# Lincoln Service and Texas Eagle

Union Pacific Railroad is continuing construction on a four-year highspeed rail project between Chicago and St. Louis, affecting the *Lincoln Service* and *Texas Eagle*, as described below.



On June 16 through June 24, *Lincoln Service* trains will be cancelled and motorcoach service will be provided at all stations on the route, connecting with other Amtrak trains in some cases. *Please be advised that the motorcoaches will not operate according to the same schedule as the Lincoln Service trains they are temporarily replacing.* 

#### June 25: Train 302

On June 25, Train 302 will be canceled. Motorcoach service will be provided at all stations on the route.

#### Motorcoach Schedule Information

For motorcoach schedules, visit Amtrak.com, call 1-800-USA-RAIL (1-800-872-7245) or speak with a station agent. Schedules will also be posted at stations along the route. *Please be advised that the motorcoaches are subject to delays due to road construction.* 

#### June 16 - June 24: Southbound Texas Eagle Train 21/321/421

- On June 16 through June 24, Train 21/421 will operate non-stop on an alternate route between Chicago and St. Louis. Passengers traveling to intermediate stations may utilize *Lincoln Service* alternate transportation.
- Train 321 will be cancelled on all the above dates except June 16, 17, 18 and 19. On June 16 through June 19, Train 321 will operate between Bloomington-Normal, St. Louis and intermediate stations only.
- Schedule Change: Train 21/421 will depart the following stations approximately 30 minutes later than the times shown in Amtrak printed timetables: The train will depart St. Louis at 8:30 p.m., Poplar Bluff at 11:59 p.m. and will depart Walnut Ridge the following morning at 1:07 a.m. The train will operate according to the published schedule at all remaining stations on the route.

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## June 16 - June 24: Northbound Texas Eagle Train 22/322/422

- Schedule Change: The northbound *Texas Eagle* will depart the following stations *earlier* than the times shown in Amtrak printed timetables. The train will depart Malvern at 10:23 p.m., Little Rock at 11:15 p.m., and the following morning the train will depart Walnut Ridge at 1:13 a.m., Poplar Bluff at 2:07 a.m. and St. Louis at 7:00 a.m. The train will arrive at Chicago 55 minutes *earlier* at 12:57 p.m.
- At St. Louis, the *Texas Eagle* will operate non-stop on an alternate route to Chicago. Train 322, which serves local stations between St. Louis and Chicago, will be cancelled on all the dates above except June 16, 17, 18 and 19. On June 16 through June 19, Train 322 will operate between St. Louis, Bloomington-Normal and intermediate stations only. Additionally, motorcoach service will be provided for Texas Eagle passengers who are detraining at intermediate stations. *Please note: The motorcoach will stop only to discharge passengers.*

## **Confirm Departure and Arrival Times**

Tickets issued prior to the schedule change date may not reflect the correct departure times. While Amtrak makes every effort to notify passengers about schedule changes, passengers are encouraged to confirm their departure and arrival times prior to travel. For the most up-to-date train and motorcoach schedules, visit Amtrak.com or call 1-800-USA-RAIL (1-800-872-7245).

# **Project Information**

The Chicago to St. Louis high-speed rail corridor is among the first high-speed rail projects in the country to begin construction, breaking ground in Brighton (between Alton and Carlinville) last September. Track renewal for this year's construction season began on April 2, 2011, from Elkhart (between Springfield and Lincoln) and is currently proceeding north. It is scheduled for completion by late summer. For project specific information, visit www.idothsr.org or call 855-IDOT-HSR (1-855-436-8477). Join us on Facebook at facebook.com/IllinoisHighSpeedRail. Thank you for traveling with Amtrak. We appreciate your patronage and apologize for any inconvenience you may experience.