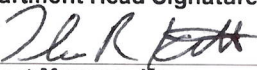

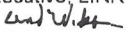

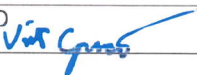
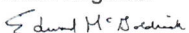


Staff Summary



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						2	VP MW 	5	CTO 
						3	Chief Engineer 		

PURPOSE:

This is to inform the Long Island Committee of the MTA Long Island Rail Road’s plan to adjust schedules beginning March 3, 2025, through May 19, 2025.

Projects supported during this timetable include Track Maintenance and Crossing Rehabilitation between Ronkonkoma and Greenport, Track Surfacing on the Port Washington Branch, Babylon Station Rehabilitation, Grand Central Madison Contractor Maintenance and Wireless Cellular Installation, Hall Interlocking Expansion, Third Rail State of Good Repair work on the Port Jefferson Branch, Rail Replacement and Maintenance on the Atlantic Branch, Atlantic Tunnel Lighting, Eastbound Reroute Construction in Harold Interlocking, and the West Side Yard Overbuild.

In addition, special weekend track work programs will support Switch and Signal work near Ronkonkoma.

The MTA Long Island Rail Road will also be operating extra train service to support increased ridership for the New York City St. Patrick’s Day Parade, which will take place on Monday, March 17th.

MARCH 3 TIMETABLE CHANGE

Service Adjustments to Support Trackwork

- **Ronkonkoma/Greenport Branch** – Bus service will replace train service between Ronkonkoma and Greenport, weekday/midday, to support track maintenance and crossing rehabilitations east of Ronkonkoma.

TRACK WORK PROGRAMS

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

- **Ronkonkoma Branch – Switch and Signal Work** – On the weekends of March 1-2, March 8-9, March 15-16, and March 22-23, both main tracks will be out of service between Brentwood and Ronkonkoma to support switch and signal work in the vicinity of Ronkonkoma station. Additionally, the single main track between Ronkonkoma and Greenport will also be taken out of service.
 - **Temporary Service Adjustments:** With both main tracks out of service between Brentwood and Ronkonkoma and the single main track out of service between Ronkonkoma and Greenport, trains will terminate and originate at Deer Park on an hourly basis. Bus service will replace train service in both directions for customers traveling to/from Brentwood, Central Islip, Ronkonkoma and all stations between Ronkonkoma and Greenport. Train service will remain at half hourly intervals to/from Farmingdale station.

ST. PATRICKS DAY SERVICE

- On Monday, March 17th, the Long Island Rail Road will operate two additional westbound trains from both the Ronkonkoma and Babylon branches for customers traveling to New York City for the St. Patrick's Day parade.

IMPACT ON FUNDING

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