

Construction

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.

TRAFFIC LANE/SIDEWALK IMPACTS & INTERMITTENT TRAFFIC STOPS

Dates: Monday, July 17, 2023

Location: W. Newport Avenue, between N. Clark Street and the CTA Tracks

Work Hours: 9am to 1pm

Work Activity: Track Concrete Placement

Local Impact:

- The parking lane on both sides of W. Newport Avenue will be closed continuously (24/7) until the work is completed.
- There will be traffic lane shifts with flagger assistance on W. Newport Avenue.
- Due to safety concerns, there will be intermittent traffic stops (approximately 20 minutes) on W. Newport Avenue during concrete pours.
- Sidewalk closures within the work zone, underneath the CTA tracks will alternate between the north and south sides of W. Newport Avenue.
- One sidewalk will remain open with flagger assistance when necessary. (The contractor will close the sidewalk if it is deemed unsafe).
- There will be noise while work is being performed, including:
 - General construction noise
 - Beeping from backup alarms on maintenance equipment and vehicles
 - Flagging horns

If you have any questions or concerns about the RPM Project, please contact: RPM@transitchicago.com or leave a message for callback:

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