

# Get there

Getting around during Wollaston Station improvement work

# Service during Wollaston Station construction

December 7, 2017



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### **Major Updates**

- The station closure date is being moved from Tuesday, January 2<sup>nd</sup> to Monday, January 8<sup>th</sup>.
- The shuttle during the closure will serve North Quincy, Wollaston and Quincy Center.
- Customers can use a CharlieCard or CharlieTicket to board the Commuter Rail for a subway fare at Quincy Center during the closure.

## **Construction Sequence**

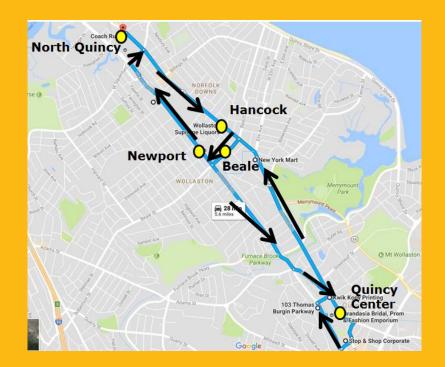
- Currently: From November 12 thru January 25, four stations beyond North Quincy to Braintree are closed from 9PM until end of service (around 1AM)
- Beginning January 8, 2018 through Summer 2019, Wollaston Station will be closed
- 423 of the 535 parking spaces will remain available during the closure
- Beginning Spring 2018, construction begins at Braintree and Quincy Adams garages and on North Quincy development

## **Your Travel Options**

- Free Shuttle Service between North Quincy, Wollaston and Quincy Center
- 2. Commuter Rail at Quincy Center
- 3. Drive and Park at a Red Line Station
- 4. Existing Bus Routes
- Walk, Bike, Uber/Lyft to Quincy Center or North Quincy

# Option 1: Free Bus Shuttle beginning January 8, 2018

- Stops at North Quincy, Hancock Street, Beale Street, Newport Ave and Quincy Center
- Designed to run approx. 10 minutes between shuttles during peak and 15 minutes off-peak
- Customers should add 15-20 minutes to their travel time



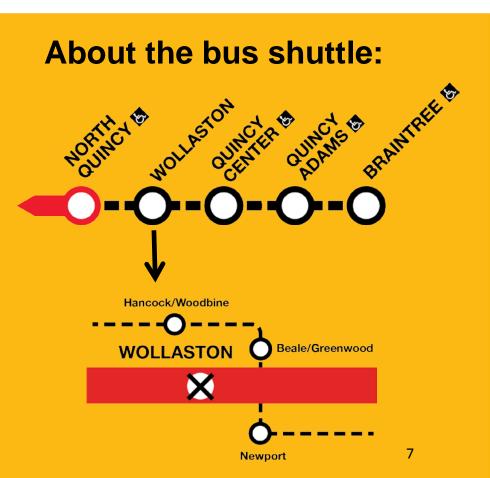
### Four-Station Closure: 9PM – close, Sundays - Thursdays

### When do the shutdowns happen?

Now - January 25, 2018\* Sundays through Thursdays 9 p.m. to closing

And on weekends January 20 – April 22, 2018\*\* Note: Additional dates will be added as the project progresses.

- \* Excluding: Christmas Eve. and day, New Year's Eve. and day, Martin Luther King Day
- \*\* Excluding the weekends of March 17-18, and April 14-15.



### **Shuttle Bus Staffing and Signage**

#### Staffing:

- 8 Yankee dispatchers at stops
- 4 Red Line platform attendants
- 3 supervisors (Yankee & MBTA)
- 4 Transit Police detail officers

Signage:

- 50+ posters in 3 languages posted across Red Line
- 25+ A-frames posted at affected stations/stops
- Car cards in Red Line vehicles
- Banners at affected stations



### **Police Details**

- MBTA Transit Police & City of Quincy Police
- Neponset Circle Police Detail:
  - State Police Details during AM Peak
- Transit/Quincy Police Details:
  - As required during peak hours at:
    - North Quincy Stop / Hancock intersection
    - Newport Ave. / Beale St. Intersection



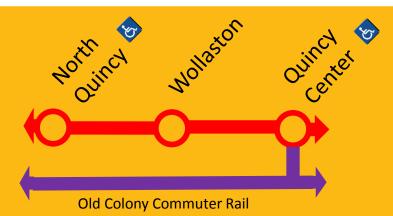


### **Banners and Signage**





### Option 2: Commuter Rail from Quincy Center



AM INBOUND					
Train	Line	Dpt QC	Arr. BOS	ΡΑΧ	Avail. seats at QC
070	Greenbush	6:22	6:38	312	408
004	Middleboro	6:42	6:58	511	257
006	Middleboro	7:39	7:56	682	152
074	Greenbush	7:46	8:03	667	153
008	Middleboro	8:01	8:18	529	239
076	Greenbush	8:32	8:49	653	167
078	Greenbush	9:32	9:49	169	551

- Customers will be able to access Commuter Rail Service between Quincy Center and South Station for the duration of the project using a CharlieCard.
- One extra car will be added to trains 074, 076, 083 & 087.
- In addition train 085 (5:20 pm departure from South Station) will service Quincy Center for the duration of the project.

Total: 1927

# Option 3: Drive and Park at a Red Line station

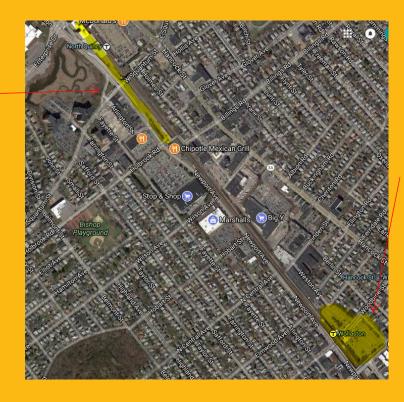
- Wollaston: 423 of the 535 parking spaced at Wollaston station remain open throughout construction
- North Quincy: Approximately 125 existing spaces available in lot along Newport Avenue until start of construction for TOD development (no sooner than May 2018)
- MBTA will provide real-time information on parking availability on MBTA.com and Twitter

### Parking at Wollaston and North Quincy

#### **Replacement parking for**

the 115 spots lost during Wollaston Station Improvements project will be at the underutilized spots at the MBTA's North Quincy Station Newport Ave. lot.





438 Parking Spots remain at Wollaston Station throughout construction duration

# Snow Clearing and Removal at Wollaston Station

Pedestrian Pathways to be cleared by MBTA's Wollaston Station Improvements Contractor

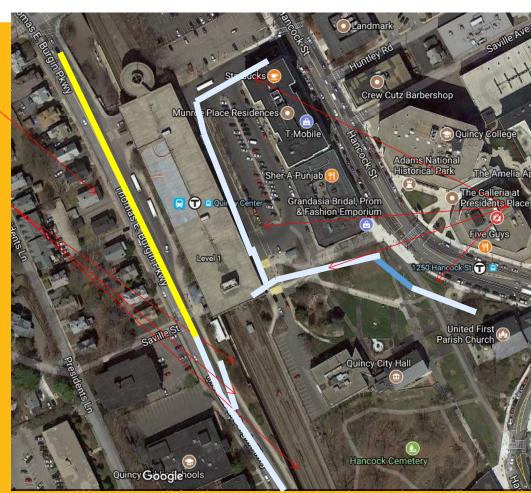


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### Snow Clearing and Removal at Quincy Center

This Sidewalk closed during the Demolition duration

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# Additional Measures Under Consideration

 Working to develop parking replacement strategy for spaces that will be lost at North Quincy when TOD construction begins (May 2018)

• Working to develop and fund plan for seasonal ferry service from Squantum Point (April to October)

## Staying informed

#### Where to get information:

- MBTA.com
- Sign-up for email updates at mbta.com/wollaston-email-updates
- T-Alerts, social media
- On train announcements
- Station signage and banners
- Directional signs and "Board here" signs
- Clear labels on buses



### **Contact us**

#### 617-222-3200

Call for questions, schedules, or trip planning. For more information go to **mbta.com/wollaston** 

Thank you for your patience during construction!

## Thank you for Coming!

#### Next CAC Meeting will be Wednesday, January 31, 2018 at 6:30PM