terminal from the American Association of Airport Executives Southeast chapter and the 2012 Best Airport in North America, Business Travel Award from the Business Traveler Magazine. ATL has completed more than \$6 billion worth of capital improvements, including a new, energy-efficient rental car center, a gold LEED-certified international terminal and aesthetic and functional upgrades to its concourses, people movers and parking services. For more information, go to [www.atlanta-airport.com](http://www.atlanta-airport.com). Check out the Airport's YouTube channel by visiting [www.youtube.com/AtlantaHartsfield](http://www.youtube.com/AtlantaHartsfield), follow us on Twitter (@Atlanta\_Airport) and become a fan on Facebook (Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport).