



## **MONTHLY UPDATE: Rail Modernization @ Union Station Project**

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Dear Neighbor,

Metrolink crews have completed Phase 1 of work on The Rail Modernization @ Union Station.

During the month of October, crews replaced all five lead tracks going into and out of LAUS, behind the industrial area located between E. Elmyra Street and E. College Street.

The community may have noticed construction activities in the form of equipment, sounds, vibration and dust from construction activities and lights from light towers.

Please know our team worked to minimize any disruption to the adjacent communities and businesses. We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused.

No additional work is scheduled for the remainder of 2020. Phase 2 is scheduled to start early 2021 and our team will provide an update before work resumes.



Metrolink will provide regular updates on the project's progress online and via email during the active phases of the project. To learn about this project, please [visit metrolinktrains.com/railmodernization](https://www.metrolinktrains.com/railmodernization). To sign up for updates click [here](#).

If you have questions, please contact Sylvia Novoa at [novoas@scrra.net](mailto:novoas@scrra.net) or at (213) 452-0300.

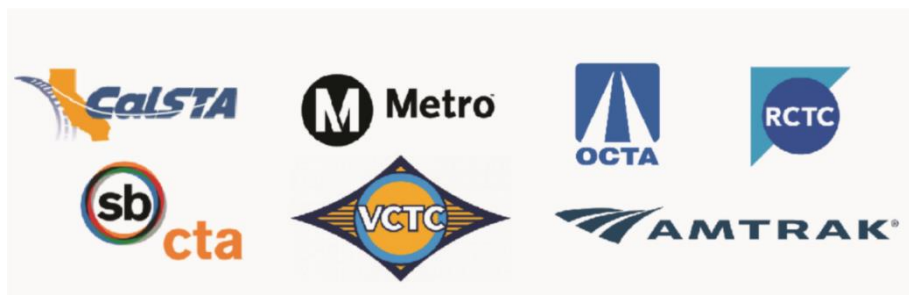
*\*Schedule is subject to change due to weather or unforeseen circumstances\**

**Metrolink's response to COVID-19 (coronavirus):**

At Metrolink, safety is foundational. Our agency has taken steps to protect against the spread of the COVID-19 disease while protecting our team members and riders.

Transportation has been designated as an essential service at the federal level and was exempted in the state and local Stay at Home orders. So, Metrolink continues to operate service, as well as move forward with maintenance and rehabilitation projects. Essential services, as outlined by the CyberSecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency at the federal level, are deemed essential to continue critical infrastructure viability. Other essential services include but are not limited to medical and healthcare systems, defense, food and agriculture, energy, water, law enforcement and public works.

Please know that we support efforts at the federal, state and local levels to stop the spread of the virus and keep our team members and riders safe, including asking people who are sick to stay home, requiring non-essential workers to telecommute, reiterating and requiring social distancing practices and providing our critical front-line employees with masks, gloves and extra sanitizer. To get more information about Metrolink's service or response to COVID-19, please visit [metrolinktrains.com/safety](https://www.metrolinktrains.com/safety).



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