

GRANTEES:

Accessing Money Once You Arrive in Antarctica or Embark the NBP/LMG

(Please check the expiration of your ATM and credit cards before deployment.)

McMurdo Station

McMurdo Station has a Wells Fargo ATM! The Antarctic ATM is exactly like any Wells Fargo ATM you would use in the United States and DOES NOT CHARGE A FEE (but your bank might charge a fee). Personal checks (from U.S. banks) are accepted at the Disbursing Office, up to \$500 per calendar month. The McMurdo Station Store accepts Visa and Master Card.

South Pole and Palmer Stations

There is no ATM available at the Palmer and South Pole Stations. The Palmer Station Store accepts Visa and Master Card. The Finance/Human Resources Representative will cash personal checks (from U.S. banks) for up to \$500 per calendar month. Transactions can also be made by cash or travelers cheques in the summer.

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You will have access to the facilities available at foreign ports but you should plan ahead and bring a supply of cash and travelers cheques.

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