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City of Lodi, California awards MV Transportation new transit contract

The Lodi, California City Council voted recently to retain MV Transportation, Inc. as the manager of the city's Grapeline transit system.

MV has operated the city's fixed-route and Dial-A-Ride service since July 2003. The new four year, \$7.6 million contract (with two additional, one-year options) will begin on August 3.

Four transit companies submitted bids for this contract, and according to Lodi City Staff, MV's proposal was "by far the most professional and experienced firm that bid on the work".

"We have enjoyed a great partnership with the City of Lodi, and we look forward to continuing it," said Kevin Klika, President of MV's West Coast Operations. "I am especially proud of the outstanding work our team has done in Lodi to ensure we offer the best services possible every day."

Based in Fairfield, California, MV is the largest private provider of paratransit services and the largest privately-owned transportation contracting firm in the United States. The company employs more than 11,000 dedicated transit professionals and operates more than 180 paratransit, fixed-route, shuttle and Medicaid contracts in 24 states.

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