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

Two Other Manhattan-bound Platforms Scheduled to Close in February

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.

1

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.

1

From 11 p.m. Friday, February 11 to 5 a.m. Monday, February 14, uptown 1 trains skip 50th Street, 59th Street-Columbus Circle and 66th Street due to switch renewal north of Times Square. Customers traveling to these stations may take the 1 or 2 train to 72nd Street and transfer to a downtown 1. Customers at these stations traveling uptown may take a downtown 1 or 2 train to Times Square-42nd Street and transfer to an uptown 1 or 2.

2

During the weekend overnight hours from 11 p.m. to 6:30 a.m. (to 5 a.m. on Monday), uptown 2 trains skip 50th Street, 59th Street-Columbus Circle and 66th Street due to switch renewal north of Times Square. Customers traveling to these stations may take the 1 or 2 train to 72nd Street and transfer to a downtown 1. Customers at these stations traveling uptown may take a downtown 1 or 2 train to Times Square-42nd Street and transfer to an uptown 1 or 2.

4

During the weekend overnight hours from 12:01 a.m. to 6:30 a.m. (to 5 a.m. on Monday), downtown 4 trains skip Astor Place, Bleecker, Spring and Canal Streets due to work on the Broadway/Lafayette-to-Bleecker Street transfer connection.

5

From 5:30 a.m. to 11:30 p.m., Saturday, February 12 and from 7:30 a.m. to 11:30 p.m., Sunday, February 13, 5 trains run every 20 minutes between Dyre Avenue and Bowling Green due to work on the Broadway/Lafayette-to-Bleecker Street transfer connection.

6

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, February 12 to 5 a.m. Monday, February 14, downtown 6 trains skip Astor Place, Bleecker, Spring and Canal Streets due to work on the Broadway/Lafayette-to-Bleecker Street transfer connection.

A

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, February 12 to 5 a.m. Monday, February 14, there are no A trains at Fulton Street in either direction due to work on the Fulton Street Transit Center.

A

Beginning Monday, February 14 until early summer, Manhattan-bound A trains skip Beach 36th Street and Beach 60th Street due to station rehabilitation.

A

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, February 12 to 5 a.m. Monday, February 14, Manhattan-bound A trains run on the F line from Jay Street-MetroTech to West 4th Street, then local to 59th Street due to cable, platform edge, tile and stair work at the Fulton Street Transit Center. Manhattan-bound trains skip High Street, Chambers Street, Canal Street and Spring Street. Customers traveling to these stations should take the A or C to West 4th Street and transfer to a downtown A or C. Customers traveling from these stations may take the A or C to Jay Street-MetroTech and transfer to the Manhattan-bound A or C.

C

From 6:30 a.m. to midnight, Saturday, February 12 and Sunday, February 13, there are no C trains at Fulton Street in either direction due to work on the Fulton Street Transit Center.

C

From 6:30 a.m. to midnight, Saturday, February 12 and Sunday, February 13, Manhattan-bound C trains run on the F line from Jay Street-MetroTech to West 4th Street due to cable, platform edge, tile and stair work at the Fulton Street Transit Center. Manhattan-bound trains skip High Street, Chambers Street, Canal Street and Spring Street.

D

From 4 a.m. Saturday, February 12 to 10 p.m. Sunday, February 13, Brooklyn-bound trains run on the N line from 36th Street to 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.

D

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, February 12 to 5 a.m. Monday, February 14, Manhattan-bound D trains run express from 36th Street to Pacific Street, then skips DeKalb Avenue due to repair of pumping equipment.

D

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, February 12 to 5 a.m. Monday, February 14, D trains run local between 34th Street and West 4th Street due to work on the 5th Avenue Interlocking Signal System.

E

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, February 12 to 5 a.m. Monday, February 14, E trains run on the F line between Roosevelt Avenue and 34th Street-6th Avenue due to work on the 5th Avenue Interlocking Signal System. The platforms at 5th Avenue-53rd Street, Lexington Avenue-53rd Street and 23rd Street-Ely Avenue are closed. Customers may take the R, G or shuttle bus. Free shuttle buses connect Court Square (G)/23rd Street-Ely Avenue (E), Queens Plaza (R) and the 21st Street-Queensbridge (F) stations. Note: There are no E trains at or between Queens Plaza and World Trade Center stations.

F

At all times until May 2011, Manhattan-bound F trains skip Smith-9th Sts due to the Culver Viaduct Rehabilitation Project. To reach this station, customers may take a Manhattan-bound F to 7th Avenue and transfer to a Queens-bound G. To travel from this station, customers may take a Queens-bound G to Carroll Street and transfer to the F.

F

At all times until May 2011, Manhattan-bound F trains skip Ft. Hamilton Parkway and 15th Street-Prospect Park due to the Culver Viaduct Rehabilitation Project. To travel to these stations, customers may take the F to 7th Avenue and transfer to a Brooklyn-bound F. Traveling from these stations, customers may take a Brooklyn-bound F train to Church Avenue and transfer to a Manhattan-bound F.

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. Traveling to these stations, customers may take the G to 7th Avenue and transfer to a Church Avenue-bound G. Traveling from these stations, customers may take a Church Avenue-bound G train to Church Avenue and transfer to a Queens-bound G.

G

Overnight, from 11 p.m. Friday, February 11 to 6 a.m. Saturday, February 12, G trains run in two sections due to cable replacements;

Between Court Square and Bedford-Nostrand Aves *and*

Between Bedford-Nostrand Aves and Hoyt-Schermerhorn Sts.

There are no G trains at Bergen St, Carroll St, Smith-9th Sts, 4th Av-9th St, 7th Av, 15th St-Prospect Park, Ft. Hamilton Parkway, and Church Av. Customers may take the A and F instead.

M

From 6 a.m. to 8 p.m., Saturday, February 12 and Sunday, February 13, M trains skip Fresh Pond Road in both directions due to platform edge repair. Customers should use the Forest Avenue station instead. Free connections are available to the Q58, B13 and B20 buses.

N

During the overnight hours from 12:01 a.m. to 6:30 a.m. (to 5 a.m. on Monday), N trains run over the Manhattan Bridge between Canal Street and DeKalb Avenue due to repair of pumping equipment south of DeKalb Av. and installation of platform tiles at Cortlandt Street.

N

From 4 a.m. Saturday, February 12 to 10 p.m. Sunday, February 13, Manhattan-bound N trains skip 30th Av, Broadway, 36th Av and 39th Av due to track panel installation from Astoria Blvd to 36th Avenue.

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 12:01 a.m. Saturday, February 12 to 5 a.m. Monday, February 14, Manhattan-bound Q trains run on the R line from DeKalb Av. to Canal Street making station stops at Jay Street-MetroTech, Court Street, Whitehall Street, Rector Street, Cortlandt Street and City Hall due to the repair of pumping equipment south of DeKalb Av.

R

From 6:30 a.m. to midnight, Saturday, February 12 and Sunday, February 13, R trains run over the Manhattan Bridge between Canal Street and DeKalb Avenue due to repair of pumping equipment south of DeKalb Av. and installation of platform tiles at Cortlandt Street.

There are no N or R trains at City Hall, Rector Street, Whitehall Street, Court Street, and Jay Street-MetroTech stations. For Brooklyn-bound service, customers should use the 4 at nearby stations. For Manhattan-bound service, customers should use the Q instead. Note: Manhattan-bound N and R trains run express from 36th Street to Pacific Street, then skip DeKalb Avenue.

S

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, February 12 to 5 a.m. Monday, February 14, the 42nd Street S Shuttle is suspended due to switch renewal north of Times Square. Customers should use the 7 instead.

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.