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Planned Tube strike

TUBE SERVICES ARE SET TO BE DISRUPTED BY RMT STRIKE ACTION THIS WEEKEND

TUBE customers are encouraged to check their travel and to plan their journeys ahead of a proposed 24-hour strike from 4.30am this Saturday. If the strike goes ahead, it could mean a significantly reduced service on the Central, Jubilee, Northern, Piccadilly and Victoria lines all day, with little or no service in places.

It is also likely to mean much busier services on other Tube lines, including the Bakerloo, Circle, District, Hammersmith & City and Metropolitan lines, as customers seek alternative routes.

Buses through central London, and National Rail services into the capital, are also expected to be busier than normal.

Customers who need to travel using TfL services are advised to allow more time for their journey and travel at quieter times where possible. Those travelling through central London, including customers

at National Rail stations, are advised to walk or cycle, using Santander Cycles bikes or rental e-scooters, for all or part of their journeys where possible. Services may be disrupted until around 8am on Sunday.

NIGHT TUBE SERVICES

Night Tube services on the Central and Victoria lines are also set to be disrupted by planned RMT strike action tomorrow, with customers advised to check before they travel and use buses to complete their journeys where required.

In addition, Night Tube services on these two lines could be severely disrupted on Saturday evening.

STRIKE IMPACT

The impact of the strike action depends on the number of drivers booking on each weekend, so customers are advised to check before they travel for the most

up-to-date information, and use buses to complete their journey where required.

TfL was able to run a full Night Tube service on the Victoria line last weekend despite the RMT action, with all expected drivers booking on, and a reliable service overnight from Ealing Broadway to Hainault on the Central line.

Nick Dent, London Underground's director of customer operations, said: 'We urge the RMT to call off this unnecessary strike action, which will reduce the level of service we can run at a time when coronavirus cases are rising.'

'It will not serve any purpose other than to disrupt Londoners and visitors to the city as they enjoy the festivities at this special time of year. We remain available for talks at any time.'

For all the latest information and help with planning a journey, visit the website at tfl.gov.uk/tube-strike

Night Overground returns

NIGHT Overground services between Highbury & Islington and New Cross Gate return tomorrow, making night time journeys faster and easier, and providing another safe travel option for thousands of Londoners to get around.

Having been suspended in 2020 owing to the impact of the coronavirus pandemic, the Night Overground will now run every 15 minutes throughout the night on Fridays and Saturdays.

This provides an easy interchange with Night Tube services on the Victoria line at Highbury & Islington station and helping link key areas in the city's night-time economy such as Shoreditch, Hoxton and Upper Street in Islington.

Restoring this service will help the 1.6million people who work at night in the capital travel around and will provide another safe transport option for all Londoners and visitors.

Night Tube services on the Jubilee, Northern and Piccadilly lines will also return as soon as possible. TfL is working hard to resolve resourcing issues on these lines and there are other considerations, such as the upcoming closure of the Bank branch of the Northern line to enable the completion of the upgrade at Bank Tube station.

Mayor Sadiq Khan said: 'Returning just in time for the key festive period, this is another milestone in

London's recovery, linking up diverse and vibrant areas of the city and offering a quick, easy and safe way to get around.'

For help planning a journey, including downloading the TfL Go app, visit tfl.gov.uk/travel-tools



All night long: Night Overground services are to return this weekend despite proposed Tube strikes

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