Planned Service Changes



August 10 – 31
Weekend Switch Work • Weeknight FASTRACK

Service at 4 5 6 stations between Grand Central-42 St and Brooklyn will be suspended Saturdays and Sundays and end at 9:30 PM nightly, Monday to Friday

What's happening?

The switches between the southbound local and express tracks north of 14 St-Union Sq are at the end of their useful lives, so we're replacing them. On weeknights, our FASTRACK subway maintenance, cleaning, and repair program will be underway along this stretch of the Lexington Av line.

Where will service run?

- 4 will run between Woodlawn and Grand Central-42 St, the last stop. Trains will make local stops in Manhattan.
- 5 will only run in the Bronx. Some weekends, 5 is replaced by shuttle buses.
- 6 will run between Pelham Bay Park and Grand Central-42 St, the last stop.
- 3 will run to/from New Lots Av overnight and all weekend.
- N will run local on Broadway and via Lower Manhattan on weekends.

What are the best travel alternatives?

For **Lower Manhattan** and **Brooklyn**, use the N or R via transfer at Lexington Av/59 St.

Or, take the 7 or S from Grand Central-42 St and transfer to the 123 N Q R at Times Sq-42 St or the D at 5 Av.

From **Brooklyn** to **Lower Manhattan**, take the **230NQR** to nearby stops.

For **Midtown** or the **Upper East Side**, take the **23DNQR** to Times Sq-42 St and transfer to the **7** or **S** to Grand Central-42 St for the uptown **4** or **6**.

For travel between the **Bronx** and **Manhattan**, use the **2** or **D**.

What else should I know?

Due to overnight cleaning to help stop the spread of COVID-19, the subway will continue to be closed from 1 AM to 5 AM.

Wear a mask when you use public transit.

For more information and resources, visit:

https://new.mta.info/projects/replacing-switches-union-square



This service change affects one or more ADA accessible stations and the travel alternatives may not be fully accessible. Please contact 511 to plan your trip.

For the most up to date information, including maps, travel alternatives, and trip planning tools, visit mta.info.

Need help? Tweet us @NYCTsubway or call 511.



