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IMMEDIATE

Buses Replace Trains from Ronkonkoma to Greenport for Track Work Monday, Columbus Day, October 13, from 7 AM to 6:45 PM

LIRR Will Be Renewing Grade Crossings and Installing New Railroad Ties

Buses will replace trains between Ronkonkoma and Greenport on Columbus Day, Monday, October 14 so that Long Island Rail Road workers can renew of grade crossings and install new railroad ties along the single track route.

The Columbus Day outage is an extension of the shorter Monday to Friday midday outage currently in effect for this track work program. On Columbus Day, train service will be suspended at 7AM and the buses will operate until the work is completed and train service resumes with the departure of the 6:53 PM eastbound train from Ronkonkoma. In all, four eastbound and three westbound trains are being replaced by bus service.

Westbound

Customers will board buses at stations Greenport through Medford up to 10 minutes earlier than normal train departure times for travel to Ronkonkoma where they will board to continue their journey west.

Eastbound

Customers will board buses at Ronkonkoma for stations Medford through Greenport.

For More Information

For additional information, customers can consult the LIRR's website at www.mta.info/lirr or contact the LIRR's Travel Information Center by calling 511, the New York State Travel Information Line, and say: Long Island Rail Road. If you are deaf or hard of hearing, use your preferred relay service provider for the free 711 relay to reach LIRR at 511