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Weekend Subway Service Advisory

*Service Changes are Part of Subway Action Plan,
Station Repairs and Other Ongoing Maintenance,*

*Repair and Upgrade Work for Improvements on the
1 2 3 4 5 6 A B C D E F G J L M N Q R S W lines*

These weekend service changes are part of the [MTA Subway Action Plan](#), the Enhanced Station Initiative in Queens and Manhattan and ongoing maintenance, repair and upgrade work throughout the MTA New York City Transit subway system. These programs maintain and upgrade track, signal, station and other infrastructure in order to provide MTA customers with safe and reliable service. More information on the 2015-2019 Capital Program is available [here](#).

This weekend, work crews will be dispersed throughout the entire subway system to perform a variety of critical tasks in the areas of track replacement and maintenance, signal modernization, station enhancements, electrical upgrades and communication improvements. All of this work is aligned with the MTA Subway Action Plan, a comprehensive plan to stabilize and modernize the subway system by attacking the key drivers of 79 percent of delay-causing major incidents and strategically targeting additional personnel and equipment to focus on critical parts of the system.

For a simple, graphical guide that makes it easy to visualize how this weekend maintenance, upgrade and repair work will affect subway service – and what alternative travel options are recommended – consult [The Weekender at web.mta.info/weekender.html](#). The Weekender is accessible through the [MTA website](#) by clicking the “Weekender” tab within the Service Status Menu, and is also available as a free app for iPhone and Android devices.

[TripPlanner+](#) is an online tool that provides customized travel guidance based on available service and takes weekend service diversions into account. In addition, customers can receive customized subway status emails or texts by signing up at [www.MyMTAalerts.com](#).

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From 3:30 a.m. Saturday, June 30 to 10 p.m. Sunday, July 1, **1** service is suspended in both directions between 137 St and 242 St due to track replacement. For alternate service take the A, M3, M100 and shuttle buses. **1** trains will run between South Ferry and 137 St. Free shuttle buses provide alternate service along four routes. Use the **A** to nearby stations via transfer at 59 St **1 A**, 168 St **A**, or 207 St **A**.

1 2

From 9:45 p.m. Friday, June 29 to 5 a.m. Monday, July 2, downtown **1 2** trains run express from 96 St to Times Sq-42 St due to track replacement. Use an uptown **1** or **2** to complete your trip. Transfer at Times Sq-42 St, 72 St, or 96 St.

1 2

From 9:45 p.m. Friday, June 29 to 5 a.m. Monday, July 2, uptown **1 2** trains run express from Chambers St to 14 St due to track maintenance. Use a downtown **1** or **2** to complete your trip. Transfer at 14 St or Chambers St.

2

From 5:45 a.m. to 8 p.m. Saturday, June 30 and Sunday, July 1, Wakefield-241 St bound **2** trains skip Bronx Park East, Pelham Pkwy, Allerton Av, and Burke Av due to track replacement. Use a Manhattan-bound **2** to complete your trip. Transfer at Gun Hill Rd or E 180 St.

3

From 9:45 p.m. Friday, June 29 to 5 a.m. Monday, July 2, **3** service runs to/from New Lots Av all weekend due to track maintenance.

4

From 9:45 p.m. Friday, June 29 to 5 a.m. Monday, July 2, **4** service is suspended in both directions between Brooklyn Bridge-City Hall in Manhattan and Crown Hts-Utica Av/New Lots Av in Brooklyn due to drain cleaning as part of the Subway Action Plan. Take the **2 3 D J N Q** or **R**. **4** service will

operate between Woodlawn and Brooklyn Bridge-City, making local stops. **3** service will extend to/from New Lots Av all weekend. For service between Brooklyn and Manhattan, take the **D N Q** or **R**.

5

From 6:30 a.m. to 11 p.m. Saturday, June 30 and from 8:30 a.m. to 11 p.m. Sunday, July 1, **5** service is suspended in both directions between Grand Central-42 St and Bowling Green due to drain cleaning as part of the Subway Action Plan. **5** trains will run every 20 minutes between E 180 St and Grand Central-42 St, making local stops. Use the **4 6** or **R** to complete your trip via transfer at Grand Central-42 St or Canal St. As a reminder, **4** trains will not stop Fulton St, Wall St, and Bowling Green. For service between Manhattan and Brooklyn transfer to the **N R** or **Q** at Union Square-14 St or Canal Street in Manhattan, or Atlantic-Barclays Ctr in Brooklyn.

5

From 11:45 p.m. Friday, June 29 to 5 a.m. Monday, July 2, **5** service is suspended in both directions between Eastchester-Dyre Av and E 180 St due to track replacement. **5** trains will run days/evenings between E 180 St and Grand Central-42 St, making all local station stops. Free shuttle buses will make all **5** line stations stops between Eastchester-Dyre Av and E 180 St all weekend. Transfer between free shuttle buses and **5** trains at E 180 St.

6

From 9:45 p.m. Friday, June 29, to 5 a.m. Monday, July 2, Pelham Bay Park-bound **6** trains run express from 3 Av-138 St to Parkchester due to track replacement at Hunts Point Av. Use a Brooklyn Bridge-City Hall bound **6** train to complete your trip. Transfer at Parkchester, Hunts Point Av, or 3 Av-138 St.

A C

At all times until September 2018 **A C** trains skip 163 St-Amsterdam Av in both directions due to MTA's Enhanced Station Initiative project. When this project is completed, customers will benefit from critical structural and safety repairs and improvements to concrete and steel features such as columns, beams, platforms, walls and stairs. There will also be other improvements and upgrades such as improved waterproofing, a reconfigured mezzanine area including new glass barriers, new security cameras, LED lighting for increased light and energy efficiency, and enhanced signage for easier navigation including digital, real-time service change and train and bus arrival information. For alternate service during this closure, use the nearby 168 St **A C**, 155 St **A C**, or 157 St **1** instead. Use M3, M100 or M101 buses and transfer to the **A C** at 168 St or 155 St with MetroCard. Need to transfer to another bus? Ask the M3, M100 or M101 driver for a MetroCard Bus Transfer which is valid on your next local bus ride within two hours. On your return trip, ask the station agent at 168 St or 155 St for a transfer to the bus.

A C

From 9:45 p.m. Friday, June 29, to 5 a.m. Monday, July 2, uptown **A C** trains run express from 59 St-Columbus Circle to 125 St due to station enhancements. Use a downtown **A** local or **C** to complete your trip. Transfer at 125 St or 59 St-Columbus Circle. As a reminder, **C** trains do not run overnight.

A S

At all times beginning 11:45 p.m. Sunday, July 1 to Monday, September 3, **A** service will be suspended in both directions between Broad Channel and Far Rockaway-Mott Av due to a [flood protection project in the Rockaways](#) that will make critical subway infrastructure more resilient in the face of future storms, and improve the overall reliability of subway service on the peninsula. During this closure, **A** service will operate between Inwood-207 St and Broad Channel, and via the **S** to/from Rockaway Park-Beach 116 St. **S** shuttle trains will run between Rockaway Park-Beach 116 St and Beach 90 St, and via the **A** to/from Far Rockaway-Mott Av. For Far Rockaway/Mott Av-bound service take the **S** via transfer at Beach 90 St. For a graphical guide to these alternate travel directions, click [here](#).

B

Beginning 8:30 p.m. Friday, June 29, **B** service will end early due to station enhancements at 86 St and 110 St. Take the **C D** and/or **Q** instead. As a reminder, **B** service does not run on weekends.

B C

At all times until September 2018, **B C** trains will skip Cathedral Parkway-110 St in both directions due to MTA's Enhanced Station Initiative project. When this project is completed, customers will benefit from critical structural and safety repairs and improvements to concrete and steel features such as columns, beams, platforms, walls and stairs. There will also be other improvements and upgrades such as improved waterproofing, a reconfigured mezzanine area including new glass barriers, new security cameras, LED lighting for increased light and energy efficiency, and enhanced signage for easier navigation including digital, real-time service change and train and bus arrival information. For alternate service during this closure, walk to the nearby **B C** stations at 116 St and 103 St, along Fredrick Douglas Blvd/Central Park West. Or take the **1** at 110 St, along Broadway. Use the M10 bus along Fredrick Douglas Blvd and transfer to the **B C** (**A** overnight) at 116 St or 103 St with MetroCard. If you need to transfer to another bus, ask the M10 bus operator for a MetroCard Bus Transfer, which can be used on your next local bus ride within two hours. On your return trip, ask the station agent at 116 St or 103 St for a transfer to the bus.

B C

At all times until late October 2018, **B C** trains will skip 72 St in both directions due to MTA's Enhanced Station Initiative project. See the **B C** entry above for project details. For alternate service during this closure, use nearby **B C** stations at 81 St-Museum of Natural History and 59 St-Columbus Circle. Or take the **1 2 3** at 72 St, along Broadway. Use an M10 bus along Frederick Douglass Blvd and transfer to the **B C** (**A** overnight) at 81 St

or 59 St with MetroCard. If you need to transfer to another bus, ask the M10 bus operator for a MetroCard Bus Transfer which can be used on your next local bus ride within two hours. On your return trip, ask the station agent at 81 St or 59 St for a transfer to the bus.

B C

At all times until late October 2018, B C trains will skip 86 St in both directions due to MTA's Enhanced Station Initiative project. See the B C entry above for project details. For alternate service during this closure, use nearby B C stations at 81 St-Museum of Natural History and 96 St. Or take the 1 at 86 St, along Broadway. Use an M10 bus along Frederick Douglass Blvd and transfer to the B C (A overnight) at 81 St or 96 St with MetroCard. If you need to transfer to another bus, ask the M10 bus operator for a MetroCard Bus Transfer which can be used on your next local bus ride within two hours. On your return trip, ask the station agent at 81 St or 96 St for a transfer to the bus.

C

From 9:45 p.m. to 11:45 p.m. Friday, June 29, and from 6:30 a.m. to 11:30 p.m. on both Saturday, June 30 and Sunday July, 1, downtown C trains run express from 59 St-Columbus Circle to Canal St due to track maintenance. For service to 50 St, transfer to an uptown C or E train at 42 St-Port Authority. From 50 St, take the E or F. For 23 St and Spring St, take the E or F. Transfer at 42 St, 14 St, W 4 St-Wash Sq, or Canal St. As a reminder, Coney Island-Stillwell Av bound F trains will run the E line between Roosevelt Av and Canal St this weekend.

D

From 9:45 p.m. Friday, June 29, to 5 a.m. Monday, July 2, Norwood-205 St bound D trains skip 182-183 Sts due to track maintenance. Use a Coney Island-Stillwell Av-bound D train to complete your trip. Transfer at Fordham Rd or Tremont Av.

D N

From 9:45 p.m. Friday, June 29, to 5 a.m. Monday, July 2, Coney Island-Stillwell Av-bound D N trains run express in Brooklyn from Atlantic Av-Barclays Ctr to 36 St D/59 St N, due to electrical improvements. Use a Manhattan-bound D N local or R to complete your trip. Transfer at 59 St, 36 St, or Atlantic Av-Barclays Ctr.

E R

From 9:45 p.m. Friday, June 29, to 5 a.m. Monday, July 2, Manhattan-bound E R trains run express from 71 Av to Queens Plaza due to electrical improvements and track maintenance. Use a Jamaica Center-bound E local or 71 Av-bound R train to complete your trip. Transfer at Queens Plaza, Roosevelt Av or 71 Av. As a reminder, R trains do not run overnight in Queens.

F

At all times until mid 2018, Manhattan-bound F trains skip Avenue U, Avenue P, Avenue N, Bay Pkwy and Avenue I due to station renewal work on the [Culver Line](#). When finished, more than 27,000 daily customers will benefit from repaired staircases, fare control areas, walls, floors, platform girders, new platform windscreens, rubbing boards, tactile warning strips, improved lighting and artwork.

- For service to these stations, take a Manhattan-bound F train to Kings Hwy or 18 Av and transfer to a Coney Island-Stillwell Av bound F.
- For service from these stations, take a Coney Island-Stillwell Av bound F train to Kings Hwy or Avenue X and transfer to a Manhattan-bound F.

F

From 9:45 p.m. Friday, June 29, to 5 a.m. Monday, July 2, Coney Island-Stillwell Av bound F trains are rerouted via the E line from Roosevelt Av and Canal St, then via the A line to Jay St-MetroTech due to track maintenance at 63 St and 57 St. Use the D or a Jamaica-bound F train to complete your trip. Use A C E stations along 8 Av or transfer at Roosevelt Av, 7 Av D E, W 4 St, or Jay St-MetroTech.

G

From 9:45 p.m. Friday, June 29, to 5 a.m. Monday, July 2, G service is suspended in both directions between Court Sq and Bedford-Nostrand Avs due to track maintenance. G train will run between Church Av and Bedford-Nostrand Avs. Free shuttle buses will make all station stops between Court Sq and Bedford-Nostrand Avs. Transfer between G trains and free shuttle buses at Bedford-Nostrand Avs.

J

At all times until Summer 2018, Jamaica Center Parsons/Archer-bound J trains skip 121 St due to station rehabilitation work. For service to this station, take the J to Sutphin Blvd and transfer to a Broad St-bound J. As a reminder, Broad St-bound J trains skip 121 St from 7:15 a.m. to 8:15 a.m. on weekdays; take the Z instead. For service from this station, take the J to 111 St and transfer to a Jamaica Center-bound J.

J

From 3:45 a.m. Saturday, June 30 to 10 p.m. Sunday, July 1, J service is suspended in both directions between Crescent St and Jamaica Center due to station rehabilitation work at 104 St and 121 St. J trains will run between Broad St in Lower Manhattan and Crescent St in Brooklyn. Free shuttle buses will make all J line station stops between Crescent St and 12 St, and connect with the E at Jamaica-Van Wyck. Transfer between trains and free shuttle buses at Jamaica-Van Wyck E and/or Crescent St J.

L

From 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday, June 30 and Sunday, July 1, **L** trains will run every 24 minutes between Rockaway Pkwy and Broadway Junction due to track replacement at Rockaway Parkway. **L** service will operate in two sections: between 8 Av and Broadway Junction, and between Broadway Junction and Rockaway Pkwy. To continue your trip, transfer at Broadway Junction.

M

Beginning 8:15 p.m. Friday, June 29, **M** service will end early between 71 Av and Delancey-Essex Sts due to track maintenance and electrical improvements in the 53 Street tunnel.

N

At all times until fall 2018, Coney Island-Stillwell Av bound **N** trains skip Fort Hamilton Pkwy, New Utrecht Av, 18 Av, 20 Av, Kings Hwy, Avenue U and 86 St due to station rehabilitation work at nine stations on the [Sea Beach Line](#). When finished, this will yield a better travel experience for our customers including the installation of elevators at 8 Av and New Utrecht Av stations, providing our mobility impaired customers with better accessibility, upgraded communication systems, installation of Help Point intercoms, new stairways and handrails, reconstructed platforms and overpasses, repairs to canopies and columns, and artwork.

- For service to these stations, take the Coney Island-Stillwell Av bound **N** to Bay Pkwy or Coney Island-Stillwell Av and transfer to a Manhattan-bound **N**.
- For service from these stations, take a Manhattan-bound **N** to Bay Pkwy or 8 Av and transfer to a Coney Island-Stillwell Av bound **N**.
- For New Utrecht Av-62 St, take the **D** Transfer between **N** and **D** trains at 36 St or Coney Island-Stillwell Av.

N

From 3:45 a.m. Saturday, June 30 to 10 p.m. Sunday, July 1, **N** service is suspended in both directions between Ditmars Blvd and Queensboro Plaza due to track replacement. **N** trains will run between Queensboro Plaza and Coney Island-Stillwell Av. Free shuttle buses will make all **N** line station stops between Ditmars Blvd and Queensboro Plaza. Transfer between trains and buses at Queensboro Plaza.

N R

From 9:45 p.m. Friday, June 29, to 5 a.m. Monday, July 2, downtown **N R** trains skip 49 St due to electrical improvements. Use an uptown **N** local or **R** to complete your trip. Transfer at Times Sq-42 St or 57 St-7Av. As a reminder, **R** trains do not run overnight.

Q

From 9:45 p.m. to 5 a.m. Friday, June 29 to Monday, July 2, downtown **Q** trains skip 49 St due to electrical improvements. Use an uptown **N** or **Q** local to complete your trip. Transfer at Times Sq-42 St or 57 St-7Av.

R

From 9:45 p.m. Friday, June 29 to 5 a.m. Monday, July 2, Bay Ridge-bound **R** trains run express in Brooklyn from Atlantic Av-Barclays Ctr to 59 St due to electrical improvements. Use a Manhattan-bound **D N** local, or **R** to complete your trip. Transfer at 59 St **N R**, 36 St **D N R**, or Atlantic Av-Barclays Ctr **D N R**.

W

Beginning 8:30 p.m. Friday, June 29, **W** service will end early due to electrical improvements. Take the **N** or **R**. As a reminder, **W** trains do not run on weekends.