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Service Advisory Weekend Subway Changes Affecting Service on the [^]1 2 4 5 6 A D F G L N Q R S

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 \$11.2 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.

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At all times until August 2011, Bronx-bound 1 trains skip Dyckman Street due to station rehabilitation. Customers may ride to 207th Street, use a *free* MetroCard transfer to the downtown 1 and ride back to Dyckman Street.

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From 11:30 p.m. Friday, March 18 to 5 a.m. Monday, March 21, 1 service is suspended between Van Cortlandt Park/242nd Street and 168th Street due to station renovations north of Dyckman Street. A trains, free shuttle buses and the M3 bus provide alternate service. Free shuttle buses run in two sections:

On Broadway between 242nd Street and the 207th Street A station
On St. Nicholas Avenue between 191st Street and 168th Street

2

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, March 19 to 5 a.m. Monday, March 21, Bronx-bound 2 trains skip Bronx Park East, Pelham Parkway, Allerton and Burke Avenues due to track circuit work at Bronx Park East.

4

During the late night hours, from 12:01 a.m. to 6:30 a.m. Saturday, March 19 and Sunday, March 20 and to 5 a.m. on Monday, March 21, Brooklyn-bound 4 trains skip Astor Place, Bleecker, Canal and Spring Streets due to work on the Broadway/Lafayette-to-Bleecker Street connection.

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From 5:30 a.m. to 11:30 p.m., Saturday, March 19 and from 7:30 a.m. to 11:30 p.m., Sunday, March 20, 5 trains run every 20 minutes between Dyre Avenue and Bowling Green due to work on the Broadway/Lafayette-to-Bleecker Street connection.

6

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, March 19 to 5 a.m. Monday, March 21, downtown 6 trains skip Astor Place, Bleecker, Spring and Canal Streets due to work on the Broadway/Lafayette-to-Bleecker Street connection.

6

At all times until October 2011, 6 trains skip Elder Avenue and St. Lawrence Avenue in both directions due to station rehabilitation. Customers may use the Bx4, Bx4A and Bx27 buses to transfer to nearby stations. (Overnight note: Free shuttle buses will operate between the Parkchester (6) and the Simpson Street (2) stations.

A, S (Rockaway Shuttle)

From 10:30 p.m. Friday, March 18 to 5 a.m. Monday, March 21, free shuttle buses replace A trains between Beach 90th Street and Far Rockaway due to station renovations. A trains replace the Rockaway Shuttle S between Broad Channel and Rockaway Park. (At all times until early summer, Manhattan-bound A platforms at Beach 36th Street and Beach 60th Street are closed due to station rehabilitation.)

D

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, March 19 to 5 a.m. Monday, March 21, Brooklyn-bound D trains run on the N line from 36th Street to Coney Island-Stillwell Avenue due to track panel installation between 50th Street and 55th Street. There are no Brooklyn-bound D trains stopping at 9th Avenue, Ft. Hamilton Parkway, 50th, 55th, 71st, 79th Streets, 18th and 20th Avenues, Bay Parkway, 25th Avenue and Bay 50th Street stations.

F

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, March 19 to 5 a.m. Monday, March 21, Brooklyn-bound F trains skip 23rd and 14th Streets due to substation rehabilitation and platform edge replacement at 34th Street.

F

At all times until May 2011, Manhattan-bound F trains skip Smith-9th Sts, Ft. Hamilton Parkway and 15th Street-Prospect Park due to the Culver Viaduct

Rehabilitation Project.

G

At all times until May 2011, Queens-bound G trains skip Ft. Hamilton Parkway and 15th Street-Prospect Park due to the Culver Viaduct Rehabilitation Project.

L

From 5:30 a.m. to 6 p.m., Saturday, March 19 and Sunday, March 20, free shuttle buses replace L trains between Broadway Junction and Rockaway Parkway due to electrical work.

N

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, March 19 to 5 a.m. Monday, March 21, there are no N trains between Manhattan and Queens. N trains run in two sections:

Between Ditmars Blvd and Queensboro Plaza and
Between Times Square (daytime) or 57th Street-7th Avenue (nighttime) and Coney Island/Stillwell Avenue.

These changes are due to plate and rail installation, electrical and cable work. For service between Queensboro Plaza and Times Square, customers may take the 7 instead.

Q

At all times until Fall 2011, the Manhattan-bound Q platforms at Avenue M and Avenue H stations are closed for rehabilitation.

Q

From 11:30 p.m. Friday, March 18 to 5 a.m. Monday, March 21, there are no Q trains between 57th Street/7th Avenue and Prospect Park in either direction due to track work north of Atlantic Avenue and switch work south of Atlantic Avenue. For service between 57th Street/7th Avenue and Atlantic Ave-Pacific Street, customers should use the N or R. Free shuttle buses provide service between Atlantic Avenue and Prospect Park.

R

From 6:30 a.m. to midnight, Saturday, March 19 and Sunday, March 20, R trains are rerouted to the F line between Queens and Manhattan due to plate and rail installation. Trains make R stops between Forest Hills-71st Avenue and 36th Street in Queens and F stops between 21st Street-Queensbridge and Lexington Avenue/63rd Street, then resume on the R line at 57th Street/7th Avenue. For service to and from Queens Plaza, Lexington Avenue/59th Street and 5th Avenue/59th Street, customers may use the E, F, 4 or 6 instead.

S (Rockaway Shuttle)

From 11 p.m. Friday, March 18 to 5 a.m. Monday, March 21, A trains replace the Rockaway Shuttle S between Broad Channel and Rockaway Park due to station renovations. (See A service above.)

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. Customers may also call NYC Transit's Travel Information Center at 718 330 1234 or log on at www.mta.info.