

Weeknight and Weekend Service

Plan Ahead with Alternate Service April 26, 2019 — Summer 2020

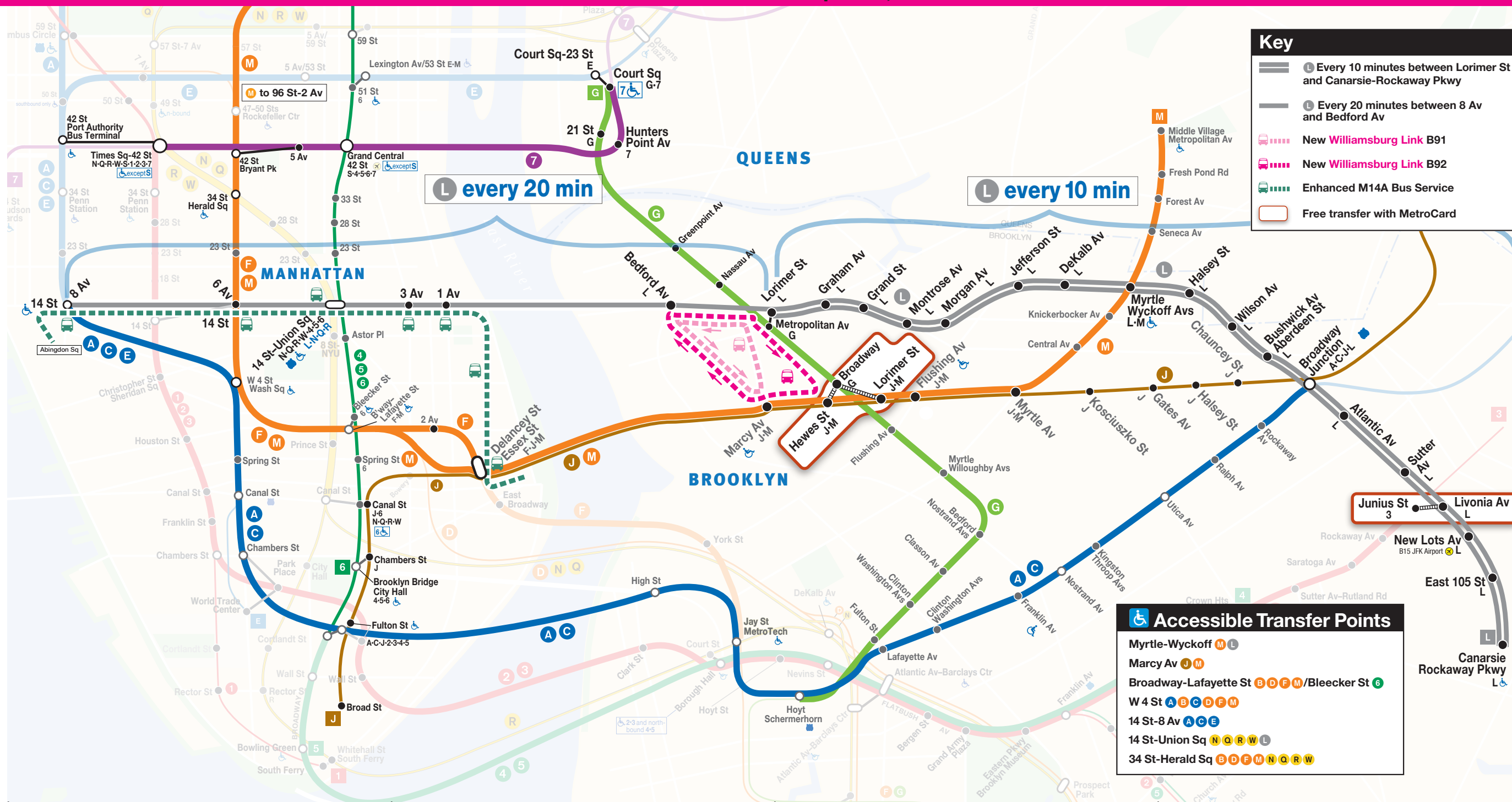


Lorimer St



Guide to a faster, reliable trip that avoids possible crowding: alternate service and the Williamsburg Link

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

On nights and weekends, L service operates around our construction area. This means trains will run less frequently than usual. To help you get around, we're giving you more options in addition to the L by enhancing other subway lines and bus routes.

- Weekdays**
5 AM to 10 PM — Regular L service reducing 8 PM
- Weeknights**
10 PM to 1:30 AM — Reduced L service
1:30 AM to 5 AM — Regular L service
- Weekends**
6 AM to 1:30 AM — Reduced L service

L nights and weekends

Plan to use alternate service to avoid crowding.

Weeknights 10 PM to 5 AM

- Service ramps down at 8 PM to make room for work trains.
- Starting at 10 PM, the L runs every 20 mins between Brooklyn and Manhattan and every 10 mins between Lorimer St and Canarsie-Rockaway Pkwy.

Weekends 10 PM Fri until 5 AM Mon

- Service ramps down at 8 PM Fridays to make room for work trains.
- From 10 PM Friday through 5 AM Monday, L runs every 20 mins between Manhattan and Brooklyn. Between Lorimer St and Canarsie-Rockaway Pkwy, L runs every 10 mins from 10 PM to 1:30 AM on Friday and from 6 AM to 1:30 AM on Saturday and Sunday.

If you take the L

- Plan ahead using the MYmta app. Remember, you might not be able to board the first L train and the station will be crowded at times. Please watch your step and look to NYPD and our team for assistance.
- You'll notice that the L train will be held in some stations, including Lorimer St., with the doors open for a few minutes. This is to help keep the L trains running on the every 20 minute schedule.
- Don't board the train that says "Lorimer St", stand back and wait for the Manhattan-bound train.
- We have you covered. If you swipe your MetroCard into the subway but decide to take an alternate route, our team will be there to assist.

Enhanced M G 7 and bus options

Because the L will run with reduced service nights and weekends, we're enhancing service on the M G and 7. To connect you to these other options, we're implementing the new Williamsburg Link buses and adding M14A service.

During the busiest hours on weekends, while the L runs every 20 minutes:

- M every 8 mins
- J every 10 mins
- G every 8 mins
- 7 every 4 mins
- Williamsburg Link every 3 mins
- M14A/D every 3 mins

Taking a combination of these other options to and from Williamsburg will likely mean a faster trip.

Here's a sample of what a weekend trip could look like for you:

Destination	L first train during low ridership times (assumes 10 mins wait)	L during busy ridership times (assumes waiting for second train)	Using alternate subway and bus (Williamsburg Link and/or M14)
To 1 Av	18.5 mins	38.5 mins	36.5 mins
To 14 St-Union Sq	20.5 mins	40.5 mins	35 mins
To Rockefeller Center	30 mins	50 mins	36 mins
To Grand Central-42 St	28.5 mins	48.5 mins	27.5 mins

Things to remember while you plan your trip:

- M runs up 6 Av to 96 St-2 Av Q and connects to the M14A at Delancey St/Essex St. You get a free transfer and M14A/D buses operate every 3 mins.
- We'll be running frequent 7 service on weekends, that you can connect to at the G at Court Sq.
- Williamsburg Link buses are free.
- We've reopened the entrances at Hope St and Powers St for better access to the G. We've also reopened entrances at Hewes St J M and installed new wider stairs at Marcy Av, and expanded the mezzanine for better access to the train.

Meet your new home stations for nights and weekends



Marcy Av J M

B91 at Williamsburg Bridge Bus Plaza
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Bedford Av L

B91 on Driggs Av at North 6 St
B92 on Bedford Av at North 5 St

Metropolitan Av G

Lorimer St L
B91 on Union Av at Metropolitan Av
B92 on Metropolitan Av at Union Av

Hewes St J M

B92 on Hooper St at Broadway (drop off only)

Over for the map of all your options in Manhattan and Brooklyn →