



Pittsburgh Regional Transit

### ***PRT Board Makes Temporary Routes Free During Construction***

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE (April 26, 2024)** - The two bus routes and light-rail shuttle that will serve as temporary replacements for Red Line service during construction this summer will be free for riders. The agency's board approved the free fares at its meeting earlier today.

From mid-June through the end of August, crucial safety-related projects will necessitate the closure of a large section of the Red Line. To mitigate the inconvenience for commuters and ensure continued access to essential destinations, PRT will provide two temporary bus routes and a rail shuttle.

The temporary bus routes include the 42-Potomac, which will run from Potomac Station in Dormont to Station Square via Broadway and West Liberty Avenues, as well as the 37-Castle Shannon, operating from Castle Shannon Station to Station Square via Castle Shannon Boulevard and West Liberty Avenue. Additionally, a rail shuttle will connect Overbrook Junction to Washington Junction.

For more information on the temporary routes, schedules, and updates regarding the Red Line closure, riders are encouraged to visit PRT's website or contact customer service by calling [www.rideprt.org](http://www.rideprt.org).

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