

# Upcoming Work in 2024

## Advance construction work on the Red Line Extension begins this year!

To build the 5.6-mile Red Line Extension from 95th Street to 130th Street, CTA will need to demolish properties and relocate utility poles and equipment to make way for the new tracks and four new stations.

#### **Property Demolition**

- Demolishing properties includes removing construction spoils and preparing land for future construction work
- Beginning late summer/early fall 2024 through 2025
- Located south of 95th Street to approximately 118th Street.

#### **Utility Relocation Work**

- Digging new underground trenches and relocating power and communication lines; installing shorter utility poles to provide service to adjacent properties; and relocating power transformers on poles to underground
- Beginning summer 2024 through 2025
- · Located from 95th Street to north of 130th Street.

#### **RLE Project Status**

CTA will extend the Red Line from the 95th Street Terminal to south of 130th Street, building new tracks and four new stations at 103rd, 111th, Michigan and 130th. CTA anticipates awarding a contract to design and build the \$3.6 billion project later this year and expects to begin construction in late 2025.

The Red Line Extension will provide a new, more direct connection to downtown via the Red Line that is expected to provide up to 30 minutes in time savings to riders traveling between downtown and the future 130th station.



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#### The Red Line Extension is coming!

In 2024, CTA began work to remove properties and relocate utility equipment in advance of building new stations and tracks.

This work includes occasional street, alley and sidewalk closures, and construction noise. CTA contractors will use a variety of measures to mitigate impacts to the community as much as possible.



#### Advance construction work for RLE: What you need to know

CTA is committed to providing residents and local businesses with information about the work throughout this year and next year, including what to expect, when to expect it and what we will do to minimize those impacts.

#### **Community impacts and mitigations**

#### **Expected Impacts**

- Noise running air compressors, excavators, generators, general construction noise
- Truck traffic
- · Street, alley closures
- Sidewalk closures
- Dust

#### Mitigations to reduce impacts to the community

- Demolition: Contractors will use water and other dust control measures. Multiple adjacent properties will be demolished together to reduce frequency of closures of streets and alleys.
- Advance utility relocation: Contractors intend to complete utility work for multiple utilities in one location to reduce number of street and alley closures.

### How will I know when work starts near me?

We will notify the community of upcoming construction activities via Construction Activity Notices (CANs) in print and online.

#### **Community Meetings**

CTA will hold public meetings to provide more detail and timelines for this work. Register by scanning the QR code or at transitchicago.com/RLE.

9th Ward (Ald. Anthony Beale)
Future Red Line stations at 103rd Street and Michigan
Avenue/116th Street

Tuesday, June 18, 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm Pullman Community Center, 10355 S. Woodlawn Ave.

21st Ward (Ald. Ronnie Mosley)
Future Red Line stations at 103rd Street (auxiliary exit)
and 111th Street

Tuesday, June 25, 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm RLE Community Office, 401 W. 111th St.

10th Ward (Ald. Peter Chico)
Future Red Line station at 130th Street
Wednesday, June 26, 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm
Chicago Public Library, Altgeld Gardens, 955 E. 131st St.

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