

Q46 LIJ Hospital – Kew Gardens

CHANGES TAKE EFFECT JUNE 29, 2025

The Q46 will keep its current routing between Long Island Jewish Medical Center and Kew Gardens. The existing Glen Oaks branch will be discontinued and replaced by the new Q48.

The Q46 will make limited stops on Union Tpke west of 188 St. For local service, take the new Q45. The Q46 Limited will be discontinued.

EXISTING ROUTES

Q46

CONNECTIONS

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Q10, Q17, Q20, Q25, Q27, Q30, Q31, Q36, Q37, Q44-SBS, Q45, Q48, Q60, Q65, Q75, Q76, Q80, Q88

AVERAGE STOP SPACING

Existing: 860 ft

Proposed: 1,251 ft

PROPOSED FREQUENCIES* AND HOURS OF OPERATION

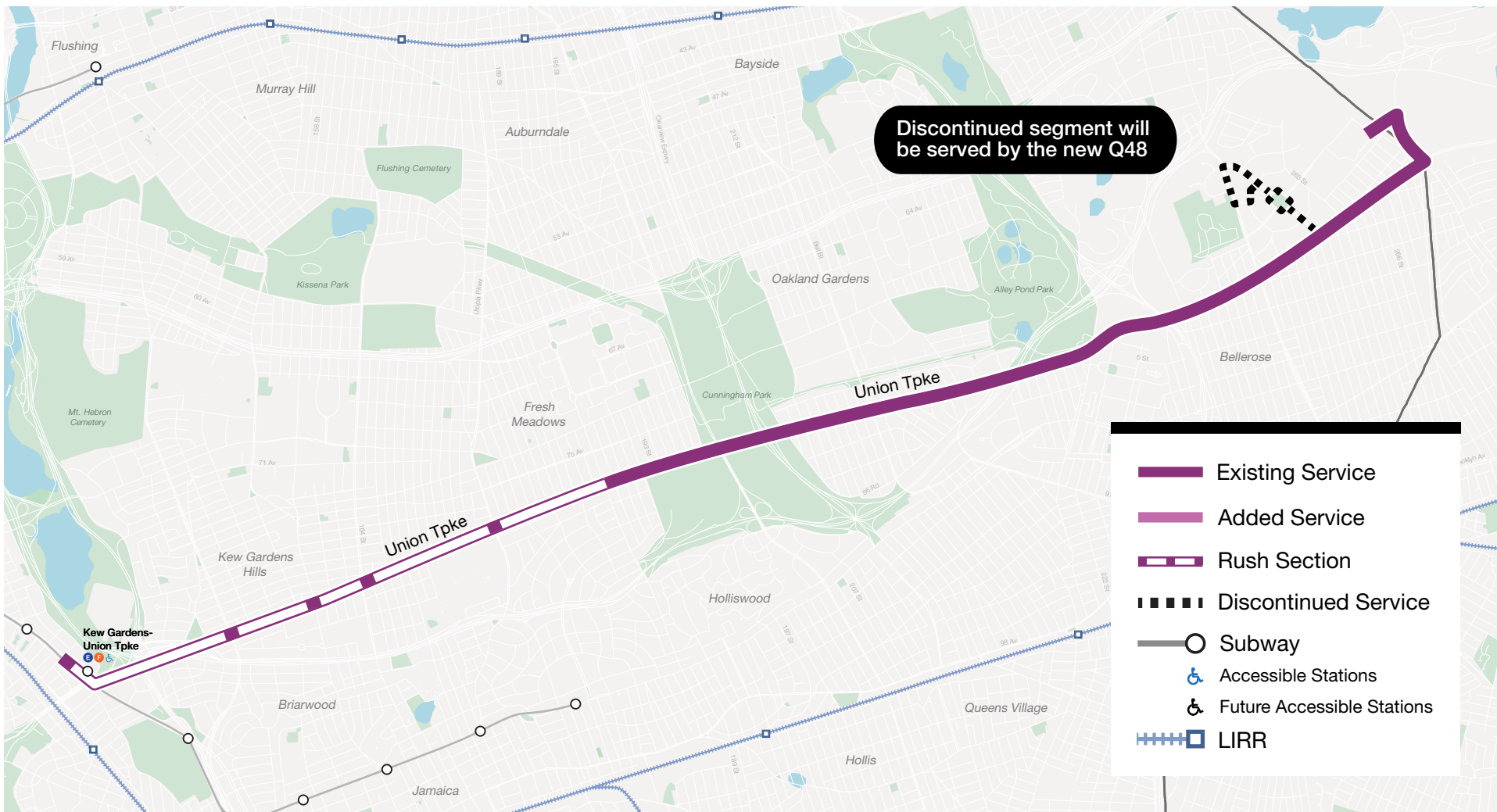
Service Span		Overnight	Early Morning	AM Peak	Midday	PM Peak	Evening	Late Evening
		12 am - 4 am	4 am - 6 am	6 am - 9 am	9 am - 3 pm	3 pm - 7 pm	7 pm - 9 pm	9 pm - 12 am
WEEKDAY								
Existing	24 hours	34	13	7	11	8	10	11
Proposed	24 hours	48	15	7	12	7	12	16
SATURDAY								
Existing	24 hours	34	20	8	7	7	8	12
Proposed	24 hours	48	24	13	12	12	12	15
SUNDAY								
Existing	24 hours	40	30	12	9	8	9	13
Proposed	24 hours	48	24	16	12	12	15	20

*Frequencies indicate how often the bus arrives on average in the peak direction in minutes.

☐ no change ☒ added service ☐ reduced service





Existing Q46 frequencies reflect service levels of the existing Q46 LIJ Hospital branch.

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EASTBOUND to LIJ Hospital

On Street/At Street		Proposal Note	Connections
1	Queens Blvd/78 Av	Keep	  , Q37, Q60, QM18, QM63, QM64, QM65, QM68
2	Union Tpke/Queens Blvd	Keep	  , Q10, Q37, Q60, Q80
	Union Tpke/135 St	Removed to provide nonstop “Rush” service	
	Union Tpke/141 St	Removed to provide nonstop “Rush” service	
3	Union Tpke/Main St	Keep	Q20, Q44-SBS
	Union Tpke/147 St	Removed to provide nonstop “Rush” service	
	Union Tpke/150 St	Removed to provide nonstop “Rush” service	
4	Union Tpke/Parsons Blvd	Keep	Q25
	Union Tpke/160 St	Removed to provide nonstop “Rush” service	
5	Union Tpke/164 St	Keep	Q65
	Union Tpke/165 St	Removed to provide nonstop “Rush” service	
	Union Tpkke/168 St	Removed to provide nonstop “Rush” service	
	Union Tpke/170 St	Removed to provide nonstop “Rush” service	
	Union Tpke/173 St	Removed to provide nonstop “Rush” service	
	Union Tpke/175 St	Removed to provide nonstop “Rush” service	
6	Union Tpke/Utopia Pkwy	Keep	Q30, Q31, Q75
	Union Tpke/Surrey Pl	Removed to provide nonstop “Rush” service	
	Union Tpke/Kent St	Removed to provide nonstop “Rush” service	
	Union Tpke/Chevy Chase St	Removed to provide nonstop “Rush” service	
7	Union Tpke/188 St	Keep	Q17, Q45, QM1, QM5, QM6, QM7, QM8, QM31, QM35, QM36
	Union Tpke/190 St	Removed to improve speed & reliability	
8	Union Tpke/193 St	Keep	
	Union Tpke/196 St	Removed to improve speed & reliability	
9	Union Tpke/198 St	Keep	Q76
10	Union Tpke/Francis Lewis Blvd	Keep	Q76

EASTBOUND to LIJ Hospital

On Street/At Street		Proposal Note	Connections
11	Union Tpke/Hollis Hills Terr	Keep	
12	Union Tpke/211 St	Keep	
13	Union Tpke/Bell Blvd	Keep	
14	Union Tpke/Stewart Rd	Keep	
15	Union Tpke/Springfield Blvd	Keep	Q27, Q88, QM6, QM36
	Union Tpke/226 St	Removed to improve speed & reliability	
16	Union Tpke/Grand Central Pkwy	Keep	QM6, QM36
	Union Tpke/Stronghurst Av	Removed to improve speed & reliability	
17	Union Tpke/234 St	Keep	
	Union Tpke/236 St	Removed to improve speed & reliability	
18	Union Tpke/Winchester Blvd	Keep	
19	Union Tpke/Cross Island Pkwy	Keep	
	Union Tpke/Commonwealth Blvd	Removed to improve speed & reliability	
20	Union Tpke/248 St	Keep	
21	Union Tpke/252 St	Keep	Q36
22	Union Tpke/256 St	Keep	
	Union Tpke/258 St	Removed to improve speed & reliability	
23	Union Tpke/260 St	Keep	Q48
24	Union Tpke/263 St	Keep	QM6, QM36
	Union Tpke/265 St	Removed to improve speed & reliability	
25	Union Tpke/268 St	Keep	
26	Union Tpke/271 St	Keep	
	Lakeville Rd/Union Tpke	Removed to improve speed & reliability	
27	Lakeville Rd/Hewlett St	Keep	QM6, QM36
28	LIJ Medical Center/271 St	Keep	QM6, QM36



WESTBOUND to Kew Gardens

1	LIJ Medical Center/271 St	Keep	QM6, QM36
2	Lakeville Rd/LIJ Medical Center	Keep	
	Lakeville Rd/Hewlett St	Removed to improve speed & reliability	
3	Union Tpke/Hewlett St	Keep	
	Union Tpke/270 St	Removed to improve speed & reliability	
4	Union Tpke/267 St	Keep	QM6, QM36
	Union Tpke/265 St	Removed to improve speed & reliability	
5	Union Tpke/263 St	Keep	Q48, QM5, QM6, QM8, QM35, QM36
6	Union Tpke/260 St	Keep	QM5, QM8, QM35
	Union Tpke/258 St	Removed to improve speed & reliability	
7	Union Tpke/255 St	Keep	Q36, QM6, QM36
8	Union Tpke/Little Neck Pkwy	Keep	Q36
	Union Tpke/251 St	Removed to improve speed & reliability	

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	Union Tpke/Commonwealth Blvd	Removed to improve speed & reliability	
10	Union Tpke/Cross Island Pkwy	Keep	
11	Union Tpke/Winchester Blvd	Keep	
12	Union Tpke/235 St	Keep	
	Union Tpke/Grand Central Pkwy	Removed to improve speed & reliability	
13	Union Tpke/Cloverdale Blvd	Keep	QM6, QM36
	Union Tpke/226 St	Removed to improve speed & reliability	
14	Union Tpke/Springfield Blvd	Keep	Q27, Q88, QM6, QM36
	Union Tpke/222 St	Removed to improve speed & reliability	
15	Union Tpke/220 Pl	Keep	
16	Union Tpke/Bell Blvd	Keep	
17	Union Tpke/211 St	Keep	
18	Union Tpke/Hollis Hills Terr	Keep	
19	Union Tpke/Francis Lewis Blvd	Keep	Q76
20	Union Tpke/197 St	Keep	
	Union Tpke/196 St	Removed to improve speed & reliability	
21	Union Tpke/193 St	Keep	
	Union Tpke/190 St	Removed to improve speed & reliability	
22	Union Tpke/188 St	Keep	Q17, QM1, QM5, QM6, QM7, QM8, QM31, QM35, QM36
	Union Tpke/185 St	Removed to provide nonstop "Rush" service	
	Union Tpke/183 St	Removed to provide nonstop "Rush" service	
	Union Tpke/179 St	Removed to provide nonstop "Rush" service	
23	Union Tpke/Utopia Pkwy	Keep	Q30, Q31, Q75, QM1, QM7, QM8, QM31, QM35
	Union Tpke/174 St	Removed to provide nonstop "Rush" service	
	Union Tpke/171 St	Removed to provide nonstop "Rush" service	
	Union Tpke/168 St	Removed to provide nonstop "Rush" service	
	Union Tpke/166 St	Removed to provide nonstop "Rush" service	
24	Union Tpke/164 St	Keep	Q65
	Union Tpke/160 St	Removed to provide nonstop "Rush" service	
25	Union Tpke/Parsons Blvd	Keep	Q25
	Union Tpke/153 St	Removed to provide nonstop "Rush" service	

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	Union Tpke/150 St	Removed to provide nonstop "Rush" service	
	Union Tpke/147 St	Removed to provide nonstop "Rush" service	
26	Union Tpke/Main St	Keep	Q20, Q44-SBS, QM1, QM5, QM7, QM8, QM31, QM35
	Union Tpke/Vleight Pl	Removed to provide nonstop "Rush" service	
27	Queens Blvd/78 Cres	Keep	  , Q10, Q37, Q60, Q80, QM18, QM63, QM64, QM65, QM68