

BRT is convenient, cost effective

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Back in the days when we built cities for people rather than cars, Fresno had a state-of-the art transit system that connected downtown to the San Joaquin River and Sunnyside and all the neighborhoods between.

That system was known as the Fresno Traction Co., and its trolley cars provided reliable, safe public transportation from 1903 to 1939.

The Bus Rapid Transit proposal is an echo of that historical system, augmenting our existing transit facilities, reinforcing our General Plan, and promising to make Fresno a better place to live.

The reason we elect our City Council members is so they can make wise decisions that will shape our future. Please join me in encouraging this council to support convenient, cost-effective transportation that will result in smart growth.

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