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Shirley A. DeLibero, former APTA Chair and current COMTO National Chair, joins MV Transportation Board of Directors

Fairfield, CA - May 21, 2007 - Ms. Shirley A. DeLibero, the National Chair of the Conference of Minority Transportation Officials (COMTO), and former chair of the American Public Transportation Association (APTA), has been appointed to the MV Transportation Board of Directors.

Ms. DeLibero is the first African-American woman to hold the transit industry's highest honorary post as Chair of APTA, and was inducted into APTA's Hall of Fame in 2006.

Ms. DeLibero has more than 30 years of experience in the transportation industry, and served as the President and CEO of Houston METRO from 1999 to 2004, where she is credited with building the city's light rail system.

"Shirley brings an incredible wealth of knowledge, transit insight and wisdom to MV from having served in executive leadership positions throughout our industry," said MV Chief Executive Officer Jon Monson. "She will bring a completely different and fresh perspective to the MV Board, and assist in elevating the company to the next level."

Upon her appointment, Ms. DeLibero said, "I'm very pleased to be on the Board of MV, a transportation organization that has a strong culture of valuing its customers and its employees. I look forward to adding increased value to an already successful company."

Ms. DeLibero began her career in 1976 as a project manager and superintendent of the Green Line at the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority. Her primary responsibility was oversight of the rehabilitation of old President's Conference Committee cars. Her next stop was at the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority. At WMATA, Ms. DeLibero first served as director of bus services and later as assistant general manager overseeing the bus and rail system. After leaving DC, she became the deputy executive director of Dallas Area Rapid Transit (DART).



In 1990, Ms. DeLibero became the executive director of NJ Transit, the nation's third largest multi-modal public transit system. Under her leadership, NJ Transit focused more on the customer—improving service quality and safety, and enhancing operating efficiency. Ridership increased 17.4 percent under her leadership and major rail extensions were built, including the Hudson-Bergen Line, the first design/build/operate/maintain light rail system in the U.S. with a public/private partnership, and Midtown Direct, a heavy rail extension from Broad Street to Penn Station New York.

Currently, Ms. DeLibero is president of DeLibero Transportation Strategies, LLC, a transportation solutions consulting firm.

In 2006, Ms. DeLibero became the National Chair of COMTO, a position she will hold until 2008. A long time supporter of COMTO, she has received numerous awards from the organization, including the Thomas G. Neusom Founder's Award, Distinguished Leadership Award in Transportation, the Outstanding Community Service Award, and the Lifetime Achievement Award.

Good Housekeeping Magazine dubbed her "The Engine That Could," and named her one of the Top 10 Women in U.S. Government. Governing Magazine named her one of the Top Public Officials of the Year in 1999.

Ms. DeLibero becomes MV's eighth Board Member, joining MV founders and owners Feysan and Alex Lodde, former San Francisco Mayor Willie Brown Jr.; David Sams, former President of Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Company and principal of financial services firm Otter Cove Associates; William Blair & Co. analyst Jeff Germonatta; Fastenal Chief Operating Officer Nicholas Lundquist and MV's CEO Jon Monson.

The MV Board meets quarterly to review a wide range of performance indicators and supports the ongoing strategic growth and development of the company. The Board appoints the officers of the corporation and approves all strategic decisions.

Founded in 1975 by the Lodde husband-and-wife team, MV is based in Fairfield, California and is the leading private firm specializing in public transportation contracting. The Lodde's began MV with a single van operating paratransit service in San Francisco. The company now employs more than 10,000 transit professionals and operates buses for more than 150 clients in 27 states.

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