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Weekend Subway Service Advisory

For Changes Affecting 2 3 4 5 7 A C E 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 and 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.

2

From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, July 6 to 5 a.m. Monday, July 8, downtown 2 trains run local from 96th Street to Chambers Street and uptown 2 trains run local from 14th Street to 96th Street due to component replacement work at the 34th Street-Penn station compressor plant.

3

From 11:45 p.m. Friday, July 5 to 6:30 a.m. Saturday, July 6, from 11:45 p.m. Saturday, July 6 to 6:30 a.m. Sunday, July 7 and from 11:45 p.m. Sunday, July 7 to 5 a.m. Monday, July 8, 3 service is suspended due to component replacement work at the 34th Street-Penn station compressor plant. Customers should take the 2 and free shuttle buses instead. Free shuttle buses operate between 135th Street and 148th Street.

3

From 6 a.m. to 11:30 p.m., Saturday, July 6 and Sunday, July 7, downtown 3 trains run local from 96th Street to Chambers Street and uptown 3 trains run local from 14th Street to 96th Street due to component replacement work at the 34th Street-Penn station compressor plant.

4

From 11:45 p.m. Friday, July 5 to 5 a.m. Monday, July 8, Woodlawn-bound 4 trains skip 138th Street-Grand Concourse due to station painting.

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From 6 a.m. to 11 p.m., Saturday, July 6 and Sunday, July 7, Dyre Avenue-bound 5 trains skip 138th Street-Grand Concourse due to station painting.

7

From 11:45 p.m. Friday, July 5 to 5 a.m. Monday, July 8, Main Street-bound 7 trains run express from Queensboro Plaza to Mets-Willets Point due to installation of signal cables, equipment and track ties for Flushing CBTC and track panel installation between 52nd Street and 61st Street-Woodside.

A

From 11:45 p.m. Friday, July 5 to 5 a.m. Monday, July 8, Queens-bound A trains run local from 59th Street-Columbus Circle to West 4th Street, then are rerouted via the F line to Jay Street-MetroTech due to asbestos abatement south of Chambers Street.

C

From 6:30 a.m. to midnight, Saturday, July 6 and Sunday, July 7, Brooklyn-bound C trains are rerouted via the F line from West 4th Street to Jay Street-MetroTech due to asbestos abatement south of Chambers Street.

E

From 11:45 p.m. Friday, July 5 to 5 a.m. Monday, July 8, downtown E trains run express from 34th Street-Penn Station to Canal Street due to asbestos abatement south of Chambers Street.

F

From 11:45 p.m. Friday, July 5 to 5 a.m. Monday, July 8, Coney Island-bound F trains are rerouted via the M line after 36th Street, Queens to 47th-50th Sts due to station work at Lexington Avenue-63rd Street for the Second Avenue Subway Project.

F

From 11:45 p.m. Friday, July 5 to 5 a.m. Monday, July 8, Jamaica-bound F trains run express from West 4th Street to 34th Street-Herald Square due to track tie renewal at 23rd Street, 34th Street-Herald Square and 42nd Street-Bryant Park.

FIX & FORTIFY

Sandy Recovery Work for 12 Weekends beginning July 5-8 until the end of 2013:

Fix & Fortify work will repair the under river Greenpoint tube and the delicate equipment that was submerged, while reinforcing the system to make it less vulnerable to future severe weather events.

G

From 11:45 p.m. Friday, July 5 to 5 a.m. Monday, July 8, there is no G train service between Court Square and Nassau Avenue. G trains operate between Nassau Avenue and Church Avenue. There is no G service at Greenpoint Avenue, 21st Street and Court Square.

Free shuttle buses operate on two routes:

1. Via Manhattan Avenue between Nassau Avenue G and Court Square
2. Via McGuinness Blvd between Lorimer Street L and Court Square

Customers may transfer between:

- G trains and shuttle buses at Nassau Avenue
- L trains and shuttle buses at Lorimer Street
- E, M, and 7 trains and shuttle buses at Court Square

J

From 3:45 a.m. Saturday, July 6 to 10 p.m. Sunday, July 7, Jamaica Center-bound J trains run express from Myrtle Avenue to Broadway Junction due to track panel installation at Kosciusko Street.

M

From 11:45 p.m. Friday, July 5 to 5 a.m. Monday, July 8, 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. (**Note:** At all times until late August 2013, M trains bypass Central Avenue in both directions due to station rehabilitation work at Central Avenue.)

N

From 11:30 p.m. Friday, July 5 to 6:30 a.m. Saturday, July 6, from 11:30 p.m. Saturday, July 6 to 6:30 a.m. Sunday, July 7 and from 11:30 p.m. Sunday, July 7 to 5 a.m. Monday, July 8, N trains are rerouted via the Q line in both directions between Canal Street and DeKalb Avenue due to work in the Montague tube. (See R entry.)

Q

From 10:45 p.m. Friday, July 5 to 5 a.m. Monday, July 8, Manhattan-bound Q trains run express from Sheepshead Bay to Kings Highway due to track panel work at Sheepshead Bay.

Q

From 11:45 p.m. Friday, July 5 to 5 a.m. Monday, July 8, Manhattan-bound Q trains run express from Kings Highway to Prospect Park due to station rehabilitation at Parkside Avenue, Beverly Road and Cortelyou Road.

R

From 6:30 a.m. to 11 p.m., Saturday, July 6 and Sunday, July 7, R trains are rerouted via the Q line in both directions between Canal Street and DeKalb Avenue due to work in the Montague tube.

- No N or R trains at City Hall, Cortlandt Street, Rector Street, Whitehall Street, Court Street and Jay Street-Metro Tech.
- Customers should use the 4 at nearby stations.
