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****PRESS RELEASE****

**SFMTA Weekend Transit and Traffic Advisory for
Weekend of Saturday, September 17, 2022**

San Francisco—The San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency (SFMTA) releases the following upcoming event-related traffic and transit impacts for this weekend, from **Friday, Sept. 16 through Wednesday, Sept. 21**.

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.

Masks Recommended

Following the latest guidance from the [California Department of Public Health](#) (CDPH), San Francisco Department of Public Health (SFPDH) 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.

San Francisco Giants Baseball Games at the Ballpark

Friday, Sept. 16 through Sunday, Sept. 18: The San Francisco Giants will play three home games at the ballpark. Listed below are start times for these games:

- **Three games against the Los Angeles Dodgers: 1)** 7:15 p.m., Friday, Sept. 16; **2)** 6:05 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 17; and **3)** 4:08 p.m., Sunday, Sept. 18.

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San Francisco Giants Baseball Games at the Ballpark *continued*

Street Closures

To accommodate events that will take place at the ballpark, the following street closures will be enforced:

- Two and a half hours before the opening pitch, the SFMTA will close eastbound King Street between 3rd and 2nd streets to vehicle traffic. King Street will reopen after first pitch until the seventh inning.
- From the seventh inning until post-game traffic dies down, the SFMTA will again close eastbound King Street between 3rd and 2nd streets to vehicle traffic in order to reduce congestion on city streets.
- Additionally, the northbound portion of the 4th Street Bridge (Peter R. Maloney Bridge) will be closed to all traffic except Muni, taxis and bicycles during the post-game period.

Taxi Stands

- 2nd Street, west side, between Brannan and King Streets
- 2nd Street, east side, between Townsend and King Streets
- 3rd Street, east side, north of King Street

Special Event Parking Rates

During baseball games and other major events with more than 10,000 expected attendees at the Oracle Park, **parking meters close to the ballpark will charge a special event rate of \$9 per hour.** These rates help reduce congestion and keep parking spots available in the neighborhoods near the ballpark, 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.

For additional details and about transportation to ballpark, visit www.sfmta.com/oracle-park. For more event details, visit www.mlb.com.

Events at Chase Center

Friday, Sept. 16 through Wednesday, Sept. 21: There are multiple performances to take place at the Chase Center:

- **Friday, Sept. 16:** Performance by [Swedish House Mafia](http://www.swedishhousemafia.com). The show will begin at 8 p.m. Doors will open at 7 p.m.

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Events at Chase Center *continued*

- **Saturday, Sept. 17:** Performance by [Swedish House Mafia](#). The show will begin at 8 p.m. Doors will open at 7 p.m.
- **Sunday, Sept. 18:** Performance by [Twenty One Pilots](#). The show will begin at 7 p.m. Doors will open at 6 p.m.
- **Wednesday, Sept. 21:** Performance by [Gorillaz](#). The show will begin at 7:30 p.m. Doors will open at 6:30 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 will end one hour after game/event starts.
- **Post-event express shuttle service** from 16th and 3rd streets to 16th 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 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.

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Events 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.

Additional Passenger Loading

- There is passenger loading on 4th 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 [SFMTA.com/ChaseCenter](https://www.sfmta.com/ChaseCenter).

Grace Notes Community Music Festival

On Saturday, Sept. 17, there will be a small music festival and community gathering on the site of the historical Black Hawk Jazz Cafe and the playground across Hyde Street, as well as in the street. The Hyde Street Community Music Program at Demonstration Gardens is sponsoring the Grace Notes Music Festival Summer 2022 in partnership with SEIU Local 87, Friends of Turk & Hyde St, Hyde Street Studios, and Faithful Fools.

A closure of Hyde Street between Turk and Eddy streets will be required from 12:30 to 7:30 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 17.

The **19 Polk** Muni route will be affected.

This event will be repeated on Saturday, Oct. 8.

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SF Low Riders in the Mission

Saturday, Sept. 17: The San Francisco Low Rider Council will be gathering in the Mission District starting at 2 p.m. and will continue until 9 p.m. Event will take place on Mission Street between 22nd and 25th streets and on 24th Street between Bartlett and Capp streets.

Travelers heading the event area should allow extra travel time, should expect heavy traffic and possible street closures around the event area during the event hours:

- Mission Street between 22nd and 25th streets
- 24th Street between Bartlett and Capp streets

These Muni routes **may be** impacted: **14 Mission; 14 Mission Rapid and 49 Van Ness/Mission**. Buses running along Mission Street will be rerouted on South Van Ness Avenue between 18th Street and Cesar Chavez Street.

Sunday Streets: Western Addition

Sunday, Sept. 18: The sixth Sunday Streets event will be held in the Western Addition. The route will travel through the Western Addition, North Panhandle, Fillmore and Japantown neighborhoods. The route will be available for recreational activities from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. The event is free to all participants. For further event details, visit www.sundaystreetsf.com.

The following street closures will be required from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.:

- Fillmore Street between Fulton Street and Geary Boulevard
- Fulton Street between Baker and Fillmore streets
- Baker Street between Fulton and Fell streets
- Broderick Street between McAllister and Grove streets
- Grove Street between Broderick and Lyon streets
- Intersections: Fulton and Grove streets at Baker Street; Broderick Street at Grove Street; Broderick, Scott, Pierce and Steiner streets at Fulton Street; Fulton, Golden Gate, Turk and O'Farrell streets at Fillmore Street

Cross traffic will be allowed on Hayes, Divisadero, McAllister and Eddy streets.

Traffic will be controlled by parking control officers and San Francisco police officers.

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Sunday Streets: Western Addition *continued*

Beginning at 7 a.m., parking or stopping **WILL NOT** be allowed in the event area. Cars will be towed even for a quick drop off. From 10 a.m. until 4 p.m., no vehicles will be allowed in the event area.

The **22 Fillmore** Muni route will be affected.

Leather Pride Festival and Leather Walk

Sunday, Sept. 18: The annual Leather Pride Festival and Leather Walk will be held on Sunday, Sept. 18. The Leather Walk is scheduled to depart City Hall at 11:30 a.m. and arrive at the Leather Pride Fest at 2:30 p.m. For more event details, visit <https://sfleatherdistrict.org>.

The following streets closures will be required from 7 a.m. to 11 p.m., Sunday, Sept. 18:

- Harrison Street between 11th and 13th streets
- 12th Street between Folsom and Harrison streets
- Alleys and minor streets bordering Folsom, 11th, Harrison, and 13th (Division) streets

The **21 Hayes** Muni route will be impacted.

Dreamforce Convention

Monday, Sept. 12, through Sunday, Sept 25: A street closure of Howard Street between 3rd and 4th streets will be required for the Dreamforce Convention beginning at 6 a.m., Monday, Sept. 12 and continuing through 8 p.m., Sunday, Sept 25.

Tuesday, Sept. 20, through Thursday, Sept. 22: The Salesforce Corporation will be holding its yearly Dreamforce Convention at the Moscone Center. Conference hours will be from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. each day. An attendance of 30,000 is expected at Moscone Center North, South and West. For more event details, visit <https://www.salesforce.com/dreamforce/>.

Significant traffic congestion is anticipated in and around Moscone Center between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. daily for the duration of the closure, particularly on streets immediately east of 3rd Street and on 4th Street between Market and Howard streets during mornings and afternoons. Travelers are encouraged to take public transportation or use alternate routes. There will be heavy pedestrian traffic in the area.

Howard Street traffic will be detoured via southbound 2nd Street to Harrison Street, or via New Montgomery Street to Hawthorne Street to either Folsom or Harrison streets.

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Dreamforce Convention *continued*

There will be a signed bicycle detour for people on bikes on Howard Street to turn north at 2nd Street to Market Street. People on bikes who wish to stay on Howard Street will have the option to dismount at Howard and 3rd streets and walk their bicycle through the event along the north sidewalk.

Signage will be placed in advance of the street closures and detour routes.

Caltrans will activate electronic message signs on major freeways entering the city to notify motorists of the closures.

SFMTA Parking Control Officers and San Francisco Police Officers will be deployed at key intersections throughout the closures.

There will be no impact on Muni service.

There will be temporary taxi stands for ***pick up and drop off only***:

- Eastside of Third Street (northbound) between Howard and Minna streets
- Southside of Howard Street (westbound) between 4th and 5th streets

JP Morgan Chase Corporate Challenge

Tuesday, Sept. 20: The annual JP Morgan Chase Corporate Challenge will take place from McCovey Cove to The Embarcadero between 7 and 8:30 p.m. For more event details, visit <https://www.jpmorganchasecc.com/en/san-francisco>.

The following street closure will be required on Tuesday, Sept. 20 during time specified:

From 8 a.m. to 11 p.m.

- Terry Francois Boulevard (northbound lanes) between 16th Street and Warriors Way
- Warriors Way between Terry Francois Boulevard and Bridgeview Way

From 11 a.m. to 11 p.m.

- Terry Francois Boulevard (southbound lanes) between 16th Street and Warriors Way

From Noon. to 11 p.m.

- Terry Francois Boulevard between Warriors Way and Mission Bay Boulevard South

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JP Morgan Chase Corporate Challenge *continued*

From 3 to 11 p.m.

- 16th Street (westbound lanes) between Terry Francois Boulevard and Illinois Street

From 6 to 9 p.m.

- Terry Francois Boulevard between Mission Bay Boulevard South and northernly terminus at San Francisco Bay Trail
- Mission Rock Street between 3rd Street and Terry Francois Boulevard
- 3rd Street (northbound lanes) between Mission Bay Boulevard North and Berry Street
- 3rd Street (northbound lanes no. 2, 3, and 4) between Berry and King streets
- 3rd Street (southbound lane no. 1) between Berry and Channel streets
- King Street (eastbound lanes) between 3rd Street and The Embarcadero
- The Embarcadero (northbound lanes) between King and Howard streets

From 6 to 11 p.m.

- Warriors Way between Bridgeview and 3rd Street

There will be no impact on Muni service.

CONSTRUCTION WORK AND OTHER UPDATES

NEW: Trackway Maintenance and Construction Work

Saturday, Sept. 17 and Sunday, Sept. 18: The SFMTA will conduct multiple maintenance and construction projects along the M Line trackway.

To facilitate this work:

- **From 5 a.m. to midnight, Saturday and Sunday**, the **M Ocean View line** will be in operation with buses between stops at San Jose and Geneva avenues and West Portal Station.
- **From 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Saturday and Sunday**, the **57 Parkmerced route** will be re-routed around Eucalyptus Street.

UPDATE: 16th Street Improvement Project

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

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UPDATE: 16th Street Improvement Project *continued*

There is no active construction scheduled for this weekend.

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

UPDATE: Van Ness Improvement Project

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

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 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 now runs between West Portal and the SF Zoo. Customer can transfer to a train at West Portal Station to travel downtown.

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.

For additional project details, visit SFMTA.com/LTaraval Project. For project updates of work from Monday, Sept. 12 through Saturday, Sept. 24, visit www.sfmta.com/L-Taraval Improvement Project

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ONGOING

ONGOING: Muni's Service Network

Muni continues to expand service and implement the [2022 Muni Service Network plan](#) as resources allow. For details on Muni's current routes and service, visit individual route webpages or the [Service Changes](#) webpage.

Current Muni Service:

For routes in service, visit the [Travel & Transit Updates](#) page.

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.

Metro service runs until midnight daily.

Until further notice, Muni buses will continue to serve the L Taraval Metro line between San Francisco Zoo and West Portal Station. Transfer to Muni Metro for service downtown.

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: 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 and second segment of this project along 19th Avenue between Lincoln Way and Taraval streets was completed. Construction work for bulbouts in the third and fourth segment along 19th Avenue between Taraval Street and Holloway Avenue is ongoing.

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

As part of the [19th Avenue Combined City Project](#), the SFMTA will implement transit priority and safety improvements for people walking along 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: 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 [Muni Elevator Improvement Project](#). 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 SFMTA.com/Elevator.

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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://www.sfmta.com/SharedSpaces).

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.

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