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## ***MEDIA ADVISORY***

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### **MTA SCHEDULES METRO RED LINE EMERGENCY DRILL FOR 8:00 A.M. SUNDAY, APRIL 21**

**WHAT:** The MTA will conduct another emergency drill at 8:00 a.m. Sunday, April 21, on the Metro Red Line at the Western Station of the Wilshire Corridor.

**WHEN:** Sunday, April 21, 8:00 to 11 a.m.

**WHERE:** The Western Station is at the corner of Western Avenue and Wilshire Boulevard. Emergency response teams, including several fire trucks from the Los Angeles Fire Department, will respond.

**WHY:** This is the third of five emergency drills the MTA will conduct before the Wilshire Corridor of the Metro Red Line opens for passenger service on July 13. The purpose of the drill is to practice emergency response procedures for the new system.

***NOTE: THIS INCIDENT IS A SIMULATION***

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