



Earthquake Safety Program

Notification

Notification of Construction At Rockridge Station

November 2008

Dear Community Member:

As part of our system-wide Earthquake Safety Program, we will begin strengthening structures at the Rockridge Station to withstand future earthquakes. During the project, you can expect construction-related noise, dust and inconvenience. Please watch for signs with safety information and other notices. We appreciate your patience and cooperation during this work.

Construction Work Details

- **Description: Constructing temporary enclosures, adding steel and concrete to foundations, wrapping columns with steel reinforcement, and protecting utilities and equipment**
- **Location: 14 columns starting in the western permit parking area, then through the station and the eastern parking lot; stairs; escalators; and platform canopies**
- **Start Date: Approximately December 2008**
- **Duration: Approximately one year**
- **Hours: Most work in the daytime on weekdays, some limited work at night or on weekends**
- **Emergency work as necessary**

A related project to strengthen columns over the remainder of the western parking lot and nearby streets will occur in the future. Earthquake Safety Program construction will be underway at various locations throughout the BART system over the next five years, and is expected to be complete by the end of 2013. As always, safety is BART's top priority. Our aim is to strengthen BART as quickly as possible, while maintaining BART service.

To contact the Earthquake Safety Program or obtain additional information, please visit our website at www.bart.gov/earthquakesafety or call our Program Information Line at **510.874.7425**. Thank you again for your patience and cooperation.

Si necesita información en español, por favor llame al 510.874.7425.



ABOUT THE PROGRAM

The BART Earthquake Safety Program will upgrade the original BART system to ensure safety and the ability to return to operation shortly after a major earthquake.

Priorities for strengthening work include BART's Transbay Tube, elevated structures and many stations.

Thank you for supporting BART's efforts to protect this Bay Area asset.



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