RED AHEAD

rpm Modernization

Construction Activity Notice

We are continuing construction on the Red and Purple Modernization (RPM) Phase One project to rebuild 100 year old rail infrastructure and improve transit service. Work will be performed that will affect your community and create inconveniences. We are committed to doing our best to minimize the impact of our work and will continue to keep you updated throughout the project.

UPDATED DATES & IMPACTS

EXTENDED SIDEWALK CLOSURE & NO PARKING

Dates: **Saturday, July 12 to Saturday, August 16, 2025**

Location:
- **Red-Purple Line:** CTA's Elevated Steel Structure between W. Newport Avenue and just north of W. Cornelia Avenue
- W. Cornelia Avenue at the CTA Tracks

Work Hours: **7am to 6pm, weekdays & Saturdays**

Work Activity: Lead Paint Abatement and Repainting

Local Impact:

- Crews will continue working from south to north on the Red-Purple Line structure.
- At W. Cornelia Avenue, crews will start on the south side of the street and once completed, relocate to the north side of the street.
- The sidewalk on the south side of the street will be closed first until the work activity is completed and then crews will relocate to the north side of the street. The north sidewalk will then be closed once crews relocate.
- One sidewalk will remain open at all times.
- There will be No Parking on both side of W. Cornelia Avenue at the CTA Tracks. There will be lane shifts around the work zone until the work activity completes.
- Crews will abate and paint the CTA structure, using the following tools, some of which will produce noise:
  - Containment covers
  - Portable generator and air compressor
  - Blast equipment & power tools
  - A specialized vacuum
  - Environmental monitoring equipment
- Crews will collect paint chips, debris and dust and dispose pursuant to Illinois EPA Guidelines for Hazardous Waste

If you have any questions or concerns about the RPM Project, please contact:
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