



### Reroutes Stage 1 March - May 2019



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#### What is MCORE?

The Champaign-Urbana Mass Transit District (MTD) has partnered with the City of Champaign, City of Urbana, and the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign to improve mobility in the core of our community through a federal Transportation Investment Generating Economic Recovery (TIGER) grant. The \$35M Multimodal Corridor Enhancement (MCORE) Project is unprecedented in our community's history and will have a transformative impact.

The goal of MCORE is to provide a balance between all modes of transportation. MCORE will enhance mobility choices with improvements to pedestrian access routes, bicycle lanes, transit efficiency, and vehicle flow. It will also upgrade our infrastructure by bringing the streets of these core transit corridors into a state of good repair while redesigning them into complete streets to accommodate all users. The completion of the MCORE Project will provide better connections for critical linkages between the downtown centers of Champaign and Urbana, the University, and the area's major employers, health, and social service organizations.

MCORE will encourage sustainable development through improvements for an enriched built environment, sense of place, and quality of life. With an emphasis on all modes of transportation, this project can decrease the use of single occupancy vehicles, thereby reducing congestion, traffic hazards, and carbon emissions.



**PROJECT 1 - COMPLETE** 

Green Street 2017-2018

**PROJECT 2 - COMPLETE** 

Green Street 2017-2018

**PROJECT 3 - COMPLETE** 

White Street and Wright Street 2017-2018

**PROJECT 4 - IN PROGRESS** 

Armory Avenue and Wright Street 2018-2019

PROJECT 5

Green Street 2019-2020



### **Project 4 Begins with Important Changes to Your Route**

Three of the five scheduled MCORE projects have already been completed. Project 4 is scheduled to launch in March 2019 with closures on Armory Avenue between Sixth and Fourth. The full project corridor includes Armory Avenue, (between Fourth Street and Wright Street) and Wright Street (between Armory Avenue and Springfield Avenue).

Project 4 will provide reconstruction of the existing pavement, sidewalks, pavement markings, and replacement of the storm and sanitary sewers. The project will occur in stages, over two construction seasons, with a final completion date of December 2020. This booklet provides details on MTD's route changes associated with the first stage of Project 4.



#### There are expected to be three stages of construction this year as work progresses:

#### Stage 1: March - May

The first stage involves rebuilding the northbound lane of Wright Street from south of Chalmers Street to south of Green Street. Northbound traffic will be maintained throughout this stage.

#### Stage 2: May - August

Stage 2 involves the rebuilding of Armory Avenue from Sixth Street to Wright Street and on Wright Street to south of Chalmers Street. This includes the entire intersection of Sixth and Armory. The south side of Armory Street between Fourth Street and Sixth Street will also be under construction.

#### **Stage 3: August – December**

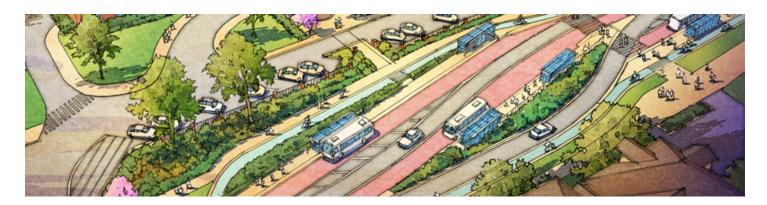
The third stage will happen during the fall semester and will continue until the winter shutdown at the end of November. This involves rebuilding Wright Street, much like Stage 1, but expanding work to the southbound lane of Wright Street. Additionally, work will also take place on the north side of Armory Street between Fourth Street and Sixth Street. And once again, northbound traffic will be maintained on Wright Street during this construction on the southbound lane.



#### **MCORE REROUTE STAGE 1 - MARCH 2019**

Major reroutes are being planned to accommodate the construction schedule for Project 4. The goal of the reroutes is to have as little impact on our passengers and routes as possible. The reroutes have been designed to maximize the efficiency of streets and transit facilities that are available and reasonable to use.

MTD appreciates your cooperation and understanding during this important project. Information on Stage 2 and 3 reroutes will be released as Project 4 continues to move forward. To receive additional updates on MCORE route changes and developments, keep an eye out for MTD Pulse articles at mtd.org as well as posts to social media. If you would like to be personally notified when your routes are affected, make sure you sign up for customized Reroute Alerts by creating an MTD account on mtd.org.



#### **MCORE Spring Reroutes – Goodwin Avenue One Direction (Southbound)**

**DURATION: Approximately three months** 

1/100S Yellow: Wright to Green to Goodwin to Gregory and regular route.

**4W Blue:** Wright to Green to Goodwin to Gregory to Sixth and regular route.

**5W Green to Sixth and Pennsylvania (limited trips):** Green to Goodwin to Gregory to Sixth and regular route.

**9A Brown:** Wright to Green to Goodwin to Gregory to Sixth and regular route.

13/130S Silver: Springfield to Goodwin to Gregory to Sixth to Pennsylvania to Lincoln and regular route.

22/2205 Illini: Green to Fourth to Daniel and regular route.

22/220 Illini Limited: Green to Fourth to Daniel to Fifth to Chalmers to Fourth to Green and regular route.

New Designated Stops include: Fourth & Daniel (NW Corner), Fourth & John (NW Side)





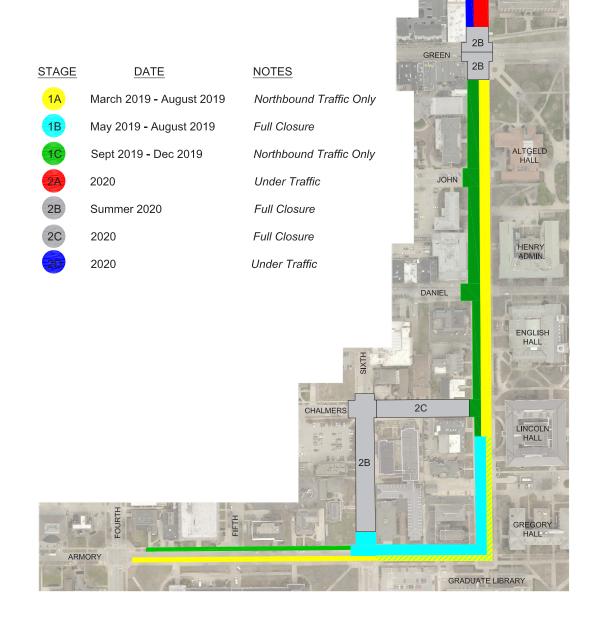
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### PROJECT STATUS WRIGHT STREET/ARMORY AVENUE (MCORE PROJECT 4)

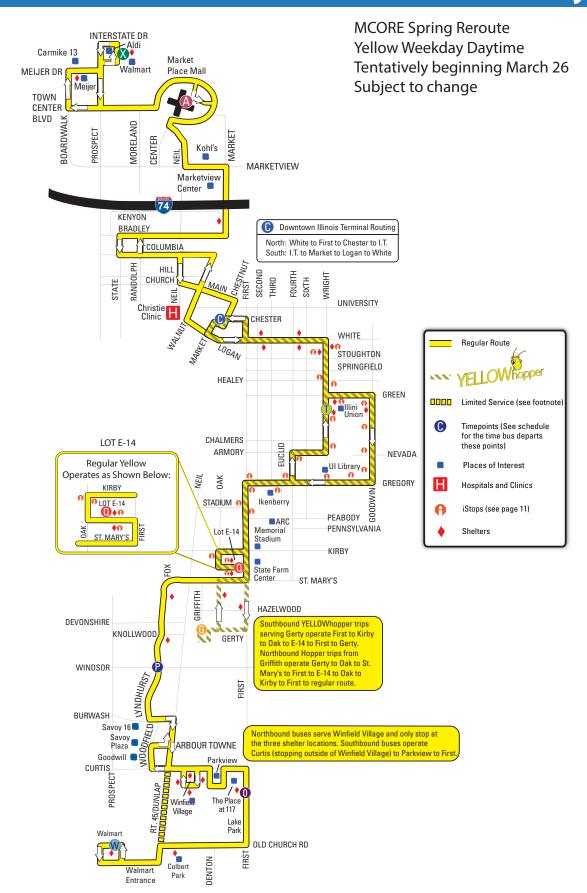
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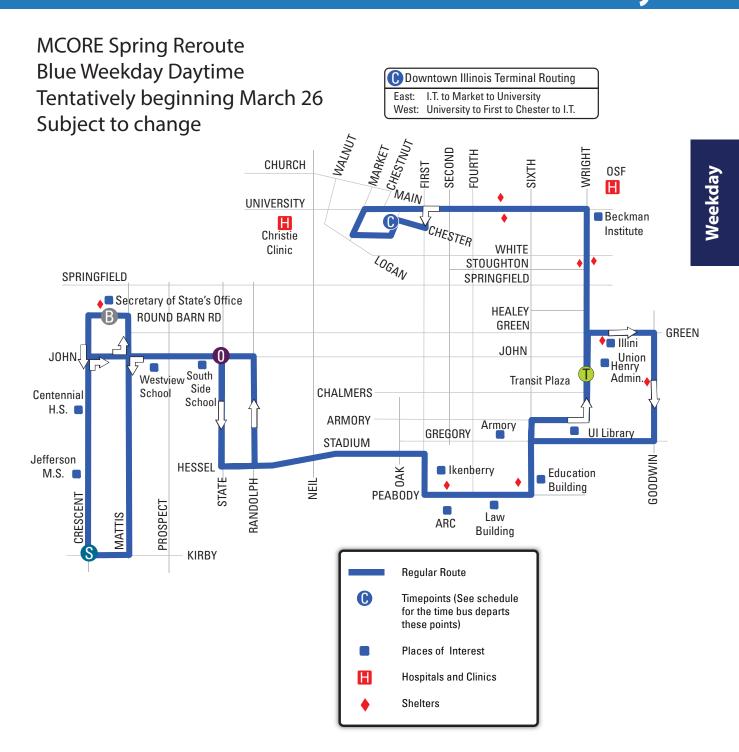


# 1 Yellow Weekday Daytime



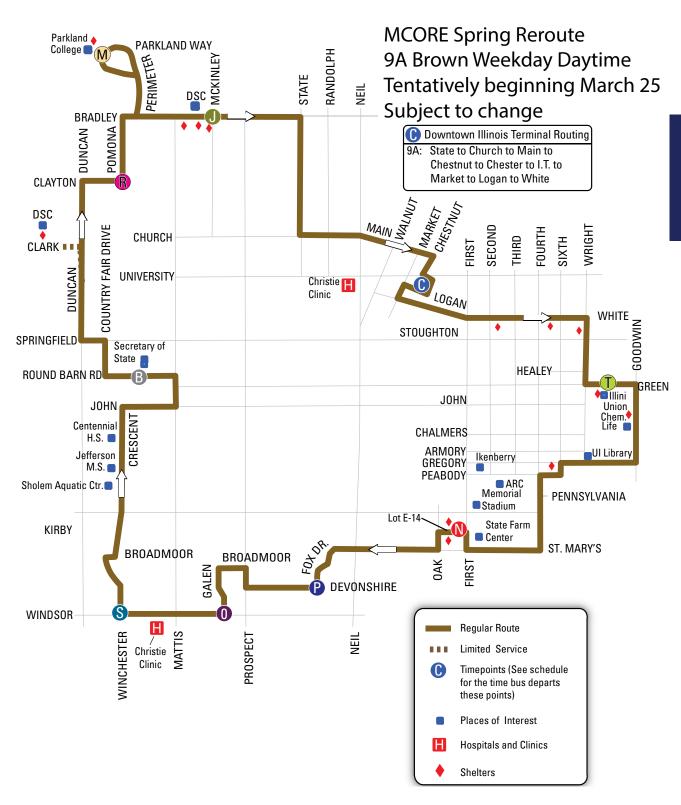


## 4 Blue Weekday Daytime





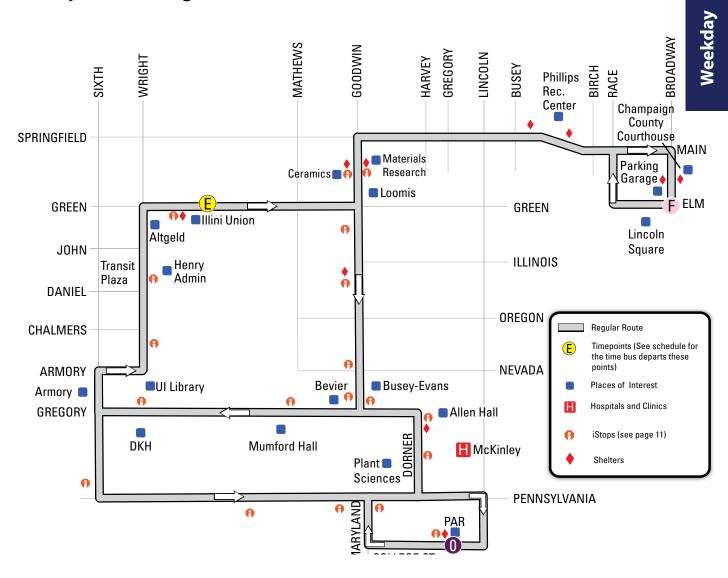
# 9A Brown Weekday Daytime





## 13 Silver Weekday Daytime

MCORE Spring Reroute Silver Weekday Daytime Tentatively beginning March 26 Subject to change





### 22 Illini Weekday Daytime

MCORE Spring Reroute Illini Weekday Daytime Tentatively beginning March 26 Subject to change

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**GREEN** 

**JOHN** 

**DANIEL** 

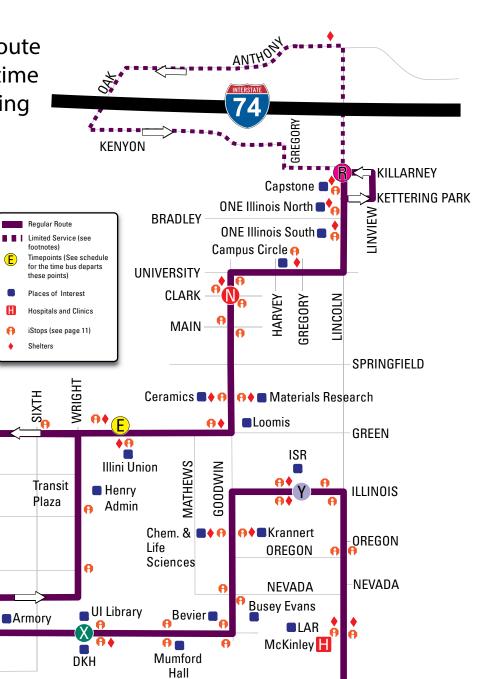
**CHALMERS** 

**GREGORY** 

**STADIUM** 

**PEABODY** 

ARMORY -



PAR

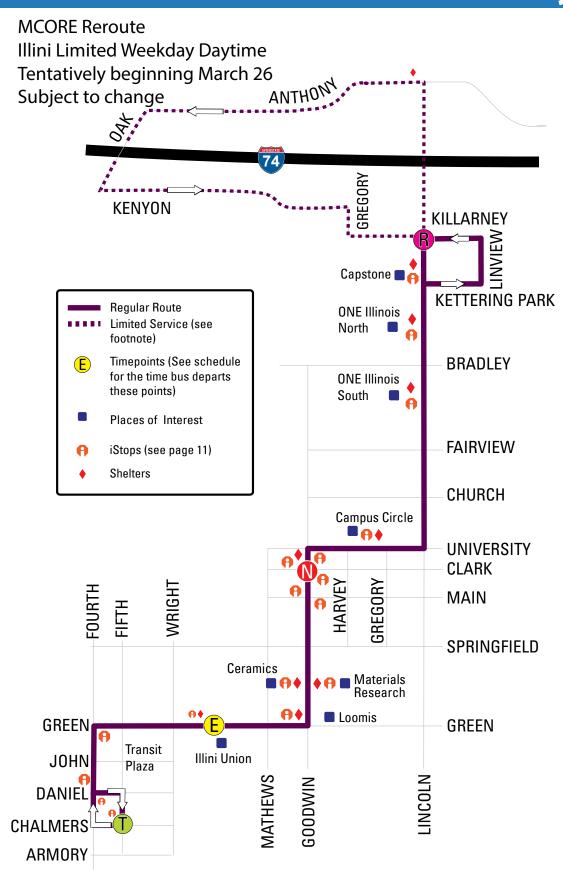
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**PENNSYLVANIA** 

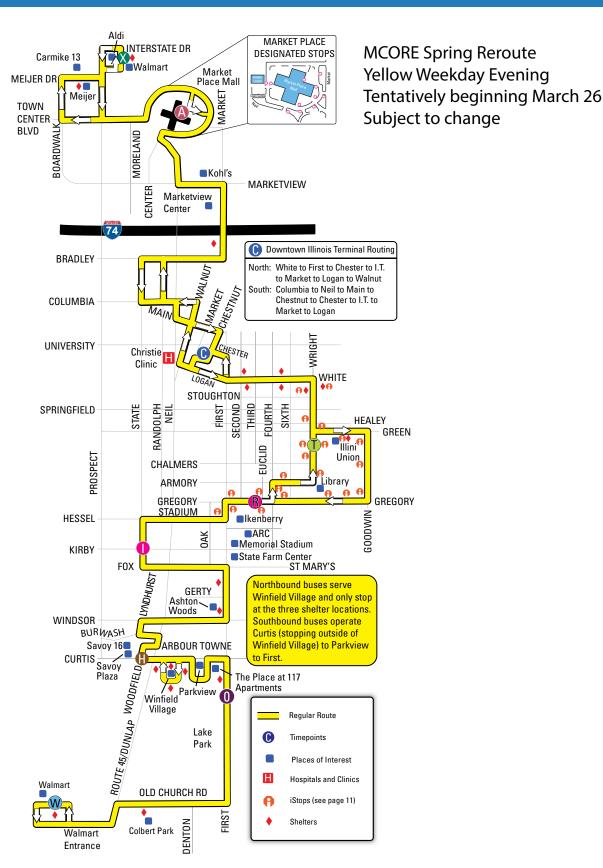


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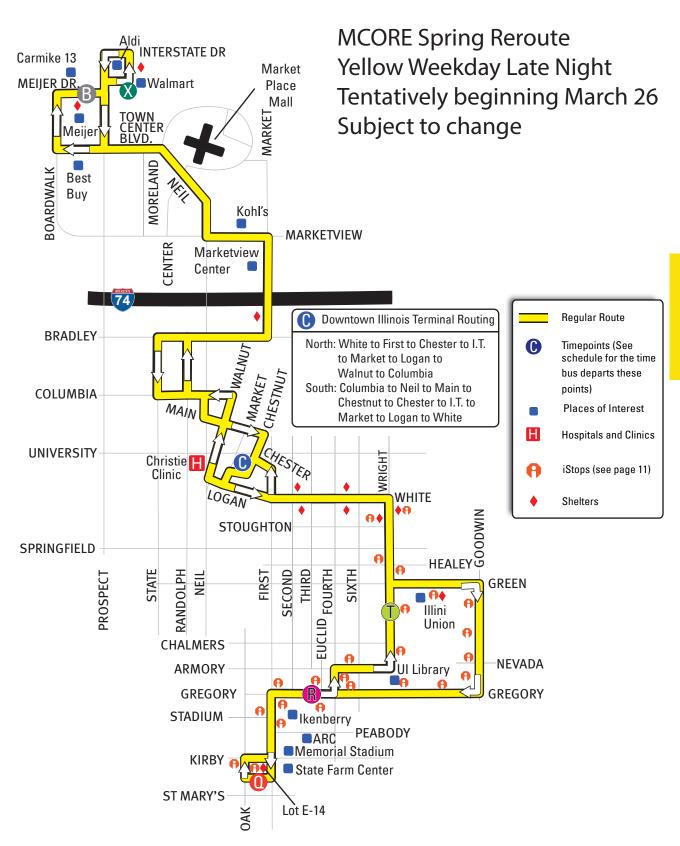


### 100 Yellow Weekday Evening





### 100 Yellow Weekday Late Night

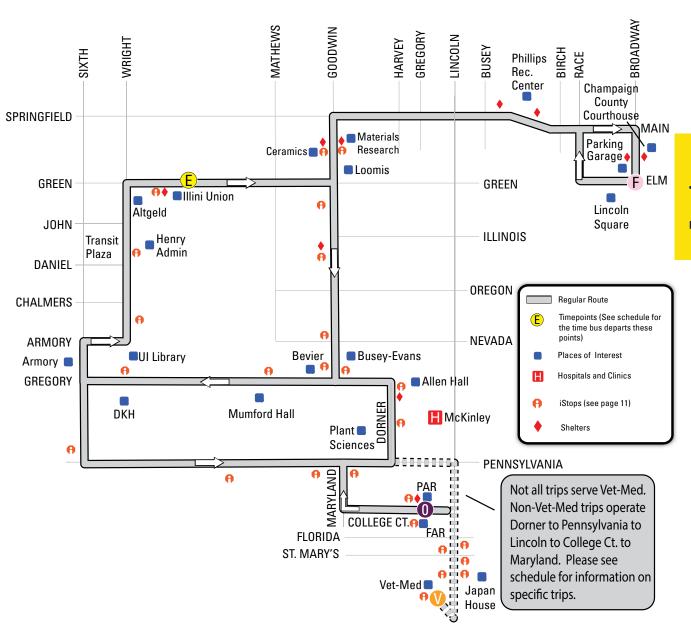






### 130 Silver Weekday Evening

MCORE Spring Reroute Silver Weekday Evening Tentatively beginning March 26 Subject to change





# 220 Illini Weekday Evening

MCORE Spring Reroute Illini Evening Tentatively beginning March 25 Subject to change

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**JOHN** 

**DANIEL** 

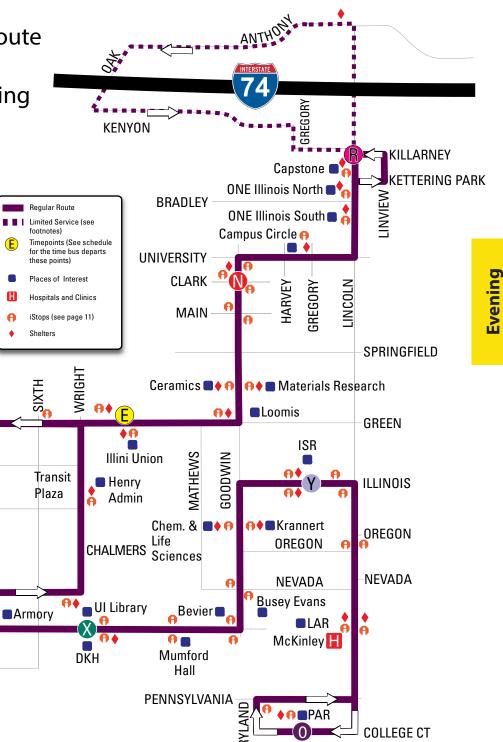
**CHALMERS** 

ARMORY -

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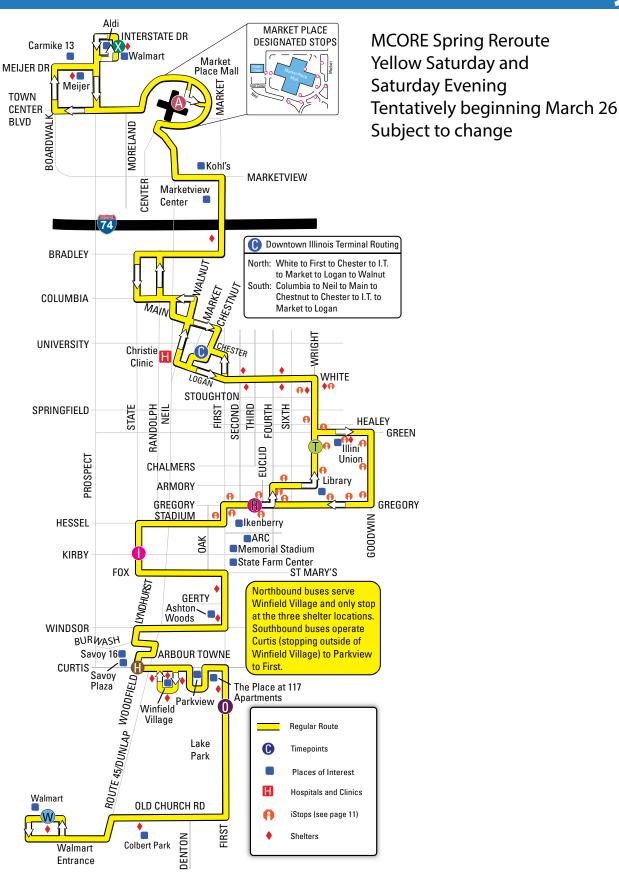
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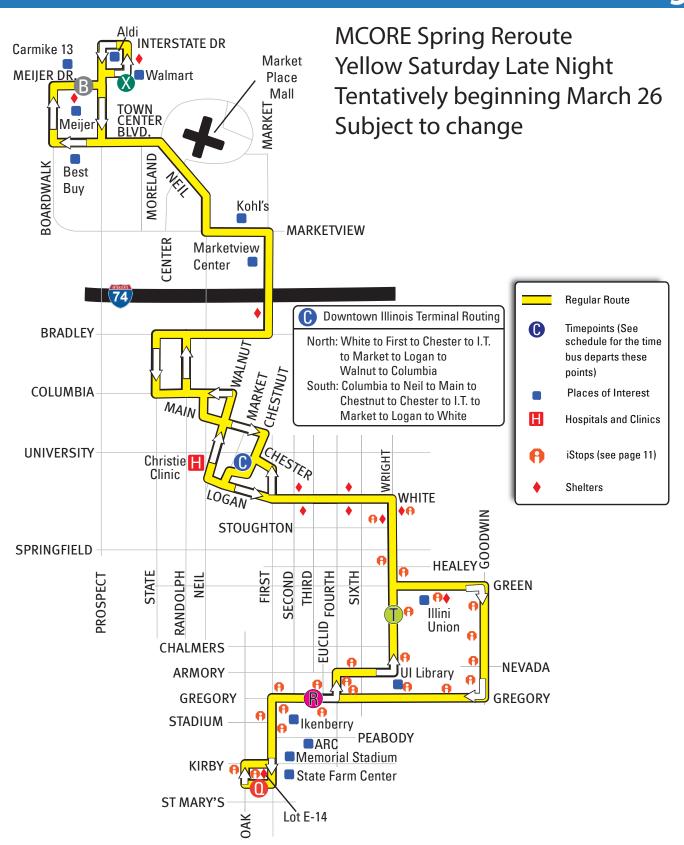


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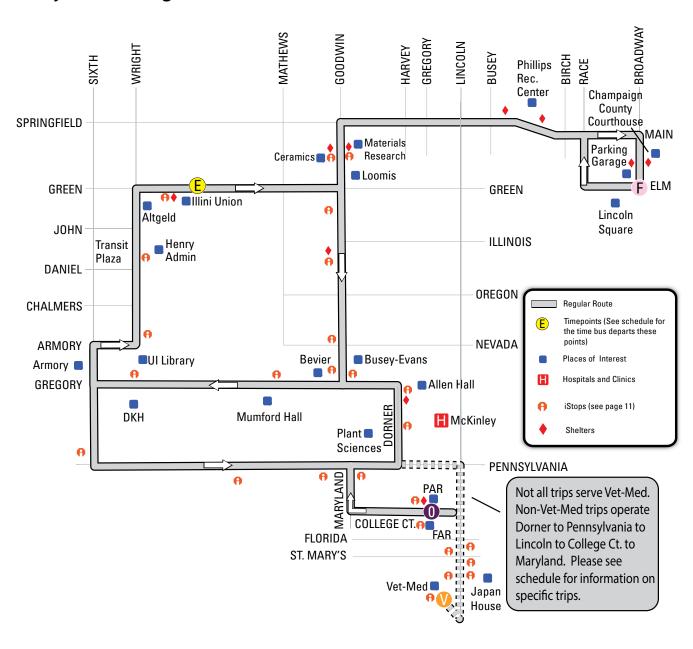
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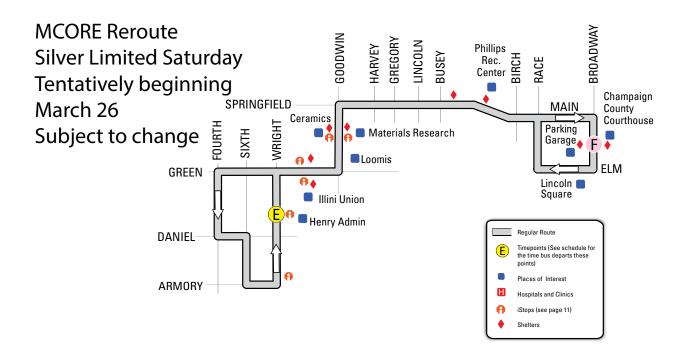
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MCORE Spring Reroute Silver Saturday and Saturday Evening Tentatively beginning March 26 Subject to change





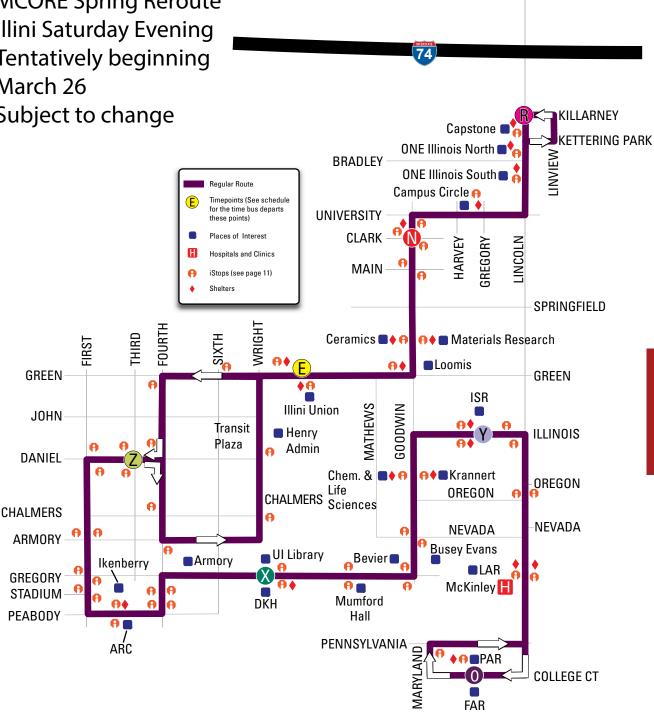
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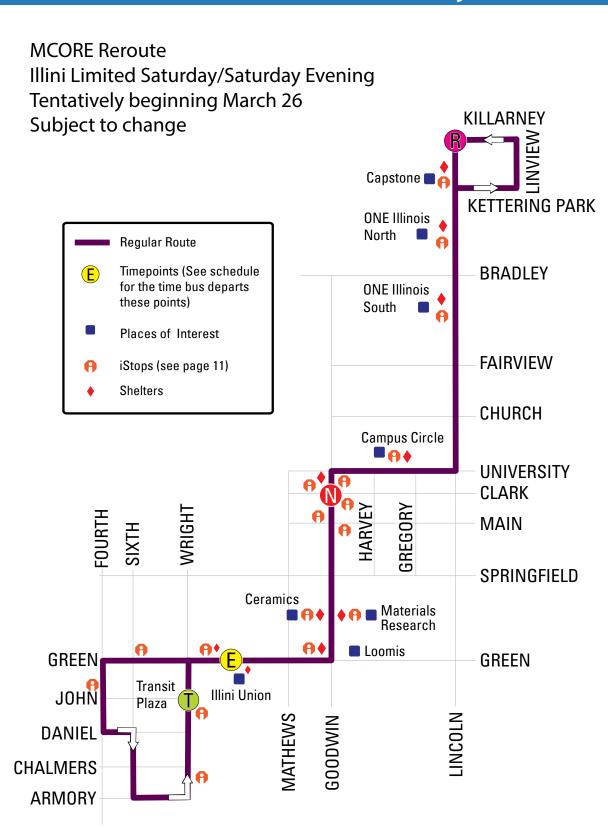
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**MCORE Spring Reroute** Illini Saturday Evening Tentatively beginning March 26 Subject to change



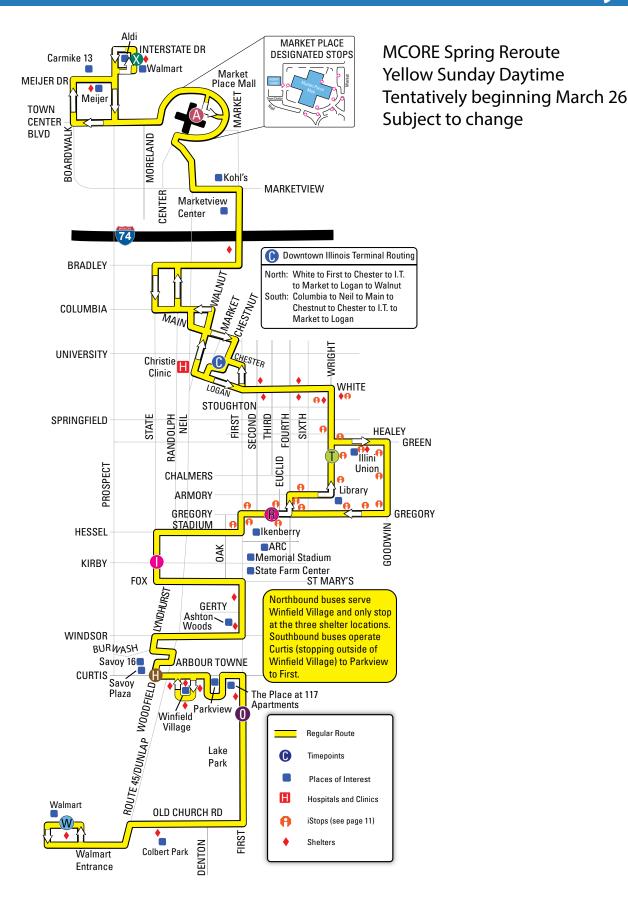


## 220 Illini Ltd Saturday Daytime & Night



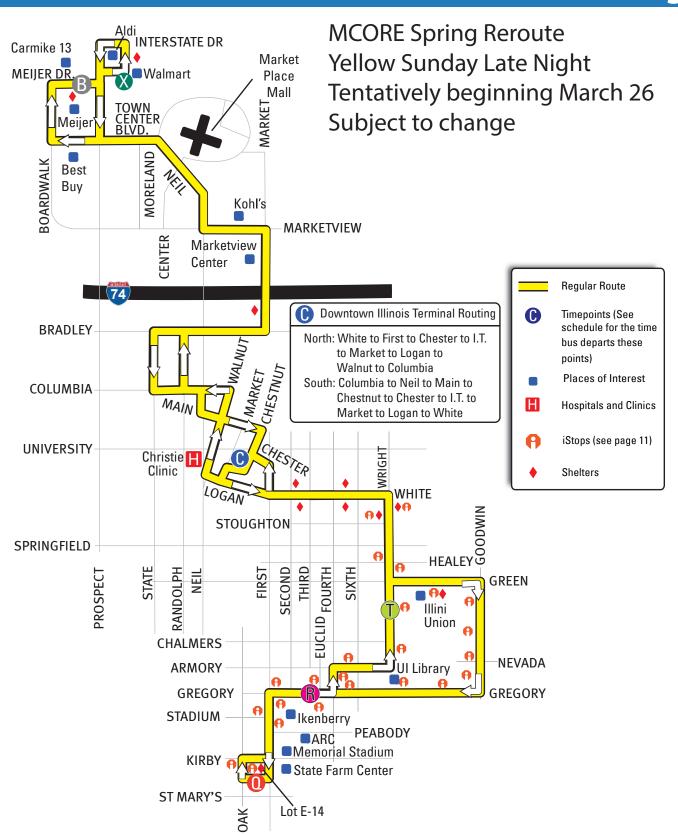


# 100 Yellow Sunday Daytime





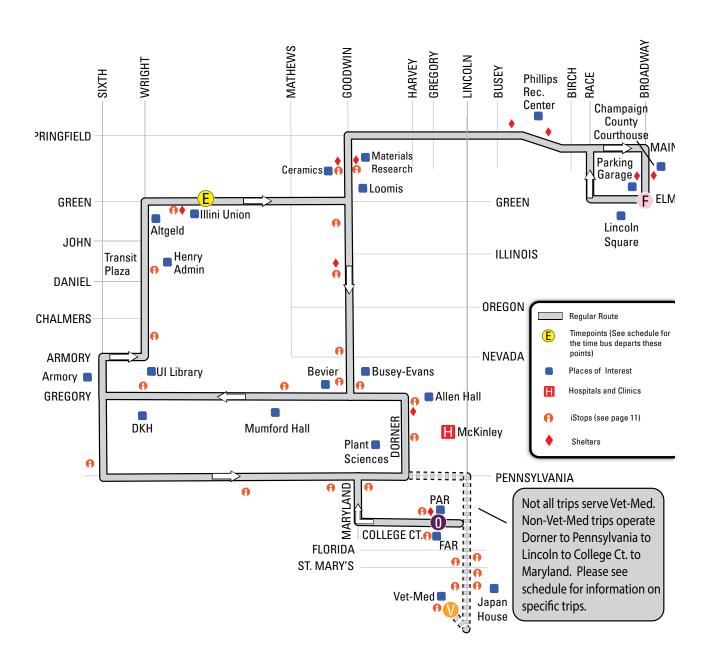
### 100 Yellow Sunday Late Night





## 130 Silver Sunday Daytime & Night

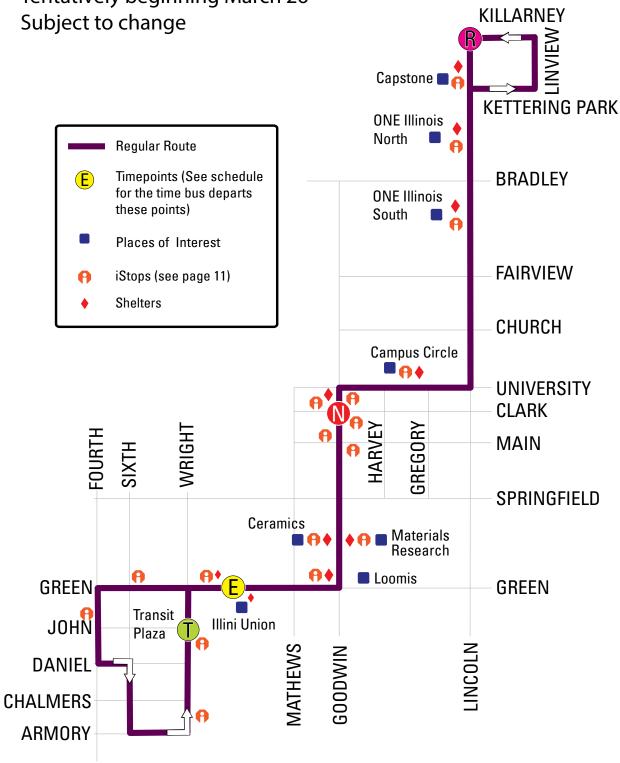
MCORE Spring Reroute Silver Sunday and Sunday Late Night Tentatively beginning March 26 Subject to change





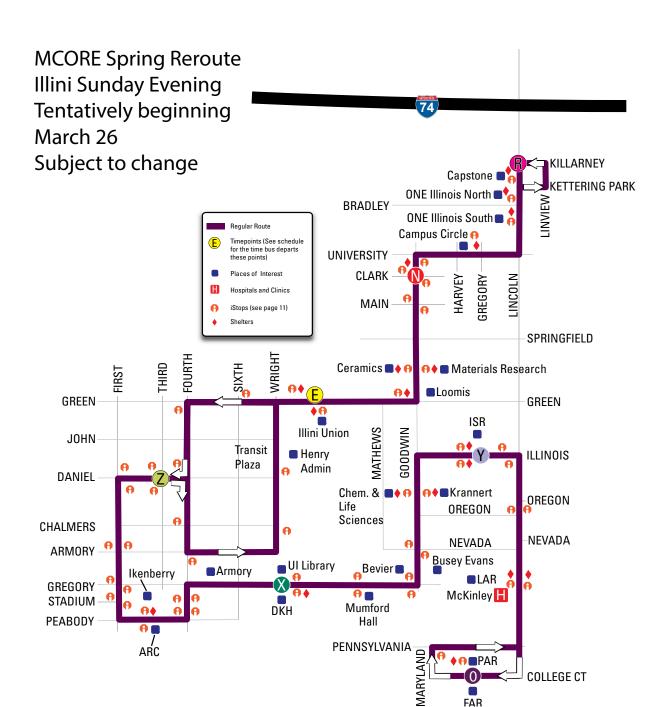
## 220 Illini Ltd. Sunday Daytime & Night

MCORE Reroute Illini Limited Sunday Tentatively beginning March 26 Subject to change





### 220 Illini Sunday Night



#### **Changes to SafeRide Service**

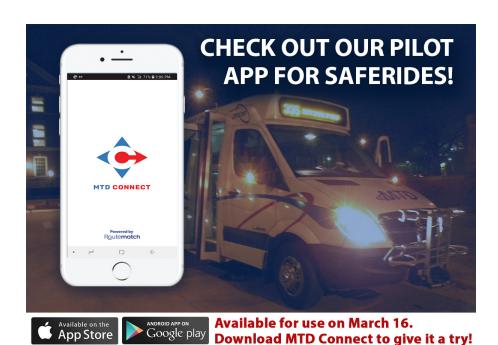
Our 335 Saferides service is changing, but will still be available for individuals who are traveling alone after dusk when no other means of transportation are accessible within the 365 SafeRides boundaries. **Beginning Spring 2019**, **SafeRides will no longer offer van service to designated pick-up locations (previously located at the Illini Union, Armory & Wright, and Illinois Residence Hall), however, SafeRides will continue to be available as on-demand option within the 335 SafeRides Boundaries.** 

The Champaign-Urbana Mass Transit District is launching a full service app to help users book a SafeRide trip. Through the MTD Connect App, passengers can schedule and track their SafeRide without calling into MTD's dispatch center. Our dispatchers will remain on call at 217.265.7433, however, we encourage the public to take advantage of the MTD Connect App.

MTD Connect (SafeRides Connect) is an account-based app that allows you to request SafeRides. Download the app in the App Store (iOS) or Play Store (Android) and sign up. To request a ride, open the app, enter the origin, destination, and number of riders. Press OK to accept the ride. The app will then notify you when the van is close.

It is important to note that all MTD rides are a safe ride, so the app will identify which MTD service is available and most appropriate for the locations provided by each SafeRides request. An on-demand van pick-up will be scheduled only if a reasonable fixed-route option is unavailable.

If you call into out dispatch office, please provide the dispatcher with the following information: your name (first and last), phone number, pick-up location (street address/landmark), and destination. If your trip is within the 335 SafeRides boundaries, the dispatcher will enter your information into the system and then inform you of a scheduled pick-up time. For more information about 335 SafeRides service, visit share.mtd.org/saferides.



SafeRide