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****PRESS RELEASE****

SFMTA Transit and Traffic Advisory for

Thursday, January 25, 2024 through Wednesday, January 31, 2024

San Francisco—The San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency (SFMTA) releases the following upcoming event-related traffic and transit impacts for this week from Thursday, Jan. 25 through Wednesday, Jan. 31, 2024.

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.

Events at Chase Center

Thursday, Jan. 25 through Wednesday, Jan. 31: There will be multiple home games and performance at the Chase Center:

- **Thursday, Jan. 25:** The Warriors will play against the [Sacramento Kings](#). Game will start at 7 p.m. Doors will open at 5:30 p.m.
- **Saturday, Jan. 27:** The Warriors will play against the [Los Angeles Lakers](#). Game will start at 5:30 p.m. Doors will open at 4 p.m.
- **Tuesday, Jan. 30:** The Warriors will play against the [Philadelphia 76ers](#). Game will start at 7 p.m. Doors will open at 5:30 p.m.
- **Wednesday, Jan. 31:** Performance by [The Trilogy Tour](#) will take place. Show will start at 7 p.m. Doors will open at 6 p.m.

Supplemental Muni Service

- Muni will operate supplemental **78X Arena Express** service
- **Pre-event express shuttle service** from 16th Street BART Station to Chase Center will start two and a half hours before each game/event and will end one hour after game/event starts.
- **Post-event express shuttle service** from Chase Center on 16th Street to 16th Street BART Station will run until the area clears.

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Events at Chase Center *continued*

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 \$10 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 and 45 minutes after an event.
- Only local access will be allowed on Northbound Illinois Street between Mariposa and 16th streets.

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
- Between the 500 and 700 blocks of Terry Francois Boulevard (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 at Bridgeview Way.

Additional Passenger Loading

- 4th Street which connects to Chase Center via Gene Friend Way pedestrian path which cuts through UCSF campus.
- Owens Street connects to Chase Center via Gene Friend Way pedestrian path which cuts through UCSF campus.

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Events at Chase Center *continued*

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](https://www.sfmta.com/ChaseCenter).

For additional details and about transportation to ballpark, visit www.sfmta.com/chase-center.

CONSTRUCTION WORK AND OTHER UPDATES

UPDATE: Muni's Service Network

Saturday, Jan. 20: The SFMTA adjusted Muni service on some routes to address crowding, including for school travel times. We also made several stop changes based on rider feedback and our own observations to add new connections and make Muni more reliable. Learn more at [SFMTA.com/ServiceChanges](https://www.sfmta.com/ServiceChanges).

UPDATE: L Taraval Improvement Project—Segment B

The L Taraval Improvement project continues construction along Segment B replacing and repairing the infrastructure along the L Taraval line between Sunset Boulevard and 15th Avenue, and on Ulloa Street near West Portal.

The project is a comprehensive infrastructure rehabilitation of sewer and water lines and streetscape project. The project will address safety concerns for customers boarding Muni, address the much-needed rehabilitation of aging sewer and water lines while bringing streetscape improvements to the Taraval corridor for added vibrancy.

Work continues on water lines, as well as on the overhead contact system (OCS) that powers the trains. OCS work has transitioned to underground conduit work to support power to the trains and the new and existing streetlights. Curb ramp work has started with demolition and grading areas in preparation for construction of the new boarding ramps and to upgrade existing boarding ramps.

The rail tracks west of the intersection of Ulloa and Madrone streets have been taken offline to facilitate the reconstruction of the water and sewer mains as well as replace the tracks and overhead lines. The upgraded sewer and water lines, permanent boarding islands and increased accessibility will make riding safer and more reliable.

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CONSTRUCTION WORK AND OTHER UPDATES *continued*

UPDATE: L Taraval Improvement Project—Segment B *continued*

The L Bus now runs between West Portal and the SF Zoo. Customers can transfer to a train at West Portal Station to travel downtown.

To facilitate the project during track in each section (except at 15th Avenue), there are temporary bus stop changes:

- The inbound bus stop at Taraval Street and 15th Avenue has been relocated across the intersection until fall 2024.

The following L Taraval bus stops will be relocated during construction:

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- **Inbound**
 - 14th and Ulloa to Madrone and Ulloa, northwest corner
- **Outbound**
 - Ulloa and Lenox to West portal and Ulloa, southeast corner
 - 14th and Ulloa to Taraval and 14th, northeast corner
 - 14th and Taraval to northeast corner

L Taraval Bus - Jan. 3 to Feb. 16, 2024

- **Inbound L Taraval / L Special / L Owl**
 - 15th Avenue to northwest corner
 - 17th Avenue to Santiago and 17th, southwest corner
 - 19th to northeast corner
 - 22nd to Ulloa and 22nd, southwest corner
- **Outbound L Taraval / L Special / L Owl**
 - Taraval and Forest side to Ulloa and Lenox, northwest corner
 - 15th Avenue and Taraval to 17th Avenue and Taraval, southeast corner
 - 19th Avenue to southwest corner
 - 23rd to southeast corner

For an interactive bus reroute map with temporary bus stop relocations during construction, customer can visit [Interactive Bus Reroute](#).

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CONSTRUCTION WORK AND OTHER UPDATES *continued*

UPDATE: L Taraval Improvement Project—Segment B *continued*

Track Work

The tracks along Taraval Street are actively being installed. Crews have been excavating, removing, pulling rails in to install, building new foundations, pouring concrete slabs, setting rails, block-by-block in track areas.

Areas of current track work

- Taraval Street between 29th and 32nd avenues – Rail removal and installation
- Taraval Street between 33rd Avenue and Sunset Boulevard - Rail work is anticipated to start on Monday, Feb. 12
- Ulloa Street between 15th and Forest Side avenues – Rail installation

Please note the following impacts to travel during track work:

- **Parking:** No parking in track work areas.
- **By car:** Taraval Street will be open to through traffic traveling east- and westbound, however, vehicles approaching areas with active track installation will only be able to access Taraval Street by making right turns.
- **By bus:** The L Bus may be rerouted around the construction area when heavy equipment is present.
- **On foot:** Pedestrians will be able to cross Ulloa and Taraval streets in the construction area in designated areas for pedestrians during non-construction hours and weekends.

Overhead contact system (OCS) pole, overhead wiring and permanent pole placement will happen along the L Taraval line from Ulloa and Funston to Taraval and Sunset. **This work will be conducted overnight between 10 p.m. and 5 a.m. and expected to be complete in June 2024.** Work on any given block will vary and is expected to take a few hours to a few days per location.

For additional project details, visit [SFMTA.com/LTaravalProject](https://www.sfmta.com/LTaravalProject). For construction updates visit the [Project Update](#) page for construction updates through January 27.

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ONGOING

Masks Recommended

Following the latest guidance from the [California Department of Public Health](#) (CDPH), San Francisco Department of Public Health (SFDPH) and the Federal Transit Administration (FTA), masks are strongly recommended but no longer required in any SFMTA facilities, transit hubs or on vehicles including Muni buses, streetcars, light rail vehicles or cable cars or in taxis or on paratransit.

ONGOING: Essential Trip Card Discount Program

The SFMTA's program, [Essential Trip Card](#) (ETC) Program, assists people with disabilities and older adults to make essential trips using taxis. 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. If essential needs require it, riders may receive additional value up to \$120 of taxi service per month.

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 the Paratransit Mobility Management office at 415-351-7053. Staff are available weekdays between 9 a.m. and 4:45 p.m. 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 Shop-a-Round program which offers registered seniors and people with disabilities personalized assistance and rides to and from grocery stores and farmers markets is available as well. 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.

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