

# PALM SPRINGS AERIAL Tramway®



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## PALM SPRINGS AERIAL TRAMWAY ANNUAL MAINTENANCE CLOSURE

September 6 Last Day to Ride Until October 4

**PALM SPRINGS, CA** (August 30, 2021) The Palm Springs Aerial Tramway will close for annual maintenance beginning **Tuesday, September 7, 2021** with a tentative **reopening date of Monday, October 4 at 10:00 a.m.**

“During this year’s shutdown, one of our track ropes will be repositioned, which is done in 12-year intervals to facilitate even wear,” says **Vice President of Tramway Systems Chris Bartsch**. “We will also be changing pendant ropes, and the liners and bushings on the pendant rope sheaves. Finally, we will be conducting our annual comprehensive mechanical and electrical testing on numerous Tramway systems.”

Adds **Tramway General Manager Nancy Nichols**, “We regret the inconvenience our annual maintenance shutdown causes our guests, but since we run seven-days-a-week year-round, this time allows us to complete projects we cannot do when we are open to the public.”

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### About Palm Springs Aerial Tramway

The Palm Springs Aerial Tramway is the world’s largest rotating tram car. Opened in 1963, the Tram’s 80-passenger cars travel along the breathtaking cliffs of Chino Canyon from the Valley Station (elevation 2,643 ft.) to the Mountain Station (elevation 8,516 ft.) in approximately 10 minutes. For more information, please call 888-515-TRAM or 760-325-1391, or visit [www.pstramway.com](http://www.pstramway.com). Also, download the Tramway’s free mobile tour in the App Store or Google Play

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