### **Ronkonkoma Branch**

- An extra early-morning train will be provided, departing Farmingdale at 4:53 AM and arriving at Penn Station at 6:00 AM.
- The 6:54 AM express from Central Islip, normally due into Penn Station at 8:06 AM, will end its run at Jamaica at 7:44 AM, where customers can catch Penn-bound trains departing at 7:53 AM and 8:01 AM.

### **West Hempstead Branch**

• 7:36 AM train from West Hempstead, due at Penn Station at 8:29 AM, will be rerouted to Hunterspoint Avenue (arriving at 8:22 AM).

### HERE IS A BRANCH-BY-BRANCH LIST OF CHANGES FOR EVENING TRAIN SERVICE: Babvion Branch

- · 3:31 PM train from Penn is an extra train that will run express to Rockville Centre, then make all local stops to Babylon.
- 4:57 PM train from Penn stopping at Merrick and all stops to Wantagh is cancelled. Customers can take the 5:03 PM train from Penn, with added stops at Merrick, Bellmore and Wantagh.
- 5:19 PM train from Penn stopping at Merrick and all stops to Wantagh is cancelled. Customers can take the 5:24 PM train from Penn, with added stops at Merrick, Bellmore and Wantagh.
- 5:40 PM train from Penn stopping at Merrick and all stops to Seaford is cancelled. Customers can take the 5:47 PM train from Penn, with added stops at Merrick, Bellmore, Wantagh and Seaford.
- 6:05 PM train from Penn stopping at Merrick and all stops to Wantagh is cancelled. Customers can take the 6:10 PM train from Penn, with added stops at Merrick, Bellmore and Wantagh.

### **Far Rockaway Branch**

- 4:43 PM train from Penn, due at Far Rockaway at 5:40 PM, will instead originate at Atlantic Terminal at 4:47 PM.
- 5:32 PM train from Penn, due at Far Rockaway at 6:24 PM, will instead originate at Jamaica at 5:52 PM.
- 6:02 PM train from Penn, due at Far Rockaway at 6:58 PM, will instead originate at Jamaica at 6:22 PM.
- 5:53 PM westbound Off-Peak train from Far Rockaway, normally due into Penn Station at 6:47 PM, will be rerouted to Atlantic Terminal.
- Extra Off-Peak train departing Penn Station at 8:25 PM and arriving Far Rockaway at 9:19 PM.

### **Hempstead Branch**

- 5:04 PM train from Penn, due at Hempstead at 5:57 PM, will instead originate at Jamaica at its usual time of 5:28 PM.
- 5:38 PM train from Penn, due at Hempstead at 6:36 PM, will instead originate at Atlantic Terminal at 5:46 PM.
- 6:39 PM train from Penn, due at Hempstead at 7:33 PM, will instead originate at Jamaica at its usual time of 7:03 PM.
- 7:05 PM train from Penn, due at Hempstead at 7:56 PM, will instead originate at Atlantic Terminal at 7:09 PM.
- · Extra Peak train departing Penn Station at 7:18 PM and arriving Hempstead at 8:14 PM.

### Port Jefferson Branch

• 5:06 PM train from Penn, stopping at Syosset and terminating at Huntington at 6:07 PM, is cancelled. Customers can take the 5:17 PM train from Penn, which will make all stops of the cancelled train.

### **Port Washington Branch**

- Extra Off-Peak train departing Penn Station at 3:40 PM, stopping at Woodside, then all stops to Great Neck, arriving at 4:15 PM.
- 4:46 PM train from Penn, due at Great Neck at 5:23 PM, will instead originate at Hunterspoint Avenue at 4:49 PM.
- 5:14 PM train from Penn, due at Great Neck at 5:45 PM, will instead originate at Hunterspoint Avenue at 5:17 PM.
- 5:26 PM train from Penn, due at Port Washington at 6:04 PM, is cancelled. Customers can take the 5:29 PM train stopping at Manhasset, Plandome, Great Neck and Port Washington.
- 5:50 PM train from Penn, due at Great Neck at 6:19 PM, is cancelled. Customers can take the 5:56 PM train, making the stops of the cancelled train.
- 6:42 PM train from Penn, due at Great Neck at 7:17 PM, will instead originate at Hunterspoint Avenue at 6:45 PM.

### TRAVEL TIPS

New timetables for all branches will be in effect this summer, beginning July 10. Regular schedules will resume on Tuesday, September 5. We're here to help you in light of Amtrak's forced summer service cuts at Penn Station.

- Plan ahead. Review alternate transportation options online in advance of your commute at www.mta.info/lirr;
   visit www.511ny.org for updates on highway and transit conditions.
- Ride during the 'shoulder' of Peak travel periods (i.e., the start or end) for greater seat availability.
- If you have the option, avoid rush hour travel altogether, if you're not traveling for work.
- Sign up for MTA eAlerts/text messages at www.mymtaalerts.com, follow @LIRR on Twitter, or sign up for the LIRR's Train Time® app.
- · Look for LIRR timetables dated July 10, 2017, which will be available as the start of the summer work draws near.
- · Call the LIRR's Customer Service Center at 511 or 718-217-LIRR.
- Listen to radio and TV traffic reports for updates.

We regret this inconvenience. Thank you for your patience and understanding this summer.

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# **NEW SUMMER SCHEDULES** EFFECTIVE JULY 10<sup>TH</sup>

Plan ahead. Use the scheduling tool at <a href="http://lirr42.mta.info/">http://lirr42.mta.info/</a> and change the date to July 10 to find your new commute.

MTA Long Island Rail Road service will be modified this summer because Amtrak, which owns and operates Penn Station, will be taking tracks out of service to make critical repairs. The resulting reduction in Penn Station capacity is expected to impact trains between Monday, July 10 and Friday, September 1; some trains will be cancelled, some will be diverted to alternate locations, and others will have revised stopping patterns.

LIRR is adding and lengthening trains to boost capacity, and offering a special fare reduction of up to 25% off the normal ticket price for customers who avoid Penn Station by traveling to key transfer points. We're also offering alternate transportation to LIRR ticket holders including free bus service, and free morning rush hour subway transfers at key locations. Find the map in this edition of TrainTalk. Go to www.mta.info/lirr for more details.

### HERE IS A BRANCH-BY-BRANCH LIST OF CHANGES FOR MORNING TRAIN SERVICE: Babvion Branch

- · An extra westbound early-morning train will depart from Freeport at 5:43 AM and arrive at Penn Station at 6:24 AM.
- 5:56 AM train from Babylon, due at Penn at 6:59 AM, will be rerouted to Atlantic Terminal (arriving 6:59 AM).
- 6:57 AM express from Freeport, due at Penn at 7:40 AM, will be rerouted to Atlantic Terminal (arriving 7:39 AM).
- 6:56 AM express from Wantagh, due at Penn at 7:43 AM, will end its run at 7:23 AM at Jamaica, where customers can catch trains bound for Penn at 7:28 AM and 7:31 AM.
- 7:29 AM express from Freeport, due at Penn at 8:13 AM, will be rerouted to Atlantic Terminal (arriving 8:08 AM).
- 7:10 AM train from Babylon, normally due at Penn at 8:20 AM, will not operate. To accommodate customers, the LIRR will add stops to two trains. The 6:21 AM from Speonk, due Penn at 8:23 AM, will depart three minutes earlier and make added stops at Massapequa Park, Massapequa and Seaford very close to the schedule of the cancelled train. The 7:44 AM from Merrick, due at Penn Station at 8:31 AM, will originate at Babylon and stop at Lindenhurst, Copiague and Amityville.
- 8:10 AM express from Freeport, normally due at Penn at 8:50 AM, will be rerouted to Atlantic Terminal (arriving 8:47 AM).
- 8:25 AM train from Freeport, due at Penn Station at 9:08 AM, will be rerouted to Hunterspoint Avenue (arriving 9:04 AM).

### Far Rockaway Branch

• 8:10 AM train from Far Rockaway, due at Penn at 9:05 AM, will end its run at Jamaica at 8:41 AM, where customers can catch Penn-bound trains at 8:49 AM and 8:52 AM.

#### **Hempstead Branch**

- The westbound 3:59 AM train from Hempstead, due Jamaica at 4:28 AM, will not operate. Customers will be accommodated by bus.
- An extra early-morning train will be provided, departing Hempstead at 5:33 AM and arriving at Atlantic Terminal at 6:23 AM.
- 6:38 AM train from Hempstead, due at Penn at 7:34 AM, will make its last stop at Jamaica at 7:08 AM, where customers can catch Penn-bound trains at 7:18 AM and 7:23 AM.
- 7:12 AM express from Hempstead, due at Penn at 8:03 AM, will end its run at Jamaica at 7:39 AM, where customers can catch Penn-bound trains at 7:45 AM and 7:53 AM.

### **Long Beach Branch**

- The westbound 3:58 AM train from Long Beach, due Atlantic Terminal at 4:48 AM, will not operate. Bus service will be provided.
- · An extra early-morning train will be provided, departing Long Beach at 4:58 AM and arriving at Atlantic Terminal at 6:00 AM.
- The eastbound 5:28 AM train from Atlantic Terminal to Long Beach will not operate. Customers will be provided with substitute bus service
- 7:23 AM train from Long Beach, due at Penn at 8:22 AM, will be rerouted to Hunterspoint Avenue (arriving 8:13 AM).

#### **Montauk Branch**

 The 6:21 AM train from Speonk will depart three minutes earlier at all stations Speonk through Babylon, and will add stops at Massapequa Park, Massapequa and Seaford. Its arrival times at Jamaica and Penn Station will remain unchanged at 8:01 AM and 8:23 AM, respectively.

### **Port Jefferson Branch**

• 6:25 AM train from Hicksville, due at Penn at 7:11 AM, will be rerouted to Atlantic Terminal (arriving 7:11 AM).

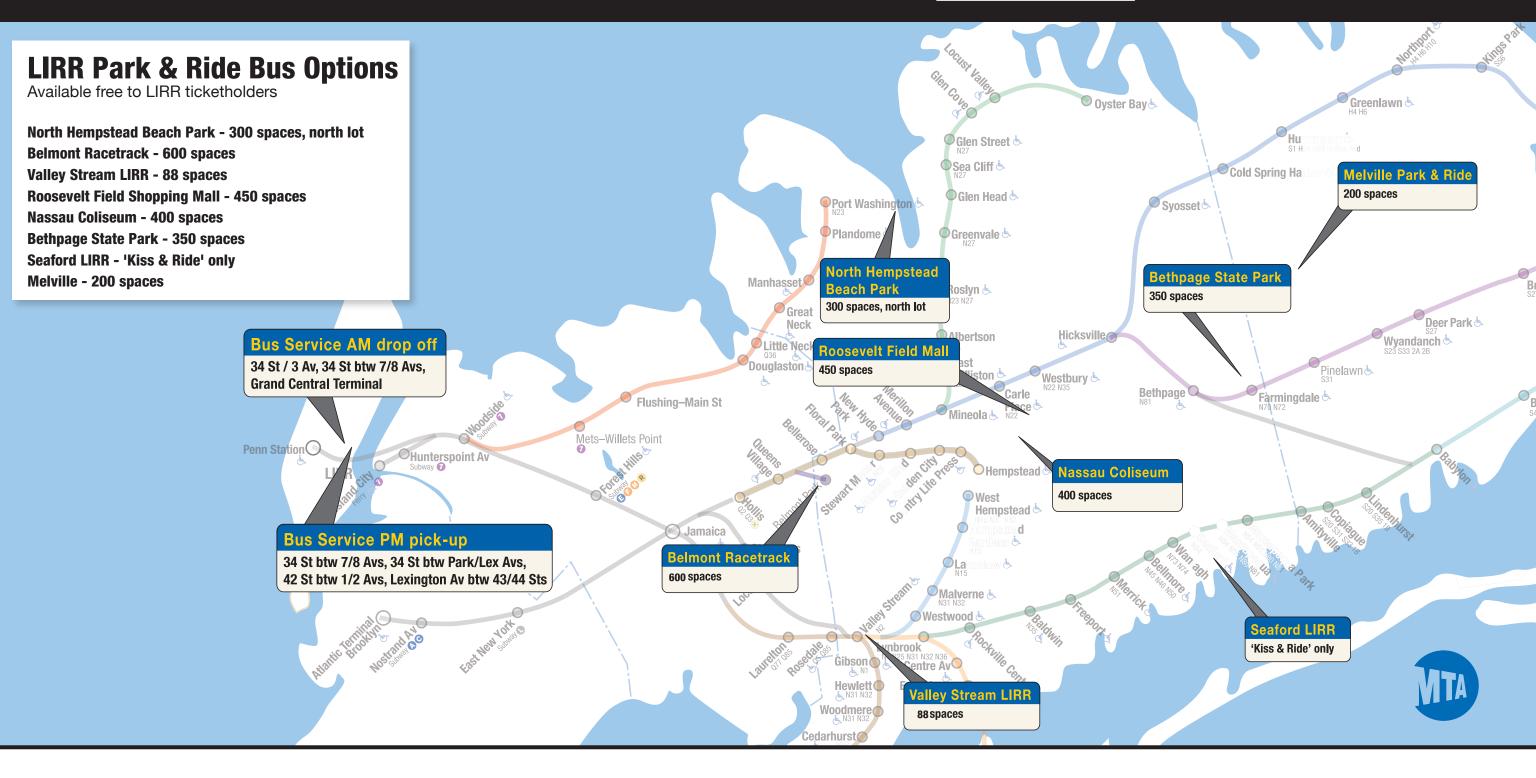
### Port Washington Branch

- · An extra early-morning train will depart Port Washington at 5:22 AM and arrive at Penn Station at 6:03 AM.
- 8:04 AM express from Great Neck, due at Penn Station at 8:38 AM, will not operate. As an alternative, customers may take the 8:24 AM from Great Neck, which will make added stops at Little Neck, Douglaston and Woodside, arriving Penn at 8:59 AM.



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# WE'RE ADDING FREE BUS SERVICE THIS SUMMER. PLEASE VISIT MTA.INFO/LIRR TO SEE ALL BUS TIMES.



# **Ferry Service Options**

Available free to LIRR customers who present a valid LIRR ticket. Please visit **www.mta.info/LIRR** for details.

