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### Free Shuttle Buses Replace 7 Line Service Between Flushing-Main Street and Mets-Willets Point

#### *Four Weekends of Switch Replacement Work*

MTA New York City Transit announces that in order to carry out switch replacement work in the area of the Mets-Willets Point 7 station, there will be no 7 line subway service between the Mets-Willets Point and Flushing-Main Street stations between 4 a.m. on Saturday and 10 p.m. on Sunday on the following weekends: March 26-27, April 2-3, April 16-17 and May 14-15.

Free shuttle buses will operate between the Mets-Willets Point and Flushing-Main Street stations on those weekends. Regular weekend 7 line service will operate between the Mets-Willets Point and Times Square-42nd Street stations while this work is underway.

In addition, during the weekday rush hours from March 23 until May 13, the last Manhattan-bound express train will leave Flushing-Main Street at 9 a.m. rather than 9:55 a.m.

Posters in four languages (English, Spanish, Chinese and Korean) will go up at all 7 line stations. In addition to on-board train and station announcements, Transit personnel will be on hand during the weekend to provide assistance and direct customers to alternate bus service.

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