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****PRESS RELEASE****

**SFMTA Weekend Transit and Traffic Advisory for
Weekend of Saturday, October 30, 2021**

San Francisco—The San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency (SFMTA) releases the following upcoming event-related traffic and transit impacts for this weekend, from **Thursday, Oct. 28 through next Wednesday, Nov. 3, 2021**.

For real-time updates, follow us on https://twitter.com/sfmta_muni or visit [SFMTA.com/EmailText](https://sfmta.com/EmailText) to sign up for real-time text messages or email alerts.

For details of Muni re-routes, visit [SFMTA.com/Updates](https://sfmta.com/Updates). This website will be updated when it is closer to the event date.

For additional notifications and agency updates, subscribe to our blog, [Moving SF](#) for [daily](#) or [weekly](#) updates.

Federal Law Requires Face Masks on Muni

To help stop the spread of COVID-19, [federal law requires wearing a mask](#) in Muni stations and while riding transit. Violations can result in denial of boarding or removal from Muni and may carry federal penalties. Face coverings like scarves and bandanas do not meet this requirement. Under guidelines issued by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, taxi drivers are required to wear a face covering while transporting passengers. For more information, please visit sfmta.com/COVID.

Events and Basketball Games at Chase Center

Thursday, Oct. 28 through next Wednesday, Nov. 3: There will be events and basketball games at the Chase Center. Listed below are times of each event with time when door will open:

- **Thursday, Oct. 28:** The Warriors will play against the Memphis Grizzlies. Game will start at 7 p.m. Doors will open at 5:30 p.m.

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Events and Basketball Games at Chase Center *continued*

Events at Chase Center *continued*

- **Friday, Oct. 29:** Concert performance by James Taylor will start at 7:30 p.m. Doors will open at 6:30 p.m.
- **Saturday, Oct. 30:** The Warriors will play against the Oklahoma City Thunder. Game will start at 5:30 p.m. Doors will open at 4 p.m.
- **Wednesday, Nov. 3:** The Warriors will play against the Charlotte Hornets. Game will start at 7 p.m. Doors will open at 5:30 p.m.

Supplemental Muni Service

Muni will operate supplemental **78X Arena Express** service:

- **Pre-event express shuttle service** from 16th Street BART Station to 16th and 3rd streets will start two and a half hours before each game/event and ends one hour after game/event starts.
- **Post-event express shuttle service** from 16th and 3rd streets to 16th Street BART Station will run until area clears.

Special Event Parking Rates

During basketball games and other major events with more than 10,000 expected attendees at the arena, **parking meters close to the arena will charge a special event rate of \$8 per hour**. These rates help reduce congestion and keep parking spots available in the neighborhoods near the arena, discouraging circling for free or cheap parking. Start times for special event rates vary based on the start time of the event. More information on special event parking regulations can be found on www.sfmta.com/special-event-parking.

Street Closures

To accommodate events that will take place at the arena, the following street closures will be enforced two hours before and one hour after each event:

- 16th Street between 3rd Street and Terry Francois Boulevard
- Warriors Way between 3rd Street and Terry Francois Boulevard
- Northbound 3rd Street between 16th Street and Warriors Way will also be closed approximately 30 minutes before an event ends and 45 minutes after an event ends.
- Only local access will be allowed on Northbound Illinois Street between Mariposa and 16th streets.

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Events and Basketball Games at Chase Center *continued*

No Parking Zone

To facilitate loading and pick up for Muni customers and patrons, **NO PARKING** will be in effect at these locations during events:

- 16th Street between 3rd Street and Terry Francois Boulevard
- Warriors Way between 3rd Street and Terry Francois Boulevard
- Terry Francois Boulevard (TFB) between Warriors Way and the 700 Block of TFB

Taxi Stands

- There is one taxi stand located on southbound Terry Francois Boulevard.
- Ramp Taxis should use the loading zone on eastbound Warriors Way (formerly South Street) at Bridgeview Way.

For details about transportation to the Chase Center, including Muni service and connections from the Bay Area transit system to Muni, visit SFMTA.com/ChaseCenter.

Outside Lands

Friday, Oct. 29 through Sunday, Oct. 31: Outside Lands will be held in Golden Gate Park from noon to 10 p.m., each day. Attendance of 70,000 participants is expected per day. Supplemental Muni service will run to get customers to and from the event (details below). For more event details, visit <http://www.sfoutsidelands.com/>.

The following Muni lines and routes will be impacted: **N Judah; 5 Fulton; 5R Fulton Rapid; 7 Haight/Noriega; 18 46th Avenue; 28 19th Avenue; 29 Sunset and 44 O'Shaughnessy.**

Due to increased ridership for the event, concert patrons should allow extra travel time on the N Judah line and all bus routes serving Golden Gate Park. Traffic in the area will also be heavy.

Taxi

Temporary taxi stands for the event will be in place at the following locations from 9 a.m., Friday to 2 a.m., Monday:

- Southside of Fulton Street between 28th and 29th avenues
- Southside of Fulton Street between 24th and 25th avenues

Bicycle

Monitored bicycle parking will be provided.

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Outside Lands *continued*

Muni Service to and from Outside Lands

On Friday, Saturday and Sunday, from approximately 3 until 11:30 p.m., Muni will provide supplemental service for pre-concert and post-concert:

Pre-concert Service

- N Judah (after 3 p.m.)
- 5R Fulton Rapid (until 9:30 p.m.)

Concert patrons are encouraged to allow plenty of travel time. Gates will open at 11 a.m. before the first concert each day.

Post-concert Service

After the final concert, from approximately 9:30 until 11:30 p.m., the **5X Fulton Express** bus service will operate **one-way express eastbound** departing from Fulton/30th Avenue and travelling express (non-stop) to UN Plaza/Civic Center BART Station.

There will also be supplemental service, from approximately 3 until 11 p.m., on N Judah trains from La Playa to Caltrain Station.

On Sunday, Oct. 31, BART will be open late and offer additional service from 9 p.m. until midnight. The N Judah line will provide a connection to BART for these extended services. Details on BART's extended service, visit: <https://bartable.bart.gov/special-extended-service>.

Boarding Locations

5X Fulton Express: Fulton Street at 30th Avenue

N Judah: Judah Street at Sunset Boulevard or any N Judah stop on Judah Street

The last bus will depart from Fulton Street at 11:30 p.m. SFMTA staff will be on site to assist customers.

Options for Buying Muni Tickets for This Event

Muni Ticket Sales - In Person

Muni customers may purchase their fare in advance, on-board vehicles and at any Muni ticket vending machine.

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Outside Lands *continued*

Use of Clipper Card

Concert goers are encouraged to use Clipper® Card to get to Golden Gate Park. Customers using Bay Area public transportation systems are strongly encouraged to purchase their fares in advance or use Clipper® Card to attend the event. Customers using a Clipper Card receive 50 cents off an adult single ride when transferring to Muni from BART, Golden Gate Ferry and Transit, and San Francisco Bay Ferry routes (Oakland-Alameda, Harbor Bay and Vallejo). Golden Gate Ferry and Transit and San Francisco Bay Ferry provide the same discount on return trips. To learn more about transfer discounts, please visit [transfer discounts](#). For more information on using Clipper on Muni, please visit clippercard.com/muni.

Purchase Muni Fare using MuniMobile

Concert goers may use [MuniMobile](#), an official SFMTA app, to save time by instantly buying tickets for Muni bus, rail, cable car, and paratransit services on their iPhone and Android devices. Tickets can be purchased through a credit/debit card or PayPal account for individual or multiple riders on one smartphone. Customers can buy tickets ahead of time and activate when they are ready to ride - with MuniMobile, your phone is your fare.

Purchase Single Ride Muni Fare Electronically

Muni customers who purchase fares in advance using a Clipper® Card or use the official SFMTA app, [MuniMobile](#), can save .50 cents per trip. A single ride fare on Muni is good for 120 minutes of travel, whether it be on a single route or a trip with multiple transfers across buses and light rail. For more details visit <https://www.sfmta.com/getting-around/transit/fares-passes/single-rides-transfers>.

Outside Lands Shuttle Service

The private Outside Lands shuttle service will run between 11 a.m. and midnight each day from the Bill Graham Civic Auditorium to the event venue. Regional shuttles will also depart from various locations in the Bay Area. For pricing information and additional information, please visit www.sfoutsidelands.com/tickets.

BART

For regional BART connections and schedules, visit: <http://www.bart.gov/schedules/byline>. BART will provide extra service on Sunday, Oct. 31, from 9 p.m. to midnight, with trains leaving approximately once per hour. For more details visit <https://bartable.bart.gov/special-extended-service>.

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Kroctoberfest

On Friday, Oct. 29, the Tenderloin Community Benefit District and other neighborhood organizations in the area is sponsoring Kroctoberfest, a festival on Turk Street between Jones and Leavenworth streets. The event will take place from 2 to 8 p.m.

Turk Street between Jones and Leavenworth streets will be closed from 2 to 8 p.m., Friday.

The **31 Balboa** Muni route will be affected.

City Impact Block Party and Festival

On Saturday, Oct. 30, the Tenderloin community will be hosting a pre-Halloween block party on Jones Street between Eddy and Turk streets.

Jones Street between Eddy and Turk streets will be closed from 11 a.m. to 8 p.m., Saturday.

The **27 Bryant** Muni route will be affected.

Halloween

Sunday, October 31: The SFMTA will provide regular Muni service for Halloween. Transit customers and motorists may experience delays and should allow extra travel time. While no major street closures have been planned in the Castro/Noe/Mission areas, San Francisco police officers will monitor pedestrian and automobile traffic for any necessary public safety street closures.

Neighborhood trick-or-treat closures have been permitted on some streets around the City, particularly in the Ingleside areas. Motorists should be attentive for street closures, slow down and be aware of children trick-or-treating throughout the City.

BART will provide extra service on Sunday, Oct. 31, from 9 p.m. to midnight, with trains leaving approximately once per hour. For more details visit <https://bartable.bart.gov/special-extended-service>.

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CONSTRUCTION WORK AND OTHER UPDATES

UPDATE: Van Ness Improvement Project

On Friday, Oct. 29, between the hours of 8 p.m. and 7 a.m., Saturday, Oct. 30, crews are scheduled to work on traffic improvements, remaining overhead power installations, traffic signal wiring and hardware installations, light pole setting, and related work at the following locations:

- Van Ness between Lombard and Greenwich streets
- Van Ness between Greenwich and Filbert streets
- Van Ness between Filbert and Union streets
- Van Ness between Union and Green streets
- Van Ness between Green and Vallejo streets
- Van Ness between Vallejo Street and Broadway
- Van Ness between Broadway and Pacific Avenue
- Van Ness between Pacific Avenue and Jackson Street
- Van Ness between Jackson and Washington streets
- Van Ness between Washington and Clay streets
- Van Ness between Clay and Sacramento streets
- Van Ness between Sacramento and California streets
- Van Ness between California and Pine streets
- Van Ness between Pine and Bush streets
- Van Ness between Bush and Sutter streets
- Van Ness between Sutter and Post streets
- Van Ness between Post and O'Farrell streets
- Van Ness between O'Farrell and Ellis streets
- Van Ness between Ellis and Eddy streets
- Van Ness between Eddy and Turk streets
- Van Ness between Turk Street and Golden Gate Avenue
- Van Ness between Golden Gate Avenue and McAllister Street
- Van Ness between McAllister and Grove streets
- Van Ness between Grove and Hayes streets
- Van Ness between Hayes and Fell streets
- Van Ness between Fell and Market streets
- Van Ness between Market and Mission streets

Work that requires reducing Van Ness Avenue to one lane in each direction will be limited to nighttime hours. Construction scheduling is subject to change due to weather delays or unexpected field conditions. For more project details and the latest construction updates, visit www.sfmta.com/vanness.

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CONSTRUCTION WORK AND OTHER UPDATES *continued*

UPDATE: Muni's COVID-19 Core Service Network

Starting Monday, Nov. 1, the SFMTA will eliminate short line service on these routes: 1 California short, 30 Stockton short, 14R Mission Rapid short (weekdays only) and 49 Van Ness short (weekends only) to address vaccine mandate related operator shortages. The long route of these Muni routes will remain in service. These changes are intended to reduce impacts to service system-wide. As a result of the vaccine mandate related operator shortages, longer waits and more crowding on various bus routes is anticipated, customers should allow more travel time to their destinations.

Some Muni routes have been modified as a result of COVID-19 pandemic restrictions, the city's emergency order and ongoing resource constraints. **Muni Metro's subway hours have been extended to midnight, Monday through Saturday and until 10 p.m. on Sunday**, visit the [Service Changes](#) webpage for details. For details on Muni's current routes and service, visit individual route webpages or the [Muni Core Service Plan](#). For more information about Muni Metro rail service and Metro bus substitution, visit the [Rail Recovery](#) webpage.

Current Muni Service:

The following Muni routes run from 5 a.m. to midnight daily: 1 California, 5 Fulton, 8 Bayshore, 9 San Bruno, 14 Mission, 22 Fillmore, 24 Divisadero, 25 Treasure Island, 28 19th Avenue, 29 Sunset, 30 Stockton, 38 Geary, 43 Masonic, 44 O'Shaughnessy, 48 Quintara/24th Street and 49 Van Ness.

Until further notice, Muni buses will continue to serve the L Taraval Metro line.

- **Core Routes in Service:** F Market & Wharves (Fisherman's Wharf and Castro & Market streets); J Church (Balboa Park to Church & Duboce streets); KT Ingleside-Third; M Ocean View; N Judah (Ocean Beach to 4th and King streets); L Taraval Bus (all buses) (SF Zoo to Embarcadero); 1 California; 5 Fulton; 5R Fulton Rapid; 7 Noriega; 8 Bayshore (rerouted to Stockton); 9 San Bruno, 9R San Bruno Rapid (weekday only); 12 Folsom/Pacific (Financial District to Rincon Hill), 14 Mission; 14R Mission Rapid; 15 Bayview-Hunters Point Express; 18 46th Avenue; 19 Polk; 22 Fillmore; 23 Monterey (modified route); 24 Divisadero; 25 Treasure Island; 27 Bryant (modified route); 28 19th Avenue; 29 Sunset; 30 Stockton; 31 Balboa; 33 Ashbury-18th Street; 35 Eureka; 36 Teresita; 37 Corbett (Twin Peaks and Van Ness & Market Street); 38 Geary; 38R Geary Rapid; 39 Coit; 43 Masonic (Geary Boulevard to Crocker Amazon); 44 O'Shaughnessy; 45 Union-Stockton;
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CONSTRUCTION WORK AND OTHER UPDATES *continued*

UPDATE: Muni's COVID-19 Core Service Network *continued*

Core Routes in Service *continued*

48 Quintara/24th Street (modified route); 49 Van Ness/Mission (extended from North Point to Powell and Beach); 52 Excelsior (modified route); 54 Felton (Daly City BART to Hunters Point); 55 Dogpatch; 56 Rutland; 57 Parkmerced (modified route); 58 Lake Merced (NEW); 66 Quintara (modified route) and 67 Bernal Heights.

- **Daily Owl service starts at midnight, except for the L Owl which begins service at 10 p.m.**
- **The following routes are running 24 hours a day or providing special Owl Service: L Owl; N Owl; 5 Fulton; 14 Mission; 22 Fillmore; 24 Divisadero; 25 Treasure Island; 38 Geary; 44 O'Shaughnessy; 48 Quintara/24th Street; 90 San Bruno Owl; 91 3rd Street/19th Avenue Owl.**

ONGOING

ONGOING: Casual Carpool Pick-Up New Location

With the completion of sidewalk widening on the west side of Beale Street between Howard and Folsom streets, Casual Carpool has been moved back to its location permanently and with an early start of operation hour.

Since Monday, Oct. 18, the new location for Casual Carpool pickup is at west side of Beale Street between Howard and Folsom streets. The hours of operation are from 2 to 7 p.m., Monday through Friday.

ONGOING: Shared Spaces Program

The city's multi-agency [Shared Spaces](#) program opened some parts of streets in San Francisco to create public space for outdoor dining, retail, cultural activities and physical distancing. The program allows the use of sidewalks, parking space, full or partial streets, or other nearby public spaces like parks and plazas for a wide range of activities responding to the COVID pandemic, as allowed by San Francisco's Public Health Order. For details, locations and updates on street closures related to Shared Spaces, visit [SFMTA.com/SharedSpaces](https://sfmta.com/SharedSpaces).

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ONGOING: 19th Avenue (CA Route 1) Combined City Project

San Francisco Public Works is leading a multi-agency project to replace aging infrastructure and improve safety along 19th Avenue between Holloway Avenue and Lincoln Way.

Construction work for the first segment of this project along 19th Avenue between Lincoln Way and Noriega Street has begun.

As part of the [19th Avenue Combined City Project](#), the SFMTA will implement transit priority and safety improvements for people walking along the route of the 28 19th Avenue. The improvements will make it safer to walk, remove stops to make transit service more reliable, and enhance customers' experiences—on and off the bus.

To improve safety along 19th Avenue, the SFMTA will: **1)** install pedestrian bulbs at 19 intersections and transit bulbs at 13 intersections; **2)** modify traffic and pedestrian signals to give people who walk more time to cross the street; and **3)** extend the bus zone at one intersection. Installing transit bulbs allow Muni vehicles to stop for passengers without having to pull out of traffic, and pedestrian bulbs increase the visibility at intersections of people who walk.

As part of the project, seven Muni stops were removed on 19th Avenue between Irving Street and Ocean Avenue last October. **The following Muni routes have been affected with the stop removal:**

- **28 19th Avenue**
- **91 3rd Street/19th Avenue Owl**

To find additional information about the transit reliability and pedestrian safety components, visit sfmta.com/28Rapid. For overall project information, visit sfpublicworks.org/19th-Avenue.

ONGOING: Essential Trip Card Discount Program

The SFMTA's temporary special program, [Essential Trip Card](#) (ETC) Program, will assist people with disabilities and older adults to make essential trips under Muni's temporary transit changes. The program provides two to three round trips at an 80% discount per month, i.e. rider pays \$6 to receive a value of \$30 or pays \$12 to receive a \$60 value. Riders may receive additional value up to \$120 of taxi service per month per customer upon request.

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ONGOING: Essential Trip Card Discount Program *continued*

To qualify for the program: customer must be either age 65 or older or an adult with disabilities. Eligible adults may apply for the ETC program by calling 311 and mentioning the program. Staff will be available between 9 a.m. and 4:45 p.m., Monday through Friday. Visit <https://www.sfmta.com/etc> for additional details and for a list of San Francisco taxi companies, visit <https://www.sfmta.com/taxi/directory>.

SFMTA's pre-existing Shop-a-Round program that offers registered seniors and people with disabilities personalized assistance and rides to and from grocery stores and farmers markets is still available and will continue post public health order. For more information, visit <https://www.sfmta.com/shop-round>.

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To help with your travel plans to special events in the City of San Francisco, this release will be updated on a weekly basis. Whether you are a visitor or a local resident in the City, we hope you have an enjoyable weekend!

For more information on Muni service, please call the San Francisco Customer Service Center at 311 or visit www.sfmta.com. For additional information on Muni's Accessible Services Program, please call (415) 701-4485 or TTY (415) 701-4730.

For Muni route, schedule, fare and accessible services information anytime: Visit www.sfmta.com or contact 311 **311 Free language assistance** / 免費語言協助 / Ayuda gratis con el idioma / Бесплатная помощь переводчиков / Trợ giúp Thông dịch Miễn phí / Assistance linguistique gratuite / 無料の言語支援 / 무료 언어 지원 / Libreng tulong para sa wikang Tagalog / การช่วยเหลือทางด้านภาษาโดยไม่เสียค่าใช้จ่าย / خط المساعدة المجاني على الرقم