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## RTS Announces Detour Plans for Amazing Spider-Man 2 Filming

Some Downtown Main St. stops and service unavailable; transfer points moved to Broad St. bridge

Regional Transit Service (RTS) today announced plans to help minimize disruptions in bus routes and service during the filming of *The Amazing Spider-Man* 2 in Rochester, April 30 through May 9. RTS buses will bypass all stops and service on Main Street between Chestnut St. and Plymouth Ave. Bus transfer points at the intersections of Main St. and Clinton Ave. and Main St. and St. Paul St. will be relocated to the Broad St. bridge, between the Blue Cross Arena and the Rundel Library. The detours are necessitated by the closure of a large section of Main St. - from Chestnut St. to Plymouth Ave. – to accommodate filming.

"This in an exciting time for the City of Rochester and a chance to share our city with the rest of the world, and we're doing our best to accommodate that," said RGRTA CEO Bill Carpenter. "At the same time, our thousands of daily bus customers depend on us to get them where they need to go, and on time. We've worked hard to provide the most efficient way to deliver service despite having this high-volume section of Main St. closed to our buses and our customers. March marked a historic high in our on time performance and we will continue to do our best to minimize disruptions and delays in arrival times."

Due to the extent of the detours, RTS's popular "Where's My Bus?" feature, which provides real-time information on bus arrival times and locations via email or text, will not be in service during the filming period. Detailed information and maps related to the RTS detours are listed on the RGRTA website at <a href="regta.com/spiderman">regta.com/spiderman</a> and RTS staff members will be available along Broad Street daily to assist bus customers. .Customers may also call RTS customer service at (585) 288-1700 for assistance.

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Rochester Genesee Regional Transportation Authority provides public bus transportation in Monroe, Genesee, Livingston, Orleans, Seneca, Wayne, and Wyoming Counties. Recognized as one of the best-run transit systems in the nation, our 800+ employees proudly enjoy serving our customers who count on us for 18 million rides each year. A public benefit entity, RGRTA is governed by 13 appointed commissioners who represent the City of Rochester, County of Monroe, and the surrounding counties in which RGRTA provides services. For more information, visit rgrta.com.