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Weekend Subway Service Advisory for Changes Affecting 1 2 4 5 6 7 A C D F G L M N Q R S

Customers may visit our website at www.mta.info and check out "The Weekender," which takes over the front page of MTA.info each weekend. The Weekender makes it easy for subway riders to visualize exactly how weekend work will affect subway service. In addition, TripPlanner+ provides travel information that takes weekend service diversions into account.

These weekend changes are taking place because of capital construction work on the MTA New York City Transit subway system. This work is part of NYC Transit's ongoing 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. For more information on the 2010-2014 Capital Program log on to www.mta.info/capital.

Customers who rely on these lines should allow for additional travel time.

1

At all times until summer 2012, 1 trains bypass the downtown platform at Dyckman Street due to station rehabilitation. Customers wishing to travel downtown are advised to take the uptown 1 train from Dyckman Street to 207th Street and use a free MetroCard transfer to the downtown side.

From 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Sunday, March 4, downtown 1 trains skip 125th, 116th, 110th and 103rd Streets due to switch repairs near 137th Street.

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From 4 a.m. Saturday, March 3 to 10 p.m. Sunday, March 4, downtown 2 trains run express from East 180th Street to 3rd Avenue-149th Street due to track panel installation at East 180th Street.

4

From 12:01 a.m. to 6:30 a.m., Saturday, March 3 and Sunday, March 4 and from 12:01 a.m. to 5 a.m. Monday, March 5, uptown 4 trains run express from Brooklyn Bridge to 14th Street-Union Square due to work on the Broadway/Lafayette-to-Bleecker Street transfer connection and station painting at Astor Place and Spring Street.

From 10 p.m. Friday, March 2 to 5 a.m. Monday, March 5, downtown 4 trains run local from 125th to Grand Central-42nd Street due to work on the Broadway/Lafayette-to-Bleecker Street transfer connection and station painting at Astor Place and Spring Street.

From 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., Sunday, March 4, uptown 4 trains skip 138th Street-Grand Concourse due to track and platform edge survey at 149th Street.

5

From 6 a.m. to 11 p.m., Saturday, March 3 and from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m., Sunday, March 4, downtown 5 trains run express from East 180th Street to 3rd Avenue-Grand Concourse due to track panel installation at East 180th Street.

From 6 a.m. to 11 p.m., Saturday, March 3 and from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m., Sunday, March 4, downtown 5 trains run local from 125th Street to Grand Central-42nd Street due to work on the Broadway/Lafayette-to-Bleecker Street transfer connection and station painting at Astor Place and Spring Street.

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From 10 p.m. Friday, March 2 to 5 a.m. Monday, March 5, uptown 6 trains run express from Brooklyn Bridge to 14th Street-Union Square due to work on the Broadway/Lafayette-to-Bleecker Street transfer connection and station painting at Astor Place and Spring Street.

7

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, March 3 to 5 a.m. Monday, March 5, there are no 7 trains between Times Square-42nd Street and Queensboro Plaza due to track panel installation and CBTC work south of Queensboro Plaza, ADA work at Court Square and station renewal at Hunters Point Avenue. Customers should take the N, R, E or F between Manhattan and Queens. Free shuttle buses operate between Vernon Blvd-Jackson Avenue and Queensboro Plaza. In Manhattan, the 42nd Street shuttle (S) operates overnight. (Repeats next four weekends through March 31-Apr 2.)

A, C

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, March 3 to 5 a.m. Monday, March 5, A trains run local in both directions between 145th Street and 168th Street **and** from 6:30 a.m. to 11 p.m., Saturday, March 3, and Sunday, March 4, there is no C train service between 145th Street and 168th Street due to track maintenance. Customers should take the A instead.

A

From 11 p.m. Friday, March 2 to 4:45 a.m. Monday, March 5, free shuttle buses replace A trains between Beach 90th Street and Far Rockaway due to track panel installation between Beach 67th and Beach 60th Streets.

D

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, March 3 to 5 a.m. Monday, March 5, Brooklyn-bound D trains run via the N line from 36th Street to Coney Island-Stillwell Avenue due to station and line structure rehabilitation near 9th Avenue. Note: Free transfers are available at New Utrecht Avenue-62nd Street with MetroCards. This out-of-system transfer at street level via new Utrecht Avenue is available until May 2012. Look for instructions on station signs.

F, G

At all times until spring 2012, F and G trains skip Smith-9th Sts. in both directions due to station rehabilitation. Customers may use the **B61** for connections between Smith-9th Sts. station and 4th Avenue-9th Street station, where F, G and R trains are available. Customers may also use the **B57** bus for connections between Smith-9th Sts. station and Carroll Street station, where F and G trains are available.

At all times until spring 2012, Brooklyn-bound F and Church Avenue-bound G trains skip 15th Street-Prospect Park and Fort Hamilton Parkway due to Culver Viaduct rehabilitation. To get to these stations take the Brooklyn-bound F to Church Avenue and transfer to a Manhattan-bound F or Queens-bound G. Leaving these stations, customer should take a Manhattan-bound F or a Queens-bound G to 7th Avenue and transfer to a Brooklyn-bound F.

L

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, March 3 to 5 a.m. Monday, March 5, there is no L train service between Broadway Junction and 8th Avenue due to signal removal. The M train, M14 bus and free shuttle buses provide alternate service.

- M service is extended to the 57th Street F station.
- Customers may take to M14 bus between 1st Avenue and 8th Avenue
- Free shuttle buses operate in three sections:

1. Between Broadway Junction and Myrtle-Wyckoff Avs.
2. Between Myrtle-Wyckoff Avs and Lorimer Street-Metropolitan Avenue (G)
3. Between Lorimer Street-Metropolitan Ave (G) and Marcy Ave (J, M)

Note: Manhattan-bound customers may transfer to the A, C or J train at Broadway Junction or the M at Myrtle-Wyckoff Avs or Marcy Ave.

M

From 6 a.m. to 12 midnight, Saturday, March 3 and from 8 a.m. to 11 p.m., Sunday, March 4, M service is extended to the 57th Street (F) station due to L suspension.

N

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, March 3 to 5 a.m. Monday, March 5, uptown N trains skip Prince, 8th, 23rd and 28th Sts. due to rail repairs.

Q

From 7 a.m. to 9 p.m., Saturday, March 3 and from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Sunday, March 4, service is extended to Ditmars Blvd. due to work on the 7 line.

R

From 6:30 a.m. to 12 midnight, Saturday, March 3 and Sunday, March 4, uptown R trains skip Prince, 8th, 23rd and 28th Sts. due to rail repairs.

S

From 11 p.m. Friday, March 2 to 4:45 a.m., Monday, March 5, A trains replace the S shuttle between Broad Channel and Rockaway Park due to track panel installation between Beach 67th and Beach 60th Streets. Free shuttle buses replace A service between Beach 90th Street and Far Rockaway.

S (42nd Street Shuttle)

From 12:01 a.m. to 6 a.m., Saturday, March 3, Sunday, March 4 and Monday, March 5, 42nd Street operates all night, every 10 minutes, due to the 7 line suspension between Queens and Manhattan.

