

METRO is testing light rail vehicles in Tempe. You will see vehicles, beginning this spring, on the tracks between 48th Street and Washington through the station at Third Street and Mill Avenue. Trains are expected to run east of Mill Avenue and on to Apache Boulevard by summer.

Each vehicle in the METRO fleet must be checked to ensure it meets safety and performance specifications. The rail, signals, power system and all other components are also tested to ensure quality performance.

Light rail is an extremely quiet mode of transport and, of course, brand new to the Valley. By following these few safety instructions, you will remain safe, happy and healthy on and around the region's newest transit system:

- With light rail being so quiet, listen for bells and look for flashing train headlights.
- Pedestrians use the crosswalk and obey all signals.
- Don't stop your car or bike on the tracks.
- Obey the traffic signals; turn left across tracks only with a green arrow.
- No biking, walking or skateboarding in the track way.

For more information visit http://www.valleymetro.org/metro_light_rail/light_rail_safety/