

Route 80 & 89 Diversions for Ball Square/Broadway Bridge Closure

- Beginning March 2019, Broadway Bridge in Ball Square, Somerville will close for approximately 1 year due to GLX construction
- Two bus routes that operate over Broadway Bridge will be affected:
 - **Route 80** (Arlington Center-Lechmere)
 - **Route 89**, including variants 89.0 (Clarendon Hill-Sullivan) and 89.2 (Davis-Sullivan)
- Routes 80 and 89 will detour around Ball Square/Broadway Bridge using minor arterials in Medford and Somerville:
 - The diversion variants 80.4, 89.5, and 89.6 are built into HASTUS and will take effect at the start of the Spring 2019 rating
 - Diversion routes have been tested with the Bus Training School
 - Service Planning is coordinating with municipal officials to modify intersection striping and remove on-street parking for necessary bus turning movements and temporary stops



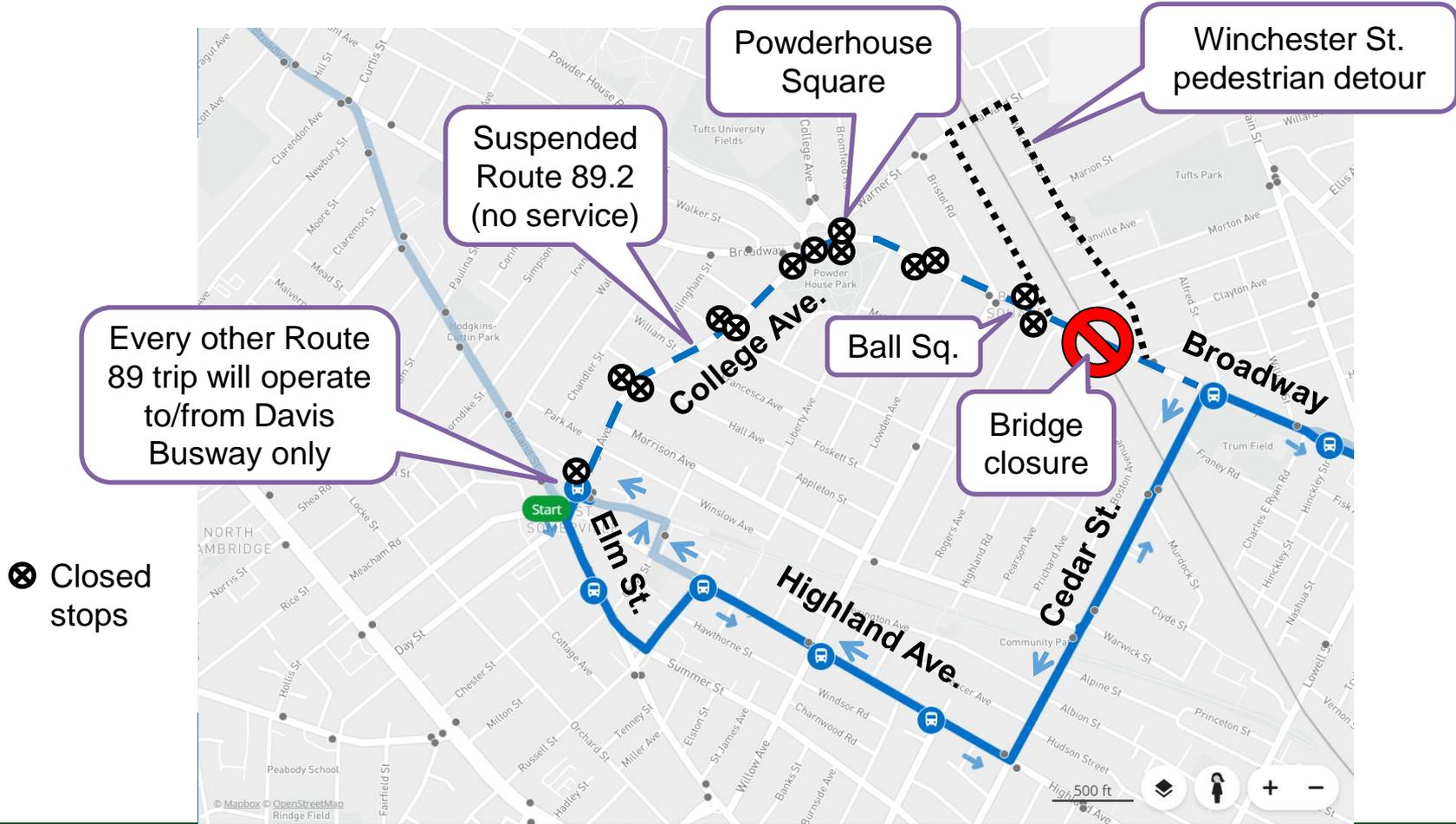
Route 89.5: Clarendon Hill – Sullivan (long variant)

Diversion via Holland Ave., Davis, Highland Ave., and Cedar St.



Route 89.6: Davis – Sullivan (short variant)

Diversion via Highland Ave. and Cedar St.



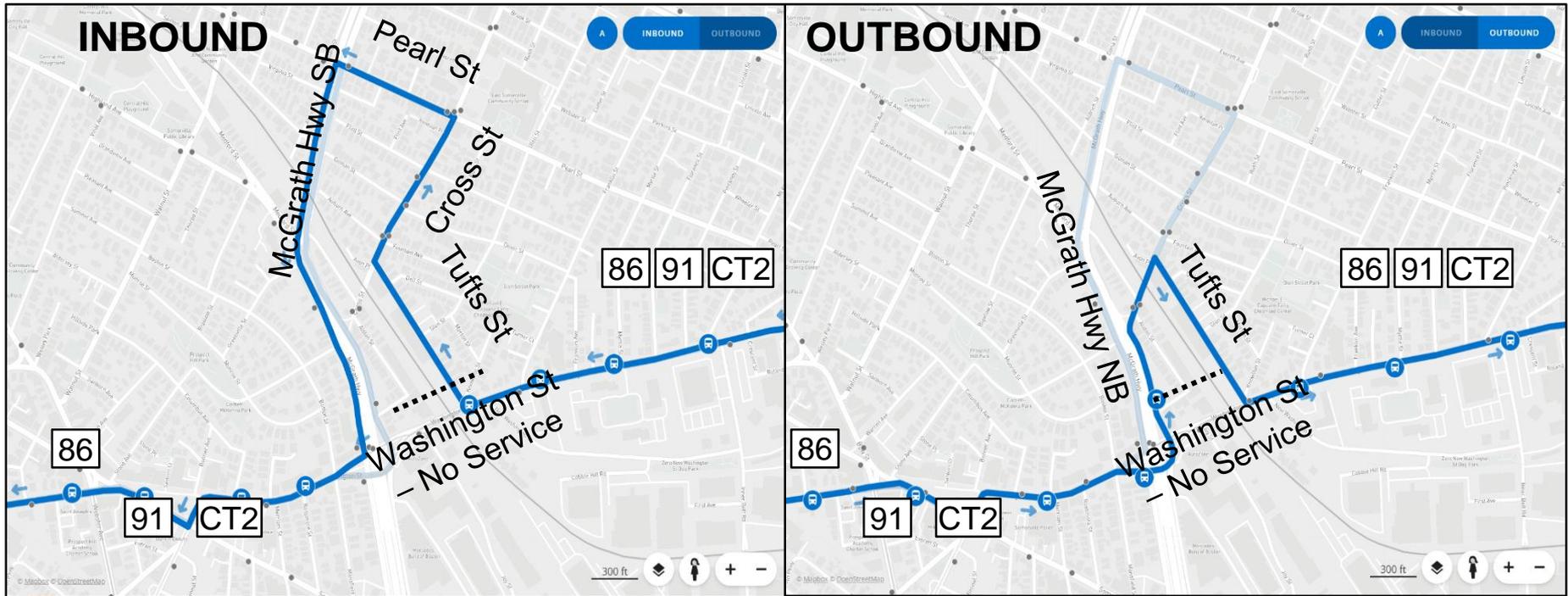
Route 86, 91, & CT2 Diversions for Washington St Bridge Closure

- Beginning Spring 2019, Broadway Bridge in Ball Square, Somerville will close for approximately nine months, then again during the 2020 construction season due to GLX construction
- Three bus routes that operate under the Lowell Line / Washington St Bridge will be affected:
 - **Route 86** (Sullivan Station – Reservoir Station)
 - **Route 91** (Sullivan Station – Central Square)
 - **Route CT2** (Sullivan Station – Ruggles Station)
- Non-revenue pullout trips from the garage will also be detoured.
- The diversion route omits one stop westbound and none in the eastbound direction. Travel time impacts are estimated at 5-10 minutes eastbound and 2-4 minutes westbound.

Washington St. Bridge Detours

MBTA Bus Routes 86, 91, CT2

Diversion via Tufts St., Cross St.,
Pearl St., and McGrath Highway



5-10 minutes extra travel time, limited stop closures, reasonably straightforward implementation