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Subway shut for urgent tunnel lining repair

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Glasgow's Subway system remains closed following the discovery on Monday night (3 June) of damage to a tunnel lining.

Cowcaddens Subway station has been shut to allow an 'unexpected repair' to be made to part of the tunnel. Strathclyde Partnership for Transport says engineers are working to fix the tunnel but on Wednesday evening had yet to announce when the station would reopen.

Free shuttle buses are currently operating between Buchanan Street and St George's Cross station - the section of Subway that remains out of action. Over the rest of the 15-mile circle a single train is providing a shuttle service between Buchanan St. Georges Crus

Street and Govan with another one providing a link between Govan and St George's Cross. Passengers have been advised to allow at least 30 minutes extra for their journey.

The problem with the tunnel lining was discovered during scheduled overnight engineering work as part of the Subway modernisation.

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