Mayor of Moscow opened the Vnukovo station of the future D4 Line

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Mayor of Moscow Sergey Sobyanin opened a new modern terminal – Vnukovo. The suburban station has changed beyond the recognition: it was completely reconstructed to become a full-value city terminal. Previously, the old station had nothing except for tracks. Now, it will become part of the D4 Line of the Moscow Central Diameters (MCD).

In 2020, 4 stations were opened on the future D4 Line. By 2021, it is planned to open two stations and renovate six more, 2 of which will have interchanges with Metro stations. The development of the line is continuing, new stations are under construction. For example, Kokoshkino station is ready by 75 %. Finishing works are carried out, elevators and escalators are to be installed. Shops, residential areas and restaurants will be opened next to the new terminal making this place attractive for living and business.

The D4 Line is a link between Moscow suburbs, city centre and Moscow Region. The diameter will be 86 long and will include 37 stations. It will give passengers an opportunity to build more convenient and time-saving routes. D4 will connect seven Moscow stations and will create 18 interchanges to Metro and 2 – to the MCC.

It is estimated that about 30 million people will use the new diameter, which is twice population of Paris, London and Berlin.

The MCD is an above-ground metro which allows passengers to travel from the suburbs to the city centre. Passengers can switch to the Metro, the MCC, trams and buses. Paying for travelling becomes simpler as well. Previously, commuters used to buy a separate ticket on the railway, and now there is a single payment system for all modes of public transport. The headway between trains does not exceed 7 minutes at peak hours. D1 and D2 were launched on November 21, 2019. The D1 is 52 km long and includes 25 stations. The 80 km-long D2 Line has 35 stations. The launch of D3, D4 and D5 is planned for 2023-2024.





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