



THE NEW NORTH CONCOURSE IS OPEN

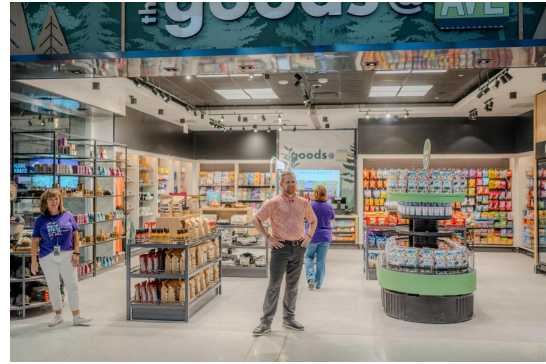
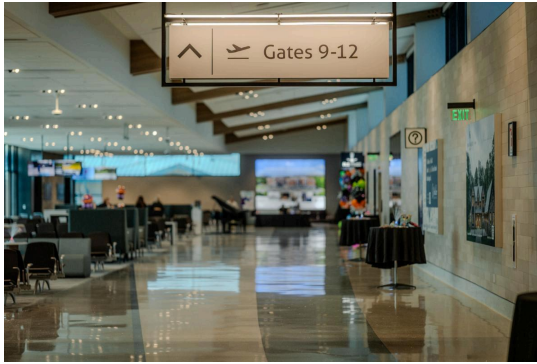
A major milestone in the AVL Forward project

Since the groundbreaking on August 11, 2023, and after almost two years of hard work, the AVL's new North Concourse opened on June 25, 2025. Despite unexpected disruptions, the AVL Forward project has remained on time and on budget. The opening of the new North Concourse is a major milestone in the three-phase project.

All passengers will now enter the new ticket lobby (which opened on June 11, 2025) before proceeding through the new TSA security check point and into the new North Concourse. Although the new North Concourse is open, all new gates are not yet operational, and some passengers will proceed from the new North Concourse to the Legacy Terminal for boarding. For the next few weeks, the Legacy Terminal gates will be phased out as the remaining new North Concourse gates are brought on-line. All new gates in the North Concourse are expected to be open by the end of July. Signs and additional AVL staff will be supporting passengers on their journey through the Airport during this transitional time.

Work on future phases of the project is already underway, and the next milestone is expected at the end of August with the move of the rental car counters from the temporary trailers to the Legacy Terminal's ticket lobby. This will allow for the expansion of the baggage claim and the construction of the new rental car lobby adjacent to the baggage claim.

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A BRAND-NEW SPACE FOR AVL PASSENGERS

The new North Concourse offers exciting new amenities

The opening of the ticket lobby earlier in the month allowed passengers a glimpse of the beautiful architecture and design of the new North Concourse, and the entire terminal project as a whole. The design reflects the spirit and natural beauty of western North Carolina. All of the design elements were carefully chosen and come together to create a beautiful and modern new space that proudly represents our region.

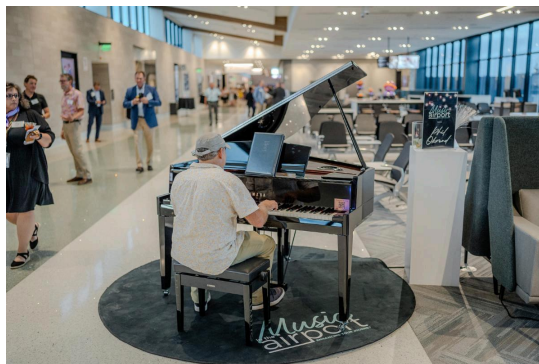
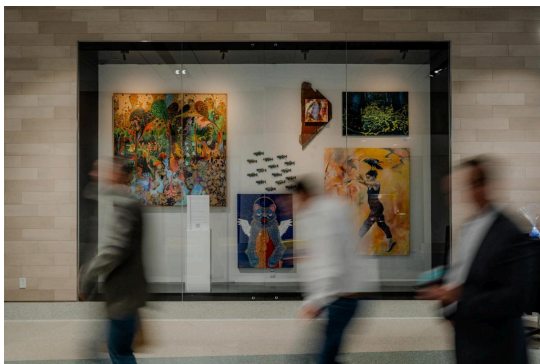
Passengers will also enjoy the wonderful new amenities that the North Concourse offers. Some of these new amenities include a wide variety of seating options with electronic charging capabilities, enhanced bathrooms, new jet bridges and lactation suites. Plus, there are new food and beverage options, with more to come!

AVL's Art and Music in the Airport programs also have a prominent place in the new concourse. A beautiful new art gallery space hosts rotating exhibits featuring local artists. The current installation is in partnership with the River Arts District and features artists from western North Carolina. The new North Concourse also has a brand new piano and space for the popular Music in the Airport program, which features local musicians.

The new North Concourse represents an exciting new era at AVL, and there is plenty more to look forward to as the AVL Forward terminal project continues.

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VIEW PHOTOS



AVL IN THE NEWS

Excitement about the new AVL is spreading across the region

Local media recently had the opportunity to get a behind-the-scenes view of the new North Concourse. Thank you, local reporters, for taking time to share the exciting news. Check out these great stories, below.

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Join us on October 11!

Registration is open for this year's AVL Runway 5K. Don't wait to sign up, because this event will sell out! This exciting annual race allows you to run parallel to AVL's active runway while planes take off and land. There will be food



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