



May is Older Americans Month, a time to honor the valuable contributions, resilience, and spirit of our senior community. MARTA proudly recognizes the older adults who ride with us, shaping our neighborhoods and enriching our shared journey. Whether it's for appointments, family visits, or simply exploring the city, *Rapid* A-Line is committed to providing fast, accessible, and dignified service for all generations once construction is complete.

Please read on for information on the latest construction updates. The project team is working with utility agencies and the City of Atlanta to finalize the details for the shallow utility work along Hank Aaron Drive between Ormond Street and Ridge Avenue. While we're finalizing the details, we appreciate your patience and understanding. We will be hosting a community meeting soon to discuss these impacts. Please stay tuned for more information.

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Construction Impacts:



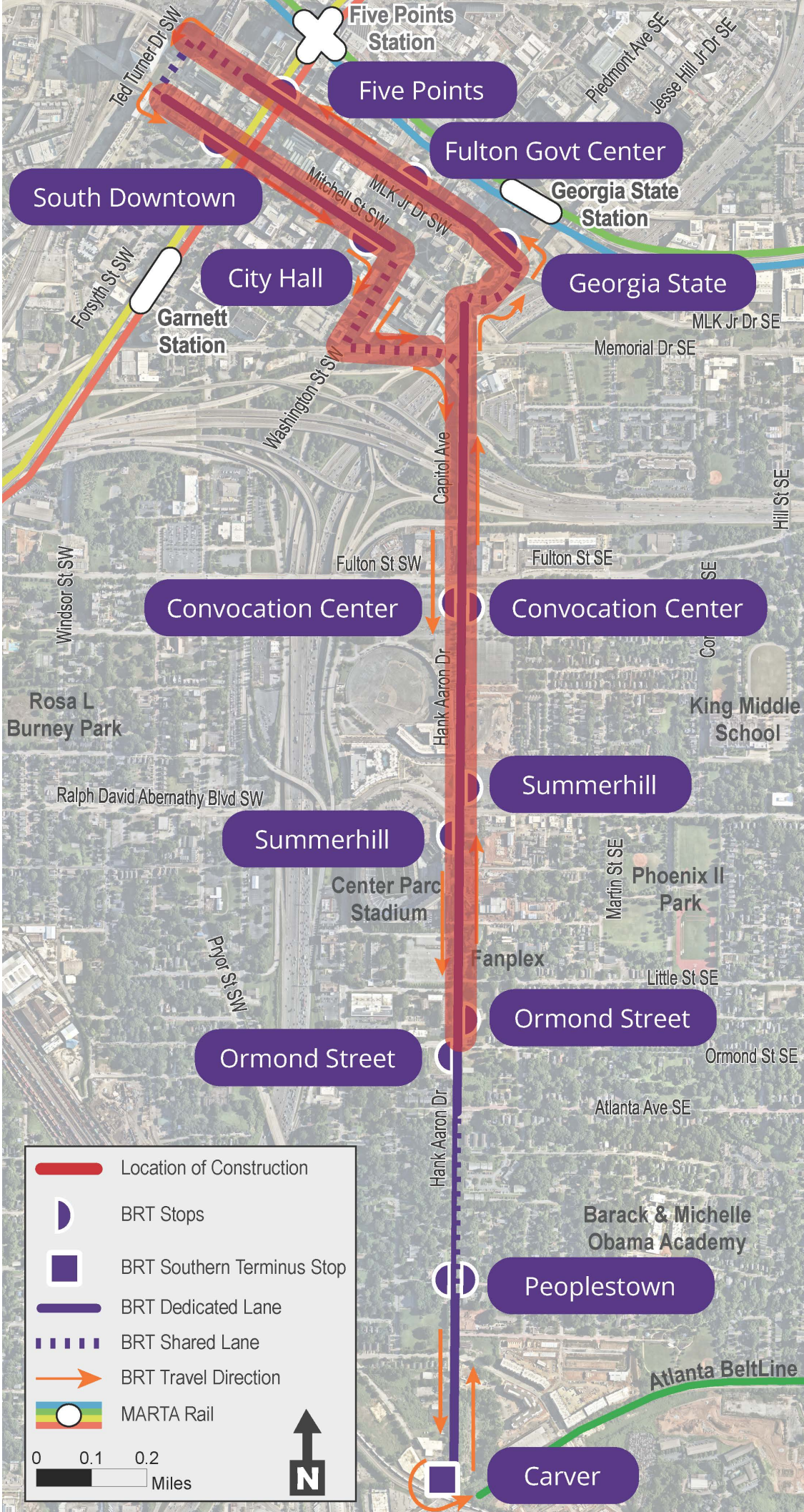
Construction activity will cause periodic lane reductions along key streets in downtown Atlanta. Specifically, **there will be times when travel lanes along MLK Jr. Drive and Mitchell Street will be reduced to just one lane.** Traffic patterns have recently changed around each of the future *Rapid* A-Line stations. We encourage you to plan accordingly, as these lane closures may cause some delays. Please view traffic plans below and monitor our website at itsmarta.com/aline for more information.

Sidewalk and On-Street Parking Closures: Trinity Avenue

Lane Closures: Mitchell Street at Central Avenue

Lane Closures MLK Jr. Drive at Pryor Street

Lane Closures: Capitol Avenue, MLK Jr Drive & Mitchell Street



Bus Stop Impacts



RIDER ALERT



Bus stops that are covered with a red bag are temporarily closed due to construction of MARTA *Rapid* A-Line and will not be served. If your bus stop is closed, please use the nearest open bus stop.

**BUS STOP CLOSED**
Please use nearest open bus stop

**BUS STOP OPEN**



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Several existing bus stops along the corridor will be intermittently impacted by construction. Please refer to the rider alert above for more information on how to identify open or closed bus stops. If you are in need of assistance at bus stops, [please contact the Customer Service number printed on the bus stop closed bags at \(404\) 848-5000](#), visit MARTA's [Plan a Trip web page](#), or download the MARTA On the Go app. For information about MARTA's ADA complementary paratransit service, visit the [MARTA Mobility web page](#) or call (404) 848-4037.

On-Street Parking Impacts:

On-street parking will be closed in locations along the route during the next phase of construction as the team continues to prepare for future *Rapid* A-Line station installations and road widening. All drivers along the route should adhere to posted signage such as the restricting parking access signs. **Please refrain from blocking vehicles parked in on-street parking spots along Hank Aaron between Crumley Street and Glenn Street.** Any vehicles that obscure construction activity will be towed at the owner's expense.

On-Street Parking spots are closed in the following location:

- Trinity Avenue between Central Avenue and Washington Street
- MLK Jr. Drive between Washington Street and Pryor Street
- MLK Jr. Drive starting midblock between Peachtree Street and Broad Street and ending at the intersection of MLK Jr. Drive and Broad Street
- Mitchell Street starting at the intersection of Mitchell Street and Forsyth Street and ending mid-block between Forsyth Street and Broad Street
- Mitchell Street starting mid-block between Pryor Street and Central Avenue and ending mid-block between Central Avenue and Washington Street

Businesses on the BRT:



Noble Clay Fitness is a nonprofit gym with two locations: one in the Summerhill neighborhood, serving the Southeast communities of Atlanta and a second on the West Side on the City of Refuge campus. Noble Clay is dedicated to transforming lives and communities through personalized fitness coaching. Founded by Ben Davis in 2018, Noble Clay operates on a sliding scale membership model based on household income, ensuring that high-quality fitness services are accessible to everyone, regardless of financial status. Their mission focuses on preventing chronic illnesses and fostering long term health and vitality within the community. By offering individualized training programs, Noble Clay aims to unlock each member's full potential, positively impacting families and the broader community. To learn more or to join, visit their website atnobleclayfitness.com.

If you would like your business featured in our future newsletters, [please fill out this short survey](#) for a free marketing opportunity.

Find Us in the Community:

The project team will be at the following events next month to hear from the community and share more information about MARTA *Rapid* A-Line. If you would like the team to join your community event, please reach out with the details of your event to RapidAline@itsmarta.com.

- 5.18.25: Atlanta Streets Alive

Additional Information:

There are several ways to find more information about the project!

[Visit our website](#) | Email the Rapid Response Team at RapidAline@itsmarta.com | Call our recorded hotline at [\(404\) 848-3006](tel:(404)848-3006) | Follow MARTA Social Media accounts below

Sincerely,

The MARTA *Rapid* A-Line Response Team



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