

Construction to Start at South Hills Junction This Month

South Hills Junction will remain open. Pedestrian access will be detoured during the project.

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE (August 6, 2024) – Pedestrian access to South Hills Junction will be intermittently diverted and some nearby bus stops will be temporarily relocated for the next five months for a rehabilitation project to improve station accessibility and safety.

Light-rail vehicles and buses will continue to serve South Hills Junction during construction, but some of the station access points will be inaccessible for portions of the project. Work is scheduled to begin this month and continue through the end of January 2025.

Contractors will be upgrading the station by rehabilitating the retaining walls, improving lighting, and making various repairs. Crews will also construct a new ADA-accessible bus stop along the South Busway. Construction will be completed primarily during the day, although some overnight work may be required.

The pedestrian detours will change throughout each of the five phases of construction. The pedestrian detours will be highly visible and clearly marked.

Located in Pittsburgh's Mt. Washington neighborhood, South Hills Junction is an important transit asset. Not only is it directly served by all three light-rail lines and four bus routes, but it is also the location of an employee parking lot and where PRT stores rock salt for winter.

Riders with questions are encouraged to contact Customer Service by calling 412-442-2000, on X (formerly Twitter) @PghTransitCare, or via live chat at www.ridePRT.org.

###