



**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE** (February 23, 2023) – Concrete repair work in the tunnel between Steel Plaza and First Avenue will disrupt Pittsburgh Regional Transit light rail service to downtown Pittsburgh and the North Shore over the next two weekends.

Work will start at 8 p.m. on Friday, February 24 and finish by the start of service on Monday, February 27, and at 8 p.m. on Friday, March 3 and finish by the start of service on Monday, March 6. All work is weather permitting.

During the work, inbound rail service will end at First Avenue Station. Riders continuing to Steel Plaza, Wood Street, Gateway, North Side or Allegheny stations should exit light-rail vehicles at First Avenue Station and board a shuttle bus at the corner of First Avenue and Try Street. The shuttle will drop riders off outside Steel Plaza Station. From there, a rail car will operate to Allegheny Station, serving each station along the way.

Outbound rail service from the North Shore toward downtown will end at Steel Plaza. Riders continuing toward the South Hills should exit the rail car at Steel Plaza and board a shuttle bus along Grant Street. The shuttle bus will drop riders off outside First Avenue Station, where riders can proceed up to the platform and board outbound rail cars.

Riders should allow for at least 30 minutes of additional travel time.

Riders with questions are encouraged to contact Customer Service by calling 412-442-2000 on Twitter @PghTransitCare or via live chat at [www.ridePRT.org](http://www.ridePRT.org).

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