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PRESS RELEASE SFMTA Weekend Transit and Traffic Advisory For Saturday, August 3, 2019

San Francisco—The San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency (SFMTA) releases the following upcoming event-related traffic and transit impacts for this weekend, from Saturday, August 3 through Wednesday, August 7, 2019.

For real-time updates, follow us on https://twitter.com/sfmta_muni or visit https://www.sfmta.com/about-us/contact-us/email-and-text-alerts to sign up for real-time text messages or email alerts.

For details of Muni re-routes, visit_http://www.sfmta.com/news/alerts. This website will be updated when it is closer to the event date.

For additional notifications and agency updates, subscribe to our blog, <u>Moving SF</u> for <u>daily</u> or <u>weekly</u> updates.

Nihonmachi Street Fair

Saturday, August 3 and Sunday, August 4: The annual Nihonmachi Street Fair will take place in and around Japantown from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. each day.

For more event information, please visit www.nhonmachistreetfair.org.

The following street closures will be required from 5 a.m., Saturday to 9 p.m., Sunday:

- Post Street between Laguna and Fillmore streets
- Webster Street between Geary Boulevard and Sutter streets
- Intersection of Webster and Post streets

There will be no impact on Muni service.



San Francisco Giants Baseball Games

Monday, August 5 through Wednesday, August 7: The San Francisco Giants will play three games at the ballpark **against the Washington Nationals**: **1)** 6:45 p.m., Monday; **2)** 6:45 p.m., Tuesday; and **3)** 12:45 p.m., Wednesday.

For detail on parking conditions during this period and transit options to the ballpark, visit www.sfgiants.com/transportation.

For details about transportation to the ballpark, including connections from Bay Area transit system to Muni, visit https://www.sfmta.com/places/oracle-park.

Muni Service at Salesforce Transit Center

Sunday, August 11, 2019, the 25 Treasure Island Muni route will resume service to the Salesforce Transit Center.

- The Transit Center will be the ONLY stop for the 25 Treasure Island in downtown San Francisco.
- During the day, the 25 Treasure Island route will pick-up and drop-off customers on the Bus Deck on Level 3.
- Between midnight and 6 a.m., the 25 Treasure Island route will use the Bus Plaza on Ground Level.

The main entrance for the Transit Center is on Fremont Street between Howard and Mission streets. The temporary Transbay Terminal will be closed.

For more information about the Transit Center, visit SFMTA.com/TransitCenter.

NEW: Early Subway Closure for Critical Maintenance

Starting Monday, Aug., 12 through Sunday, Aug. 25, Muni subway between Embarcadero and West Portal will close early at 9:30 p.m. When the subway closes early, buses will run above ground to connect all stops, beginning at 9:30 p.m. through the normal end of train service at 1 a.m. OWL service will remain unchanged. Trains will start regular morning service each day. Trains and buses will operate according to this service plan:

- Shuttle buses will serve all Muni Metro stops between Embarcadero/Brannan and St. Francis Circle
- K/ M Train service between Balboa Park and St. Francis Circle



NEW: Early Subway Closure for Critical Maintenance continued

- L Buses will run between Embarcadero/Brannan and Zoo. No L trains running.
- N Train service between Ocean Beach and Church/Duboce (Inbound N trains become outbound N trains at Church/Duboce)
- J Train service between Balboa Park and Church/Duboce (Inbound J trains become outbound J trains at Church/Duboce)
- T Train service between Sunnydale and Embarcadero/Brannan

Trains of inbound N Judah and outbound J Church will use the accessible stop entering the Duboce Portal to serve passengers needing the ramp.

Muni customers are encouraged to leave extra travel time when riding Muni during the subway closure. Regular bus fares will apply on bus shuttles and valid transfers will be accepted.

CONSTRUCTION WORK AND OTHER UPDATES

UPDATE: Muni Track Work at Judah Street & 17th Avenue

Since Monday, July 8 and continuing for another week, N Judah track maintenance work is taking place at Judah Street and 18th Avenue. During construction, the N Judah rail service is operating without interruption. While Judah Street remains open, vehicular traffic along 18th Avenue will only be able to make right turns temporarily until work is completed.

Work hours are from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Monday through Saturday. During construction:

- While measures are being taken to minimize inconvenience, neighbors can expect some noise during demolition.
- To accommodate the construction, four parking spaces, two on each side of Judah Street east of the intersection, has been used as staging areas. They are unavailable for parking 24 hours a day for the duration. Additionally two or three parking spaces on the remaining sides of the street are unavailable during construction hours.
- Crosswalks and sidewalks may be occasionally closed.
- Due to lane closures, slow traffic is expected. All travelers, especially drivers, are encouraged to leave extra time and move carefully through the area.



UPDATE: Van Ness Improvement Project

On Friday, August 2, between the hours of 8 p.m. and 7 a.m., crews are scheduled to conduct water main replacement, sewer and street light conduit work at the following locations:

- Van Ness at Filbert Street
- Van Ness at Bush Street (intensive noise is expected)
- Van Ness at Mission Street (intensive noise is expected)

On Saturday, August 3, during the day, crews are scheduled to move construction fencing at the following locations:

• Van Ness at Filbert Street

Because some work requires reducing Van Ness Avenue to one lane in each direction, some work is 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<u>sfmta.com/vanness</u>.

UPDATE: Third Street Bridge Rehabilitation Project

Nighttime construction work is taking place between the hours of 8 p.m. and 7 a.m. This construction work is anticipated to continue nightly, Monday through Saturday, **through 7** a.m., Friday October 4.

Since Sunday, July 7, crews have begun phase two of the rehabilitation work. Phase two construction work involves travel lane shifts and other adjustments to the roadway and work area. Vehicle and bicycle access via travel lanes across the bridge continue to be available in each direction, northbound and southbound (except during periods of full temporary bridge closures when the pending scope of work restricts access across the bridge for all vehicle, bicycle and pedestrian traffic). Pedestrian access is available via the sidewalk along the eastern side of the bridge. Bicycles may also choose to walk their bicycle along the pedestrian sidewalk as an alternative to riding across the bridge via the travel lane. Pedestrian access via the sidewalk along the western side of the bridge may be unavailable during different phases of upcoming work.

To facilitate ongoing rehabilitation activity, **temporary full closure of the bridge** will be implemented. During closure, all vehicle, bicycle and pedestrian traffic will be restricted. **From 8 p.m., Wednesday, July 24 to the afternoon of Monday, August 5**, temporary full bridge



<u>UPDATE: Third Street Bridge Rehabilitation Project continued</u>

closures will be in effect. The next full bridge closure is scheduled for Thursday, August 15 until Friday, August 23, 2019.

4th Street Bridge is open and access across the bridge is generally available throughout the Third Street Bridge closure. Please note that during peak commute hours (Monday through Friday, 7 to 10 a.m. and 3 to 7 p.m.), and at the discretion of parking control officers and SFPD, access may be temporarily restricted to clear congested traffic through the area and to allow trains through. Vehicles will e redirected to alternative detour routes.

Construction scheduling is subject to change due to rain or other weather delays, equipment breakdown, and/or unforeseen field conditions. Additional periods of short closures may be possible in September and October 2019, if necessary, to complete remaining rehabilitation work. Information will be shared closer to that period should additional closures seem necessary and details are finalized. Updates will be posted to the project webpage.

For details about the project, the latest construction updates and suggested detour routes for pedestrians, bicyclists and vehicles, visit: www.sfpublicworks.org/thirdstreetbridge.

Central Subway Project

Pavement renovation work for the intersection at 4th and King Streets will continue from 7am Thursday, August 1 through Saturday, August 3. Crews plan to restore the concrete roadway base in sections to minimize disruptions and then repave. While there may be some pedestrian and vehicular detours at that intersection through the course of work, there are no anticipated impacts to Muni service.

Work is planned from 7am to 7pm each day and some areas may remain blocked off overnight while the concrete sets.

For more information, please visit: SFMTA.com/CentralSubway

ONGOING: UCSF Mission Bay Arena Platform Project

Since Saturday, July 27: Bus shuttles have been providing T Third service between Embarcadero and Sunnydale in order to facilitate additional work in association with the construction of the new platform. The bus shuttle substitution is expected to last approximately 10 days.

During construction, service on the E Embarcadero will be temporarily suspended. Alternative routes include F Market & Wharves, KT Ingleside/Third and N Judah.



ONGOING: UCSF Mission Bay Arena Platform Project continued

In anticipation of the new Golden State Warriors' arena, the SFMTA is constructing a new 320-foot center platform along 3rd Street between South and 16th streets. The existing platform has been demolished. The new track alignment will include one single and one double crossover to facilitate the movement of vehicles as operations requires. Other associated work includes modification of the overhead contact system, and both above and below ground utility relocation work. Construction will require different phases of work that will necessitate separate transit service plans.

For the latest information, visit www.SFMTA.com/MissionBayPlatform.

ONGOING: Construction of Mission Bay Loop

The SFMTA has resumed construction on 18th, 19th and Illinois streets, the project is expected to be completed in summer 2019. Traffic, including travelling by bike, may be affected by the construction work. All work areas will be clearly marked and there will be flaggers to help direct traffic. In order to conduct the work, parking on both sides including along the historical Crane Cove Park fence (east side of Illinois Street) will be removed 24 hours, 7 days a week from 18th to 19th and Illinois streets for the duration of the project.

A partial street closure is currently in effect in order to accommodate duct bank work on Illinois Street between 18th and 19th streets through summer of 2019. Outer traffic lanes traveling both north and south on Illinois Street will remain open for through traffic. Immediately following the duct bank work, the track work will begin.

Local access to properties along the project site will be maintained. For project details or to sign up to receive project updates, visit: https://www.sfmta.com/missionbayloop.

Upcoming Construction Project

L Taraval Improvement Project

The L Taraval Improvement Project will start construction in summer of 2019 to realize permanent and comprehensive safety components, along with repair and rehabilitation of aging sewer and water lines, worn rails, overhead wires, and roadways. For more information, visit sfmta.com/projects/LTaravalProject.



L Taraval Improvement Project continued

The project will be in two phases/segments:

- Phase One of the project will focus on the streets from SF Zoo to Sunset Blvd (Segment A)
- Phase Two of the project will continue from Sunset Blvd to West Portal (Segment B)
- Planned for Spring 2020, train services will be temporarily substituted with bus shuttles during construction
- The duration of the project is approximately 3 years

Upcoming Events

Outside Lands

Friday, August 9 through Sunday, August 11: Outside Lands will be held in Golden Gate Park from noon to 10 p.m., each day. Attendance of over 200,000 participants is expected over the course of the weekend. For more event details, please visit http://www.sfoutsidelands.com/.

The following Muni lines and routes will be impacted: N Judah; NX N Express; 5 Fulton; 5R Fulton Rapid; 7 Haight/Noriega; 7R Haight/Noriega Rapid; 7X Noriega Express; 18 46th Avenue; 28 19th Avenue; 28R 19th Avenue Rapid; 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.

Muni Service to and from Outside Lands

On Friday, Saturday and Sunday, from approximately 2 until 11:30 p.m., Muni will provide supplemental service on the following lines and routes:



Outside Lands continued

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/36th Avenue and

Fulton/30th Avenue and travelling express (non-stop) to Hyde and Grove streets near 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.

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.

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.



Outside Lands continued

To learn more about transfer discounts, please visit transfer discounts.

For more information on using Clipper on Muni, please visit <u>clippercard.com/muni.</u>

Purchase Muni Fare using MuniMobile

Concert goers may use <u>MuniMobile</u>, 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, <u>MuniMobile</u>, 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.sfoutsidelands.com/travel-and-accommodations/.

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 https://outsidelands.frontgatetickets.com/event/4vbq9p4ifwvz19s8.

BART

For regional BART connections and schedules, please visit: http://www.bart.gov/schedules/byline.

Pistahan Parade and Festival

Saturday, August 10 and Sunday, August 11: The 26th annual Pistahan Festival will take place at Yerba Buena Gardens from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., each day. For more event details, please visit http://www.pistahan.net/.

Saturday: A parade in conjunction with the Pistahan Arts Festival will begin at Grove and Larkin streets in Civic Center with an opening ceremony at 11 a.m.



Pistahan Parade and Festival continued

The parade will start after the ceremony and continue to Fulton and Hyde streets, proceed south on Hyde Street, then east on Market Street, south to 4th Street and into Yerba Buena Gardens, where the Pistahan Festival will be held on both Saturday and Sunday.

Cross traffic will be allowed between parade units on an intermittent basis.

The following Muni lines and routes will be affected: F Market & Wharves; 5 Fulton; 6 Haight/Parnassus; 7 Haight/Noriega; 8 Bayshore; 9 San Bruno; 12 Folsom/Pacific; 19 Polk; 21 Hayes; 27 Bryant; 30 Stockton; 31 Balboa; and 45 Union/Stockton.

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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. All road users are encouraged to be aware, share the roadway and to follow all rules to ensure everyone's safety. Whether you are riding Muni, taking a taxi, walking, riding a bike or driving, please remain vigilant to keep everyone safe. If you see suspicious activity, please report it.

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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