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## Victoria line works: second quarter of 2007

As part of Transport for London's £10bn Investment Programme, London Underground (LU) is undertaking a major programme of work to transform the Tube.

The Victoria line Upgrade is one of the largest of these investment projects. When it is complete, by 2013, average journey times will fall; journeys will become more comfortable, frequent and reliable using new trains conforming to all the latest safety, security and accessibility standards.

Track replacement work will be required to facilitate this Upgrade, and the following weekend closures will be necessary in order to undertake these and other maintenance and cabling works in the second quarter of the 2007 calendar year.

### **Highbury & Islington to Walthamstow Central**

Saturday 26 / Sunday 27 / Monday 28 May (Spring bank holiday)

### **Seven Sisters to Walthamstow Central**

Saturday 9 / Sunday 10 June

Saturday 16 / Sunday 17 June

Saturday 23 / Sunday 24 June

### **Highbury & Islington to Brixton**

Saturday 30 June / Sunday 1 July

Rail replacement bus services will be available as follows:

- 26/27/28 May – between Finsbury Park and Walthamstow Central, calling at Manor House and all intermediate Victoria line stations
- 9/10, 16/17, 23/24 June – between Seven Sisters and Walthamstow Central, calling at all intermediate stations
- 30 June/1 July – between Victoria and Brixton, calling at all intermediate stations

For travel to/from Highbury & Islington, customers should use Piccadilly line services to/from Holloway Road and existing local bus services, which will be boosted. These include:

- Bus 4, 19 to/from Finsbury Park or Angel
- Bus 236 to/from Finsbury Park

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- Bus 30 to/from King's Cross or Angel
- Bus 43, 271 & 393 to/from Holloway Road.

Valid LU tickets will also be accepted on local mainline services as follows. (However, these may also be subject to engineering work. Customers should check before they travel by calling National Rail Enquiries on 08457 48 49 50 or by visiting [www.nationalrail.co.uk](http://www.nationalrail.co.uk))

- Walthamstow Central  
ONE into Liverpool Street and then continue on LU services
- Blackhorse Road  
ONE from St James Street (10 minute walk or Bus 230 or 158) to Liverpool Street and then continue on LU services
- Tottenham Hale  
ONE into Liverpool Street and then continue on LU services  
**OR** Bus 259 to Finsbury Park for the Piccadilly line
- Seven Sisters  
ONE to Liverpool Street and then continue on LU services  
**OR** rail replacement bus service to Finsbury Park  
**OR** local bus 259 to Finsbury Park for the Piccadilly line

### **John Doyle**

General Manager – Victoria line

### **Planned works on other LU lines**

As part of the Investment Programme, there will be between three and five sections of lines closed each weekend for the majority of 2007, where previously there only used to be one or two.

Check: [www.tfl.gov.uk/check](http://www.tfl.gov.uk/check) for up to date details of planned works.

If you have any queries, please contact the Stakeholder Communications team via e-mail at [robin.hall@tube.tfl.gov.uk](mailto:robin.hall@tube.tfl.gov.uk) or phone 0207 918 3524.

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