

Benefits



Spur 60 M sq ft of new development and housing within walking distance to the alignment



Connecting 1.7 M transit-dependent riders to resources every year



Providing equitable transit for low-income communities



Activation of station sites and streets that foster walkability, vibrancy, activity, and cultivate a sense of community



Intermodal connection to commuter, intercity, light rail, and regional bus service

















Transforming Communities Through Transit

VTA's BART Silicon Valley Phase II Extension (Phase II Project) is a six-mile, four-station extension of BART from the Berryessa/North San José Station that will traverse through downtown San José to the City of Santa Clara. This extension of the regional BART system will provide a fast and convenient transit alternative for significant commute corridors that support

Fremont, San José)

contribution

> Project accepted into the NEW STARTS PROGRAM,

allowing for a substantially higher federal

mobility for transit dependent populations; increase access to employment centers and opportunities; stimulate economic development in Silicon Valley and enhance connectivity of regional transit services.

Furthermore, the project will activate station area neighborhoods, supporting vibrant, thriving, and walkable transit oriented communities.



Former San José Mayor



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VTA buses will continue to serve 44,000 weekday riders during construction



Minimized disruption to the extent feasible to local businesses due to single-bore construction methodology



An average travel time savings of **30 minutes** for a 50-mile commute



5,600 student riders (San Jose State University/Santa Clara University) are projected to use the system daily



2 M people in Santa Clara County will gain access to → 3.5 M Bay Area Jobs



Access to **1 M Jobs** in Silicon Valley - Google, Adobe, Apple, etc.

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