

Closed Projects

Highway 17 Bus Service Improvements

Final Cost: \$2.5 million

Year of Completion: 2011

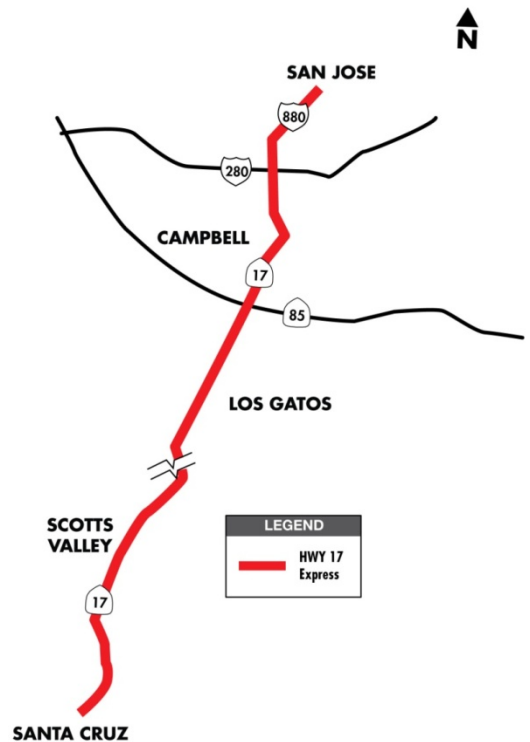
Project Manager: Jim Unites

Designer: Santa Cruz Metro

Project Description:

Santa Cruz Metro has procured five buses necessary to operate service between Santa Cruz, Scotts Valley, and Downtown San Jose. These buses replaced existing buses that are 20 years old, with an average of 950,000 miles each.

The five (5) buses went into service in March/April 2011. VTA has reimbursed Santa Cruz Metro for the \$2.5 million purchase price.



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Low Floor Light Rail Vehicles

Final Cost: \$200.6 million

Year of Completion: 2004

Project Manager: Art Douwes

Contractor: Kinkisharyo International, LLC

Project Description:

Purchased 70 low floor light rail vehicles to serve the entire VTA Light Rail system.

Low floor vehicles provide enhanced ADA accessibility and improved service by minimizing boarding and exit times for all riders. Low floor light rail vehicles eliminate the need for wheelchair lifts and enhance access for all VTA riders, as well as providing additional space for bicycles.



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