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MOBILITY REPORT

Q1 2026

COUNTING LOCATIONS

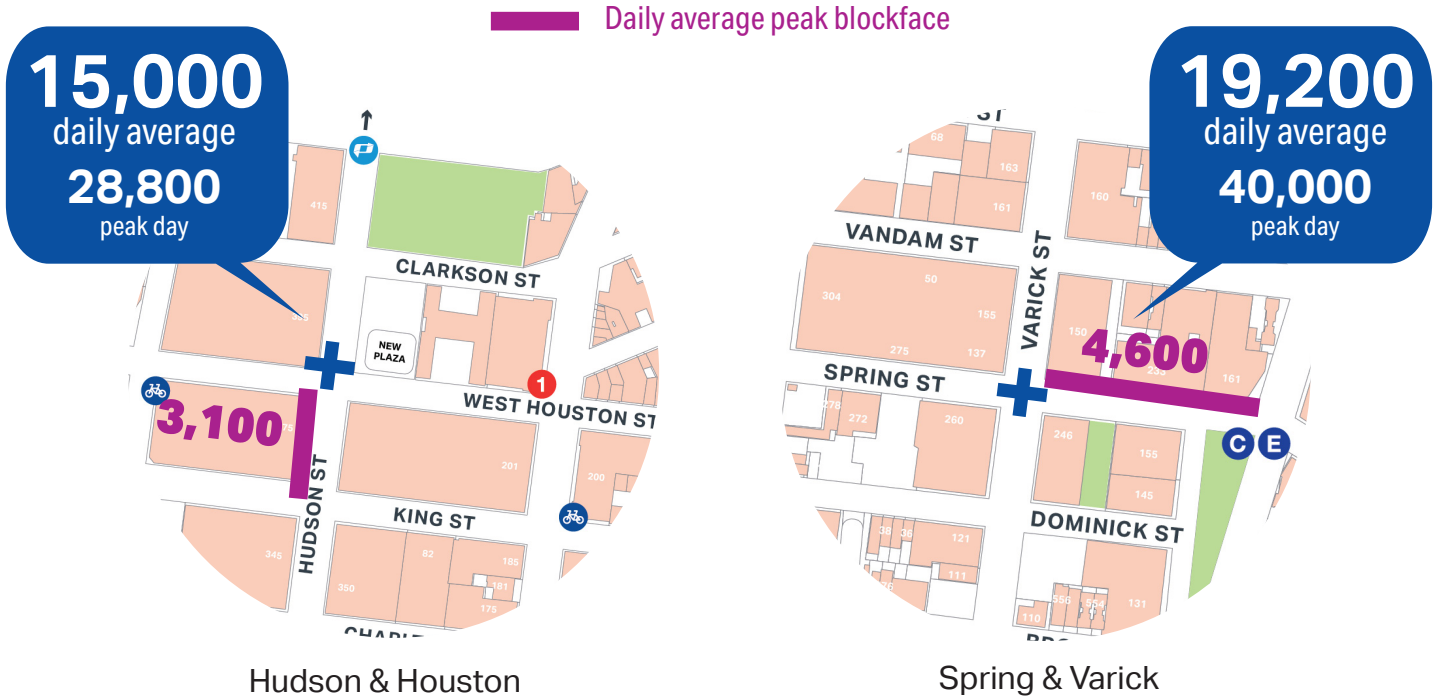
As part of our mission to make Hudson Square a place for people, the Hudson Square BID measures pedestrian movement, subway ridership, and Citi Bike usage throughout our neighborhood to better understand how people travel to and within Hudson Square. According to our new [2025 Neighborhood Survey](#), nearly 90% of Hudson Square's workers and residents commute by public transit, and our Quarterly Mobility Report builds on this data with regular, district-wide insights, helping us better understand how the neighborhood moves over time. Our counting locations are mapped below. Count methodology for each location varies. [MRI onLocation](#); [MTA Open Data](#); [Citi Bike System Data](#)



PEDESTRIAN ACTIVITY

PEDESTRIAN MOVEMENT AT INTERSECTIONS

MRI onLocation



While overall pedestrian volumes at the intersections held steady, Spring & Varick saw meaningful growth on its highest-traffic days — the daily average for the top 10 busiest days of Q1 rose by 12.5% year-over-year.

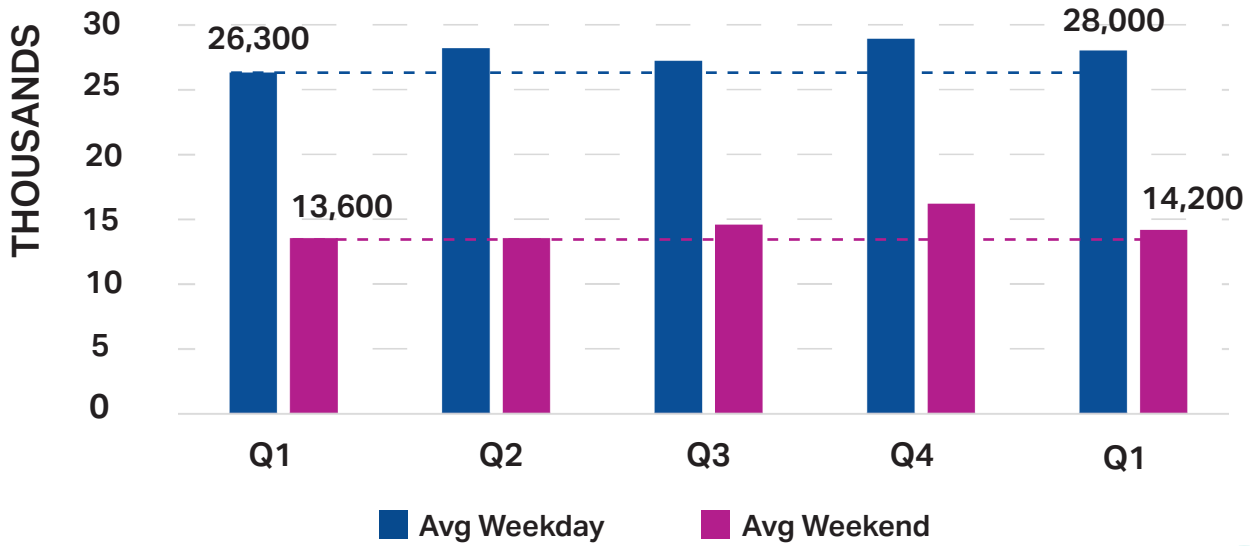


SUBWAY RIDERSHIP

RIDERSHIP GROWTH YEAR-OVER-YEAR

MTA Open Data

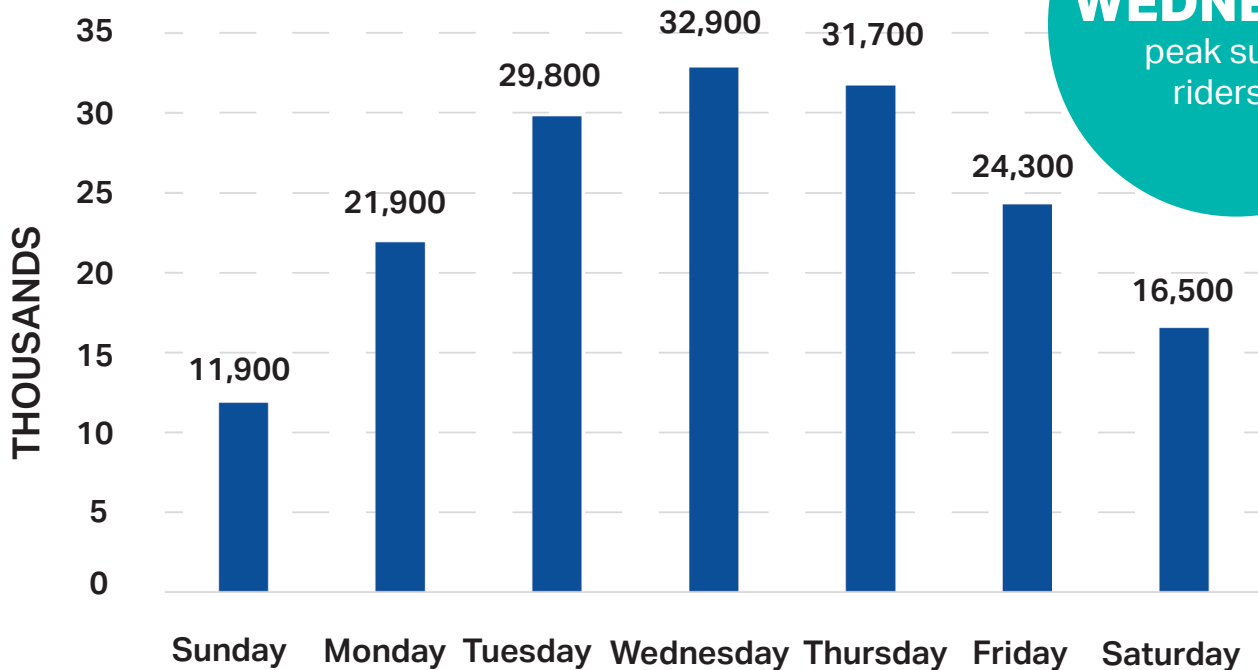
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DAY-OF-WEEK RIDERSHIP

MTA Open Data

WEDNESDAY
peak subway
ridership



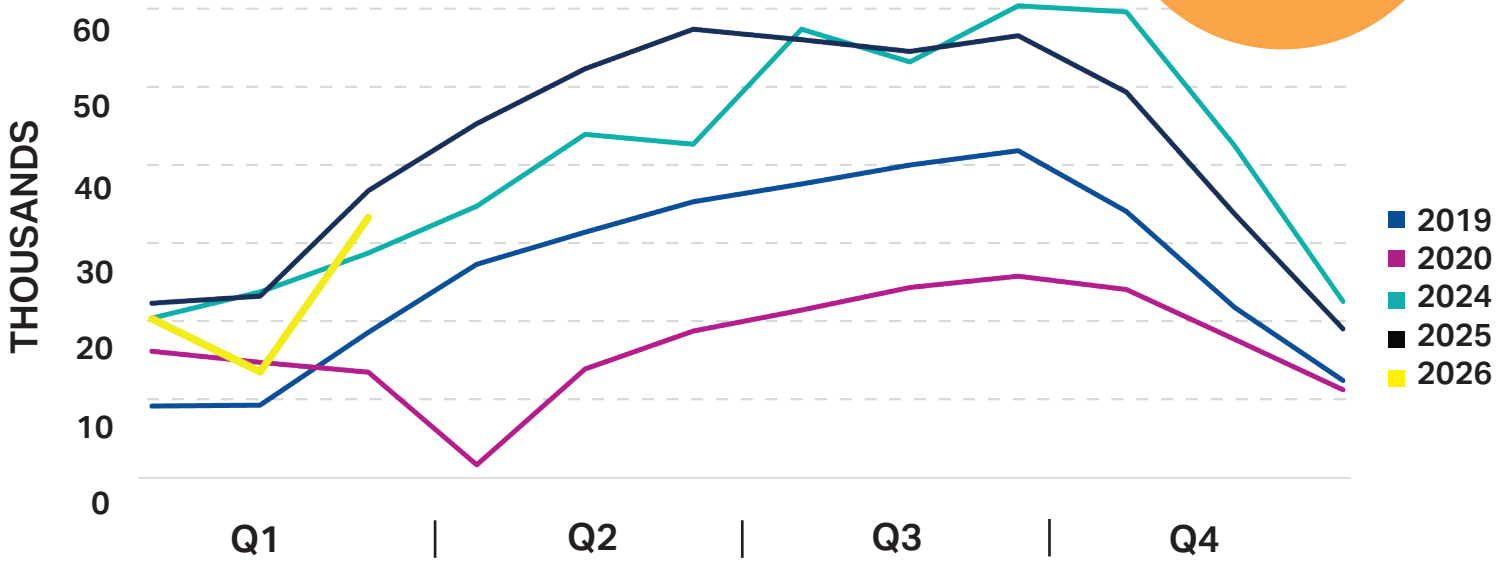
Subway usage in Q1 2026 continued to grow, with a 6% increase year over year -- averaging 28,000 riders on weekdays and 14,200 on weekends.

BIKE SHARE USAGE

CITI BIKE MONTHLY RIDERSHIP

Citi Bike System Data

22,400
average monthly
ridership in
Q1 2026



Citi Bike trips in Hudson Square decreased in Q1 2026, mirroring a broader dip in ridership across Manhattan. Ridership recovered sharply in March 2026, suggesting that winter conditions were a significant contributor to the February drop.

Note: Citibike station at 6th Ave and Canal was relocated to Varick and Watts in Q3 2025 with reduced capacity, impacting ridership.



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