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Weekend Subway Service Advisory for Changes Affecting 2 3 4 5 6 A C D F G J M N Q R

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.

The Weekender for Mobile in the Apple app store is available now for iPhone; this free-to-download app shares the same features as the desktop version, including a subway diagram that displays the service to be provided each weekend, and all service changes. Using the most-popular features of the iOS system, users can pinch or expand the map to multiple zoom levels, and tap to choose one of three ways to view service diversions: Service by Line, Service by Borough, Service by Station at <http://mta.info/apps/weekenderApp.html>

These weekend changes are necessary 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.**

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From 4 a.m. Saturday, September 8 to 10 p.m. Sunday, September 9, downtown 2 trains run express from East 180th Street to 3rd Avenue-149th Street due to track panel installation south of Prospect Avenue.

3

From 6 a.m. Saturday, September 8 to 10 p.m. Sunday, September 9, there is no 3 train service between Franklin Avenue and New Lots Avenue due to switch renewal south of New Lots Avenue and track panel installation at Sutter Avenue. 4 trains and free shuttle buses provide alternate service. 3 trains run between 148th Street and Franklin Avenue and via the 2 line between Franklin Avenue and Flatbush Avenue

- Take 4 trains between Franklin Avenue and Utica Avenue (trains make local stops)
- Transfer between the 3 and 4 trains at Franklin Avenue
- Free shuttle buses operate between Utica Avenue and New Lots Avenue
- Transfer between 4 trains and free shuttle buses at Utica Avenue

Reminder: From 12:01 a.m. to 6 a.m., the 3 operates between 148th Street and Times Square-42nd Street only.

4

From 4 a.m. Saturday, September 8 to 10 p.m. Sunday, September 9, there are no 4 trains between Utica Avenue and New Lots Avenue due to switch renewal south of New Lots Avenue and track panel installation at Sutter Avenue. Free shuttle buses provide alternate service.

- 4 operates between Woodlawn and Utica Avenue, making local stops between Franklin Avenue and Utica Avenue
- Transfer between trains and free shuttle buses at Utica Avenue

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, September 8 to 5 a.m. Monday, September 10, downtown 4 trains skip 138th Street-Grand Concourse due to station rehabilitation at 149th Street-Grand Concourse.

5

From 6 a.m. to 11 p.m., Saturday, September 8 and Sunday, September 9, there are no 5 trains between East 180th Street and Bowling Green due to track panel installation south of Prospect Avenue. 5 trains operate between Dyre Avenue and East 180th Street.

For service between:

- East 180th Street and 149th Street-Grand Concourse, take the 2 instead.
- 149th Street-Grand Concourse and Bowling Green, take the 4 instead.

Note: Downtown 2 trains run express from East 180th Street to 3rd Avenue-149th Street.

6

From 12:01 a.m. Sunday, September 9 to 5 a.m. Monday, September 10, uptown 6 trains run express from 3rd Avenue-138th Street to Parkchester due to ADA work at Hunts Point Avenue.

A

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, September 8 to 5 a.m. Monday, September 10, Manhattan-bound A trains are rerouted via the F line from Jay Street-MetroTech to West 4th Street, then run local to 59th Street-Columbus Circle due to track work from High Street to Fulton Street.

From 12:01 a.m. to 6 a.m., Saturday, September 8 and Sunday, September 9 and from 12:01 a.m. to 5 a.m., Monday, September 10, F trains replace A shuttle service between Euclid Avenue and Lefferts Blvd. due to Culver Viaduct rehabilitation work and tunnel lighting installation. Service to/from Far Rockaway is not affected.

C

From 6:30 a.m. to midnight, Saturday, September 8 and Sunday, September 9, there is no C train service between Manhattan and Brooklyn due to Culver Viaduct rehabilitation work and tunnel lighting installation.

- C trains are rerouted via the F line between West 4th Street and 2nd Avenue, the last stop.
- To/from Spring Street, Canal Street and Chambers Street, take the A or E instead.
- To/from Brooklyn, take the A or F instead.
- F trains are rerouted via the C between Jay Street-MetroTech and Euclid Avenue.
- Uptown A trains are rerouted via the F from Jay Street-MetroTech to West 4th Street.

D

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, September 8 to 5 a.m. Monday, September 10, D trains run local in both directions between 36th Street (Brooklyn) and DeKalb Avenue due to Culver Viaduct rehabilitation work and tunnel lighting installation.

F

From 11:30 p.m. Friday, September 7 to 5 a.m. Monday, September 10, there is no F train service between Jay Street-MetroTech and 18th Avenue due to Culver Viaduct rehabilitation work and tunnel lighting installation. F trains operate in two sections:

- Between 179th Street and Jay Street-MetroTech and then rerouted via the C line to/from Euclid Avenue*
- Between 18th Avenue and Coney Island-Stillwell Avenue

Free shuttle buses operate in three sections:

- Between Jay Street-MetroTech and 18th Avenue, making stops at Church Avenue and Ditmas Avenue only
- Between Jay Street-MetroTech and 4th Avenue-9th Street, making stops at Bergen Street, Carroll Street and Smith-9th Sts
- Between 4th Avenue-9th St and Church Avenue, making stops at 7th Avenue, 15th Street-Prospect Park and Ft. Hamilton Parkway

****From 12:01 a.m. to 6a.m. nightly, the F operates to/from Lefferts Blvd, replacing the A shuttle service.***

G

From 11:30 p.m. Friday, September 7 to 5 a.m. Monday, September 10, there are no G trains between Hoyt-Schermerhorn Sts and Church Avenue due to Culver Viaduct rehabilitation work and tunnel lighting installation. Customers may take the A or F for connecting service between Hoyt-Schermerhorn Sts and Jay Street-MetroTech. G trains operate in two sections:

- Between Court Square and Bedford-Nostrand Aves
- Between Bedford-Nostrand Aves and Hoyt-Schermerhorn Sts, every 20 minutes

F, G

At all times until Fall 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.

J

From 4 a.m. Saturday, September 8 to 10 p.m. Sunday, September 9, there is no J train service between Crescent Street and Jamaica Center due to structural steel repair and painting north of Cypress Hills. J trains operate between Chambers Street and Crescent Street. Free shuttle buses and E trains provide alternate service.

- Free shuttle buses operate between Crescent Street and 121st Street, and connect with the E at Jamaica-Van Wyck, where service to/from Sutphin Blvd and Jamaica Center is available.

M

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, September 8 to 5 a.m. Monday, September 10, M service is suspended due to station renewal work at Fresh Pond Road, Forest, Seneca, Knickerbocker and Central Avenues. Free shuttle buses operate between Metropolitan Avenue and Myrtle Avenue, making all station stops.

N

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, September 8 to 5 a.m. Monday, September 10, downtown N trains run express from 34th Street-Herald Square to Canal Street due to track work at 14th Street.

Q

From 10 p.m. Friday, September 7 to 5 a.m. Monday, September 10, uptown Q trains run local from Canal Street to 34th Street-Herald Square due to electronic systems installation at Herald Square.

R

From 6:30 a.m. to midnight, Saturday, September 8 and Sunday, September 9, downtown R trains run express from 34th Street-Herald Square to Canal Street due to track work at 14th Street.