





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**SUBJECT:** UPCOMING MOS-3 BUS/RAIL INTERFACE PLAN

**ISSUE**

This report is intended to apprise the Board of the upcoming bus/rail interface plan under study for the MOS-3 Metro Red Line Extension to North Hollywood. The report provides a preview of major route changes under consideration and a brief discussion of related service issues.

**DISCUSSION**

In May 2000 Metro Red Line revenue service will be extended from Hollywood to the San Fernando Valley. The 6.3 mile extension will serve three new stations including Hollywood/Highland, Universal City and North Hollywood stations. Both the Universal City and North Hollywood stations are proposed to be major transit hubs in the San Fernando Valley.

**Bus/Rail Interface Plan**

Bus service in the San Fernando Valley will be restructured to reduce bus/rail service duplication and to provide effective modal interfaces at the Universal City and North Hollywood Stations. Major changes being considered include truncating Lines 424/425 (L.A.-Ventura Bl.-Warner Center Express/Limited Express) and 522 (L.A.-Ventura Bl.-Reseda Bl. Express) at the Universal City Station and Line 418 (L.A.-Roscoe Bl.-Northridge Express) at the North Hollywood Station. Line 427 (L.A.-Warner Center-Canoga Park Express) is proposed to be canceled and service levels reduced south of the North Hollywood Station on Line 420 (L.A.-Van Nuys-Panorama City), operating through the Cahuenga Pass. The overall plan will remove approximately 40,000 revenue bus hours of service, as outlined in the Restructuring Plan submitted to the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) in 1998. A map showing the lines considered for route modifications is shown on Attachment I.

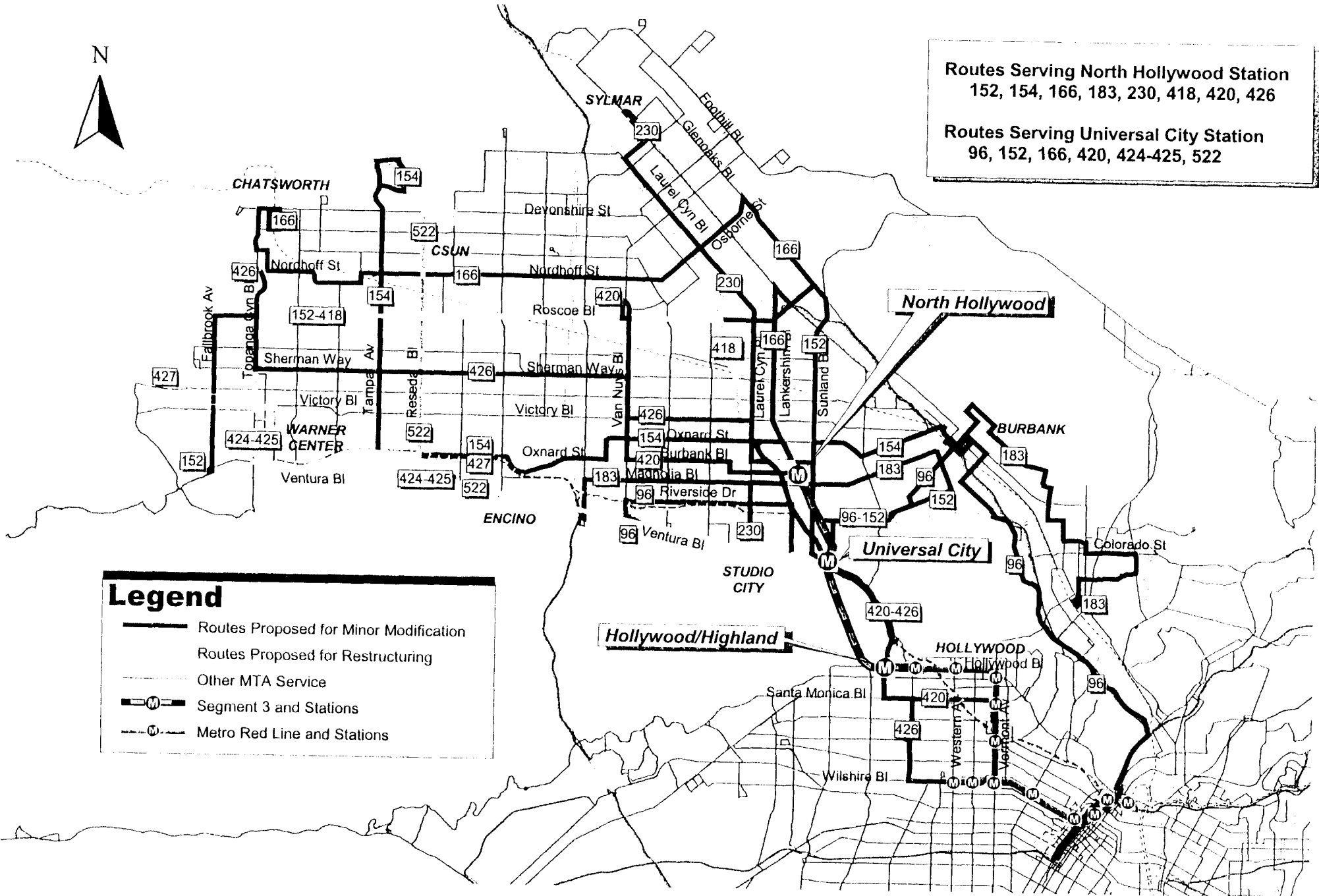


# MO 3 Bus/Rail Interface Plan Proposed Route Modifications



**Routes Serving North Hollywood Station**  
152, 154, 166, 183, 230, 418, 420, 426

**Routes Serving Universal City Station**  
96, 152, 166, 420, 424-425, 522



## Legend

- Routes Proposed for Minor Modification
- Routes Proposed for Restructuring
- Other MTA Service
- Segment 3 and Stations
- Metro Red Line and Stations