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MTA BUS OPERATORS EXTEND CONTRACT ONE WEEK; REGULAR METRO TRANSIT SERVICE CONTINUES

The Metropolitan Transportation Authority (MTA) and the United Transportation Union (UTU), which represents MTA bus and train operators, have jointly announced that they have agreed to a one week extension of the UTU contract through Monday, July 7. The UTU contract would have expired at midnight tonight, June 30. During the next week, negotiations will continue to reach agreement on a new contract. Regular Metro Bus and Metro Rail service on all MTA lines will continue during this period.