



Staff Summary



Subject SPRING TRACKWORK PROGRAMS						Date March 5, 2024			
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PURPOSE:

This is to inform the Long Island Committee of the MTA Long Island Rail Road’s plan to temporarily adjust schedules to support Crossing Renewal’s between Ronkonkoma and Greenport, and on the Montauk Branch. Additionally, trackwork programs will support ADA Station Rehabilitation on the Montauk Branch, and Bridge Maintenance on the Hempstead Branch.

TRACK WORK PROGRAMS

Construction Activities (Short-term trackwork items requiring a special program)

- **Montauk Branch – Crossing Renewal** – On Saturday, March 30th, all tracks between Babylon and Montauk will be out of service for a period of 24 hours while the Smith Road railroad crossing in Mastic Shirley is rehabilitated. Of the course of the 24-hour period, PSEG will be piggybacking this outage to perform work along various locations on the Montauk Branch.
 - **Temporary Service Adjustments:** With all tracks out of service on the Montauk Branch between Babylon and Montauk, bus service will replace train service for a period of 24-hours.
- **Riverhead – Crossing Renewal** – On the weekends of April 6-7, and April 13-14, the single main track between Ronkonkoma and Greenport will be taken out of service while the E. Main Street and Osbourne Avenue railroad crossings in Riverhead are rehabilitated.
 - **Temporary Service Adjustments:** With the single main track out of service between Ronkonkoma and Greenport, bus service will replace all train service for a period of 48-hours.
- **Montauk Branch – ADA Station Rehabilitation – St. Albans** – On the weekends of April 6-7, April 13-14, April 20-21, and April 27-28, both main tracks on the Montauk Branch between Jamaica and Valley Stream will be out of service to support the ADA Accessibility Project at St. Albans.

- **Temporary Service Adjustments:** With both main tracks out of service on the Montauk Branch between Jamaica and Valley Stream, bus service will replace train service to/from St. Albans for a period of 48-hours. Additionally, schedule adjustments will be required on the Babylon, Montauk, Long Beach, West Hempstead, and Far Rockaway Branches.

- **Bridge Maintenance – Hempstead Branch** – On the weekends of April 20-21, and April 27-28, both main tracks on the Hempstead Branch between Floral Park and Hempstead will be taken out of service for a period of approximately 48-hours while maintenance is performed on the Tanner’s Pond Road bridge in Garden City.
 - **Temporary Service Adjustments:** With both main tracks out of service between Floral Park and Hempstead, bus service will replace train service in both directions for a period of approximately 48-hours.

IMPACT ON FUNDING

Funding for these projects is contained in the Long Island Rail Road Operating and MTA Capital Program budget.