



CTA Red and Purple Modernization (RPM) Phase One Project

Construction Update: Granville Interlocking Decommissioning Work November 2020

Background: In 2021, the Chicago Transit Authority will begin reconstruction of the Lawrence, Argyle, Berwyn, and Bryn Mawr Red Line stations and track structures. In 2020, to prepare for this construction CTA has been performing “pre-stage” track improvements and building temporary rail stations at Bryn Mawr and Argyle. The work we’re doing now is important to perform because it will allow us to provide Red and Purple Line service during new station and track construction.

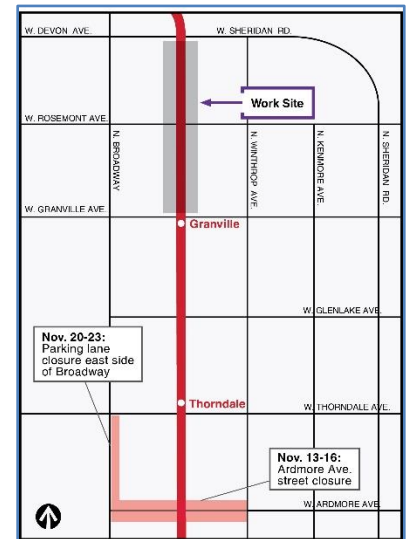
Upcoming work: Granville interlocking decommissioning

As part of “pre-stage” work in preparation for new station and track construction in 2021, CTA will remove an old rail interlocking (which permits trains to safely switch between tracks) near the Granville Red Line station.

Preliminary work is scheduled for two November weekends, while the majority of the work will occur later in the project during new station and track construction:

Community impacts

- Nov. 13-16: W. Ardmore Avenue between N. Broadway and N. Winthrop Avenue will be closed.
- Nov. 20-23: The parking lane on the east side of N. Broadway will be closed between W. Glenlake and W. Thorndale
- Additional impacts include noise, dust, truck traffic and intermittent blockages from equipment in the alleys in the work site.



CTA service impacts

- Nov. 13-16: 95th-bound Red Line trains bypass Jarvis thru Bryn Mawr stations; bus shuttle service will provided to all stations between Howard to Berwyn.
- Nov. 20-23: Howard-bound Red Line trains bypass Bryn Mawr thru Jarvis stations, bus shuttle service will provided to all stations between Berwyn to Howard.
- Customers should allow extra travel time.

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