Weeknight and Weekend Service Plan Ahead with Alternate Service April 26, 2019 - Summer 2020



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Rebuilding after Superstorm Sandy

What you need to know

Through Fall 2020



Superstorm Sandy

Superstorm Sandy arrived in 2012 with storm surges unlike anything our great city has ever experienced, disrupting public transit service citywide. During the storm, saltwater flooded the L tunnel between Manhattan and Brooklyn, causing extensive damage to the core infrastructure of the tunnel. Since then, we've kept service going by fixing the most pressing issues while we plan for the longer-term rehabilitation work inside of the tunnel.

About the L Project

We've planned the L Project to do as many improvements to the **(**) and connecting lines as possible. And with the revised approach to the tunnel rehabilitation work, we will be able to keep
trains running while we're working. The L Project work includes:

- 1. Capacity and long-term reliability improvements
- 2. Tunnel rehabilitation
- 3. Additional capital projects related to the 🕕 line

Timeline

Phase 1 July 2017 - April 2019

Complete scheduled station capacity projects, prepare for tunnel rehabilitation, install all new tracks and other long-term reliability work, execute maintenance projects on connecting lines like the $0 \le 2$ and the G.

Phase 2 April 2019 - Summer 2020 Rehabilitate the L tunnel and continue work on Bedford Av and 1 Av Stations to improve accessibility and capacity.

Phase 3 Summer 2020 - Fall 2020 Finalize power upgrade work to allow increased service; complete work on stations and continue elevator project at 14 St/6 Av (scheduled for 2022).

Key Things to Know

- Iservice will continue as normal from 5 AM to 8 PM on weekdays.
- (L) trains will run every 20 minutes overnights and weekends while we work.
- Stations may be crowded and alternate service often will be faster and more reliable during impacted times.
- Plan ahead if you choose to use the **()** during impacted times as you'll likely experience wait times in a queue, metering to keep platforms safe and wayfinding measures directing you to enter in one direction and exit from another.

Travel Tips

From Brooklyn to Manhattan

- Start at your closest
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- If you're in Williamsburg, the new Williamsburg Link buses will run every 3 minutes to a **1** mor **G** station.
- For uptown Manhattan, start your trip at a G station and transfer to the 70 or take the 100.
- Key transfer points are Myrtle-Wyckoff Avs M and Broadway Junction $\triangle \bigcirc$ or \bigcirc .
- For Manhattan, don't board the "Lorimer Stbound" () train, board the train that says "Manhattan-bound."

Within Manhattan

 Take the M14A or M14D buses on 14th Street. Buses will be as frequent as every 3 minutes with the extra service on the M14A.

From Manhattan to Brooklyn

- Start at an
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 station or use lines that connect to the \mathbb{O} or \mathbb{O} (ACEBDNQR6).
- The M14A bus can connect you to the M at Delancey St/Essex St and at 14 St-6Av.
- Use the 7 to connect to the G at Court Sq.

L service will continue as normal during the busiest times, the main commuting times on weekdays.

During busiest times on nights and weekends, 3/4 of current L customers will have a more reliable trip with alternate service options.

If customers miss an arriving L train on nights and weekends, it may be faster to use alternate service.

- room for work trains.
- In trains run every 20 minutes between Brooklyn and Manhattan and every 10 minutes within Brooklyn.
- Overnight, between 1:30 AM and 5 AM, the service runs at its normal frequency, with **L** trains running every 20 minutes.

until 5 AM Monday

- Starting at 10 PM () trains run 20 minutes between Brooklyn and Manhattan, and every 10 minutes within Brooklyn.
- Overnight, between 1:30 AM and 5 AM, service runs at its normal frequency, with () trains running every 20 minutes.

service in Brooklyn



service weeknights 10 PM to 5 AM

• Ramps down starting at 8 PM to make

service weekends 10 PM Friday

L trains run every 10 minutes within Brooklyn with an extra "overlay" train between Lorimer St and Canarsie-Rockaway Pkwy. These trains run during the periods () service is impacted by tunnel work (10 PM to 1:30 AM weeknights and 6 AM to 1:30 AM weekends).



Extra () © 7 subway service

- M service: on weeknights, we're extending the hours of normal weekday service into Manhattan, between 10 PM and 1:30 AM. After 10 PM on weeknights, M service goes to 96 St-2 Av on the Q line (instead of to Queens Blvd). Weekends, we're extending service from Essex St to 96 St-2 Av. M trains run every 8 minutes during the day (instead of every 10 minutes).
- G service: on weeknights we're running five additional G trips between 8:30 PM and 1:30 AM. On weekends, trains run every 8 minutes during the day (instead of every 10 minutes).
- 7 service: on weeknights, we're running five additional trips from 8:30 PM to midnight. On weekends. 7 trains continue to run every 4 to 7 ½ minutes.

New free transfers

- Between Livonia Av on the
 and Junius St on the 3.
- Between both Hewes St and Lorimer St on the \bigcirc and \bigcirc and Broadway on the \bigcirc .



More M14A bus service

We're running more M14A bus service to connect you to key subway lines.

- The extra M14A route service extends to connect with the Delancey/Essex St **FMJ** Station.
- On weekends the combined M14A/D buses run every 3 minutes along 14 St.

New Williamsburg Link B91 and B92 buses every 3 minutes

The Williamsburg Link operates on two routes, B92 runs clockwise and the B91 runs counterclockwise. These buses connect:

- Bedford Av I.
- Metropolitan Av- Lorimer St G .
- Marcy Av **J** M and
- Hewes St **J** M (B92).

On weekends, buses run every 3 minutes.