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# \*\*PRESS RELEASE\*\* SFMTA Weekend Transit and Traffic Advisory for Weekend of Saturday, June 18, 2022

**San Francisco**—The San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency (SFMTA) releases the following upcoming event-related traffic and transit impacts for this holiday weekend, from **Thursday, June 16, through Tuesday, June 21, 2022**.

For real-time updates, follow us on <a href="https://twitter.com/sfmta muni">https://twitter.com/sfmta muni</a> or visit <a href="https://twitter.com/sfmta muni">SFMTA.com/EmailText</a> to sign up for real-time text messages or email alerts.

For details of Muni re-routes, visit <u>SFMTA.com/Updates</u>. 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 <u>daily</u> or <u>weekly</u> updates.

#### **Masks Recommended**

Following the latest guidance from the <u>California Department of Public Health</u> (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.

#### **Muni Service on Juneteenth Holiday**

On Monday, June 20 (Juneteenth Holiday Observed), Muni will operate on a Sunday service schedule

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# Parking Enforcement on Juneteenth Holiday, Monday, June 20

On Monday, June 20 (Juneteenth Holiday Observed), parking meters (all meters including color capped), white zones, nightly street sweeping (street cleaning) and safety violations (no stopping, no parking, red and blue zones) will be enforced.

Other SFMTA parking programs will not be enforced:

- Residential Parking Permits (RPP) Zones
- General Parking Time Limits
- Weekday Daytime Street Sweeping (Street Cleaning)
- Commuter Shuttle Towaway Zones
- Unmetered Yellow and Green Zones

Vehicles creating a hazard and/or an unsafe condition (i.e. double parking, blocking a bike lane, blocking driveways, blocking crosswalks, fire hydrants, etc.) are subject to receiving citations and can possibly be towed.

Note: Parking meters in the city are enforced Monday through Saturday with exception of the following areas where parking meters are enforced seven days per week throughout the year except Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day and New Year's Day:

- Parking meters in the Fisherman's Wharf area
- On and near The Embarcadero roadway
- In the Special Event Area around AT&T Park
- Five metered off-street parking facilities listed below:
  - o 8th Avenue at Clement Street
  - o 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue at Clement Street
  - o Geary Boulevard at 21st Avenue
  - o 18th Avenue at Geary Boulevard
  - o Pierce Street Garage (between Lombard and Chestnut streets)

#### **NBA Finals at Chase Center**

Thursday, June 16 through Sunday, June 19: Warriors playoff games and watch party against the Boston Celtics will take place:

- Thursday, June 16: Game 6 Watch Party will begin at 6 p.m. Doors will open at 5 p.m.
- Sunday, June 19: Game 7, <u>if needed</u>, will begin at 5 p.m. Doors will open at 3:30 p.m.



#### NBA Finals at Chase Center continued

# Supplemental Muni Service

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

- **Pre-event express shuttle service** from 16<sup>th</sup> Street BART Station to 16<sup>th</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> streets 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 16<sup>th</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> streets to 16<sup>th</sup> Street BART Station will run until the 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 <a href="https://www.sfmta.com/special-event-parking">www.sfmta.com/special-event-parking</a>.

#### 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:

- 16<sup>th</sup> Street between 3<sup>rd</sup> Street and Terry Francois Boulevard
- Warriors Way between 3<sup>rd</sup> Street and Terry Francois Boulevard
- Northbound 3<sup>rd</sup> Street between 16<sup>th</sup> 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 16<sup>th</sup> 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:

- 16<sup>th</sup> Street between 3<sup>rd</sup> Street and Terry Francois Boulevard
- Warriors Way between 3<sup>rd</sup> Street and Terry Francois Boulevard
- Terry Francois Boulevard (TFB) between Warriors Way and the east and west side of the 700 block south of 16th Street
- Terry Francois Boulevard (TFB), east side of the 500 block south of Mission Bay Boulevard South



#### NBA Finals at Chase Center continued

#### 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.

## Additional Passenger Loading

- There is passenger loading on 4<sup>th</sup> Street which may be accessed by walking west on Gene Friend Way pedestrian path.
- There is also passenger loading on Owens Street by continuing west on Gene Friend Way pedestrian path.

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

## **North Beach Festival**

**Saturday, June 18 and Sunday, June 19**: The 66<sup>th</sup> annual North Beach Festival will take place in the North Beach District. Event will be from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., each day. For more details, visit <a href="https://www.northbeachfestival.org">www.northbeachfestival.org</a>.

The following street closures will be required from 12:01 a.m., Saturday to midnight, Sunday:

- Columbus Avenue between Broadway and Green Street
- Grant Avenue between Columbus Avenue and Filbert Street
- Green Street between Grant and Columbus avenues
- Vallejo Street between Grant Avenue and Stockton Street
- Intersections: Vallejo and Green streets at Grant Avenue, Grant Avenue at Columbus Avenue

The **8 Bayshore** Muni route will be affected.

## **Juneteenth Freedom Celebration**

**Saturday, June 18:** The annual Western Addition Juneteenth celebration will take place on Fillmore Street from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. For additional information visit <a href="https://juneteenth-sf.org">https://juneteenth-sf.org</a>.



#### Juneteenth Freedom Celebration continued

The following street closure will be in effect from 4 a.m. to 11 p.m., Saturday:

- Fillmore Street between Geary Boulevard and Fulton Street
- O'Farrell Street between Fillmore and Steiner streets

# The 22 Fillmore Muni route will be impacted.

## Juneteenth at African American Art & Culture Complex

**Saturday, June 18:** Along with the traditional Juneteenth celebration on Fillmore Street, the African American Art & Culture Complex will be holding Juneteenth celebrations from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Fulton Street and in their lot.

The following street closure will be in effect from 4 a.m. through 10 p.m., Saturday:

• Fulton Street between Webster and Laguna streets

There will be no impact on Muni service.

#### Juneteenth in Bayview

**Sunday, June 19**: SF Black Wallstreet is bringing their third annual Juneteenth celebration to the Bayview-Hunters Point community at Gilman Park. For additional details, visit www.sanfranciscojuneteenth.com.

The following street closures will be in effect from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.:

- Gilman Avenue (eastbound travel lanes only) between Bill Walsh Way and Hawes Street
- Bill Walsh Way between Gilman and Ingerson avenues
- Ingerson Avenue between Bill Walsh Way and Gilroy Street

The **29 Sunset** Muni route will be affected.

#### **CONSTRUCTION WORK AND OTHER UPDATES**

# **NEW: Construction of Sunnydale HOPE SF Project**

**Starting Tuesday, June 21** and will continue for about two years, the Sunnydale HOPE SF Project- Phase 1A3 construction will take place on Sunnydale Avenue between Santos and Hahn streets. Project completion is anticipated in Winter 2023.

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#### CONSTRUCTION WORK AND OTHER UPDATES continued

# NEW: Construction of Sunnydale HOPE SF Project continued

During construction Sunnydale Avenue between Santos and Hahn streets will be closed 24/7.

To facilitate traffic throughout the duration of construction, there will be temporary roadway on Sunrise Way for traffic re-routes and temporary Muni bus stop will be in place near and around the construction area.

To support the construction work, Muni will re-route the following bus routes throughout the project duration: 8 Bayshore, 8BX Bayshore B Express, 9 San Bruno, 9R San Bruno Rapid, and 91 3rd Street/19th Avenue Owl.

## <u>UPDATE: 16<sup>th</sup> Street Improvement Project</u>

As part of the Muni Forward Program and to improve reliability, speed and increase overall system effectiveness for the key 22 Fillmore route, the 16<sup>th</sup> Street Improvement Project is part of a larger network of proposed or planned improvements to the Muni system.

There is no active construction scheduled for this weekend.

For more project details and the latest construction updates, visit <u>www.sfmta.com/16thStreet</u>.

#### **UPDATE: Van Ness Improvement Project**

There is no active construction scheduled for this weekend. For more project details and the latest construction updates, visit <u>SFMTA.com/VanNess</u>.

#### **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 15<sup>th</sup> Avenue, and on Ulloa Street near West Portal.

The rail tracks west of the intersection of Ulloa and Madrone streets have been taken offline to complete construction. Work needs to be performed during construction to facilitate the reconstruction of the water and sewer mains as well as replace the tracks and overhead lines. The L Bus will continue to provide service between Embarcadero and the SF Zoo.



## CONSTRUCTION WORK AND OTHER UPDATES continued

# <u>UPDATE: L Taraval Improvement Project—Segment B continued</u>

The upgraded sewer and water lines, permanent boarding islands and increased accessibility will make riding safer and more reliable.

The current construction phase is focused on replacing water and sewer lines. Construction is scheduled to take place from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. Night work is planned from Monday, July 18 through Friday, August 12 to disconnect the overhead contact system (OCS). Work hours are from 10 p.m. and 5 a.m. the next morning.

For additional project details, visit <u>SFMTA.com/LTaraval Project</u>. For project updates of work for the upcoming weeks of June 13 through June 25, visit <u>www.sfmta.com/L-Taraval Improvement Project</u>.

#### **ONGOING**

## ONGOING: Muni's COVID-19 Core Service Network

Some Muni routes have been modified as a result of ongoing resource constraints from the COVID-19 pandemic. For details on Muni's current routes and service, visit individual route webpages or the <u>Muni Core Service Plan</u>. For the latest service change information, visit the <u>Service Changes</u> 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 19<sup>th</sup> Avenue, 29 Sunset, 30 Stockton, 38 Geary, 43 Masonic, 44 O'Shaughnessy, 48 Quintara/24th Street and 49 Van Ness.

Metro service runs until midnight daily.

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



#### ONGOING: Muni's COVID-19 Core Service Network continued

Routes in Service: F Market & Wharves (Fisherman's Wharf and Castro & Market streets); J Church (Balboa Park to Embarcadero); 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); 8AX Bayshore A Express; 8BX Bayshore B Express; 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; 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 (extended to provide connection to Burton High School); 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.

24-Hours Daily 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: Castro Westbound Platform Elevator Closed for Upgrades**

The rehabilitation on the westbound platform elevator at Muni Castro Station has begun and will continue for about six months. During this time, the elevator will be closed for upgrades.

The SFMTA is committed to continuously improving safety and reliability for all Muni customers even during the COVID-19 pandemic. The Castro elevator is the eighth of 12 being rehabilitated systemwide as part of the <u>Muni Elevator Improvement Project</u>. The project will greatly improve accessibility and convenience, especially for wheelchair users, seniors, and others with disabilities who benefit from elevator access.

For information on alternative Castro elevator service, visit <a href="SFMTA.com/Elevator">SFMTA.com/Elevator</a>.



## 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 19<sup>th</sup> 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 <u>19th Avenue Combined City Project</u>, 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 19<sup>th</sup> 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 <u>sfmta.com/28Rapid</u>. For overall project information, visit <u>sfpublicworks.org/19th-Avenue</u>.

## **ONGOING: Shared Spaces Program**

The city's multi-agency <u>Shared Spaces</u> 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 <u>SFMTA.com/SharedSpaces</u>.



## **ONGOING: Essential Trip Card Discount Program**

The SFMTA's temporary special program, <u>Essential Trip Card</u> (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.

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 <a href="https://www.sfmta.com/etc">https://www.sfmta.com/etc</a> for additional details and for a list of San Francisco taxi companies, visit <a href="https://www.sfmta.com/taxi/directory">https://www.sfmta.com/taxi/directory</a>.

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 <a href="https://www.sfmta.com/shop-round">https://www.sfmta.com/shop-round</a>.

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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 <a href="www.sfmta.com">www.sfmta.com</a>. For additional information on Muni's Accessible Services Program, please call (415) 701-4485 or TTY (415) 701-4730.

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