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M Line Suspensions Two Weekends in June

For the first two weekends in June, service on the M line will be diverted in order to continue the rehabilitation of the Myrtle-Wyckoff Avenue (LM) Station Complex. From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, June 2 to 5 a.m. Monday, June 4 and from 12:01 a.m. Saturday, June 9 to 5 a.m. Sunday, June 10, free shuttle buses will replace M train service between Myrtle Avenue (on Broadway) and Middle Village-Metropolitan Avenue.

In this phase of the operation, workers will begin the demolition of the old signal tower. In addition, this latest work involves the installation of a roof over the transfer passageway under the M tracks, concrete repairs to the M line platforms and electrical work.

The rehabilitation of the Myrtle-Wyckoff Avenue (LM) Station Complex includes the new headhouse that opened for public use on April 19. When complete, the complex will include three elevators for ADA accessibility, a new transfer passageway between the L and M lines, new station finishes, and upgrades to electrical, lighting, communications, drainage, and plumbing systems. The \$50 million project is scheduled for completion in September 2007.

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