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Service Advisory Weekend Subway Changes Affecting Service On The 23457ACDEFGNQR

Because of capital construction work on the NYC Transit subway system, the following changes will be in place over the weekend. This work is part of NYC Transit's ongoing \$10 billion Capital Rebuilding Program aimed at upgrading and maintaining our tracks, stations and signal systems in order to continue to provide our customers with safe and reliable service.

23

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, September 20 to 5 a.m. Monday, September 22, 23 trains run local between 96th and Chambers Street due to 96th Street station rehabilitation.

34J

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, September 20 to 5 a.m. Monday, September 22, there are no 4 trains between Utica and Brooklyn Bridge due to track and station work for the Fulton Street Transit Center. The 3 and a special J train provide alternate service.

54J

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, September 20 to 5 a.m. Monday, September 22, there are no 5 trains between 42nd Street-Grand Central and Bowling Green due to track and station work for the Fulton Street Transit Center. The 4 and special J trains provide alternate service. Customers should transfer between the 5 and 4 at 42nd Street-Grand Central.

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From 4 a.m. Saturday, September 20 to 10 p.m. Sunday, September 21, Flushing-bound 7 trains run express from Queensboro Plaza to Willets Point-Shea Stadium due to track panel installation between 74th Street and 82nd Street.

A

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, September 20 to 5 a.m. Monday, September 22, free shuttle buses replace A trains between 168th Street and 207th Street due to structural and tunnel lighting at 168th Street.

AC

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, September 20 to 5 a.m. Monday, September 22, there is no C train service between 145th Street and 168th Street due to structural and tunnel lighting at 168th Street. Customers should take the A instead.

AC

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, September 20 to 5 a.m. Monday, September 22, uptown AC trains skip Spring, 23rd, and 50th Streets due to Chambers Street Signal Modernization.

AC

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, September 20 to 5 a.m. Monday, September 22, Queens-bound AC trains skip Ralph and Rockaway Avenues due to station painting at Ralph and Rockaway Avenues.

D

From 12:01 a.m. to 5 a.m. Saturday, September 20, Manhattan-bound D trains skip 167th, 161st, and 155th Streets due to track and roadbed cleaning.

D

From 12:01 a.m. to 5 a.m. Sunday, September 21, Bronx-bound D trains skip 155th Street due to track and roadbed cleaning.

E

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, September 20 to 5 a.m. Monday, September 22, there are no E trains between West 4th Street and World Trade Center due to the Chambers Street Signal Modernization. Take the A or C instead.

E

From 11:30 p.m. Friday, September 19 to 5 a.m. Monday, September 22 (and weekends through October 6), Manhattan-bound E trains run local from Jackson Heights-Roosevelt Avenue to Queens Plaza due to a track-chip out north of Queens Plaza.

E

From 12:30 a.m. Saturday, September 20 to 5 a.m. Monday, September 22, Queens-bound E trains run local from Queens Plaza to Jackson Heights-Roosevelt Avenue due to a track-chip out north of Queens Plaza.

ER

From 12:01 a.m. to midnight Saturday, September 20, Manhattan-bound ER trains run express from Forest Hills-71st Avenue to Jackson Heights-Roosevelt Avenue due to a pump room repair north of Jackson Heights-Roosevelt Avenue.

F

From 12:30 a.m. Saturday, September 20 to 5 a.m. Monday, September 22, Queens-bound F trains run local from 21st Street-Queensbridge to Jackson Heights-Roosevelt Avenue due to a track chip-out north of Queens Plaza.

F

From 11:30 p.m. Friday, September 19 to 5 a.m. Monday, September 22, (and weekends through October 6), Manhattan-bound F trains run local from Jackson Heights-Roosevelt Avenue to 21st Street-Queensbridge due to a track chip-out north of Queens Plaza.

G

From 8:30 p.m. Friday, September 19 to 5 a.m. Monday, September 22, there are no G trains between Forest Hills-71st Avenue and Court Square due to a track chip-out north of Queens Plaza. Customers should take the E or R instead.

N

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, September 20 to 5 a.m. Monday, September 22 (and weekends through October 6), Manhattan-bound N trains run on the D line from Coney Island-Stillwell Avenue to 36th Street (Brooklyn) due to track panel installation.

Q

From 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, September 20, Q trains run in two sections due to track rail and plate removal:

- Between 57th Street (Manhattan) and Brighton Beach and
- Between Brighton Beach and Coney Island-Stillwell Avenue

NR

The Cortlandt Street Station is closed until further notice while the Port Authority of New York and New Jersey continues to build on the WTC site.

Customers who rely on these lines should allow for additional travel time. For further information, customers should consult the Weekend Service Change notices posted in subway stations or call #3333 from any subway station telephone. Customers may also call NYC Transit's Travel Information Center at 718 330 1234 or log on at www.mta.info.