

VAN NESS

IMPROVEMENT PROJECT



*Citizens' Advisory Council
San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency*



Overview

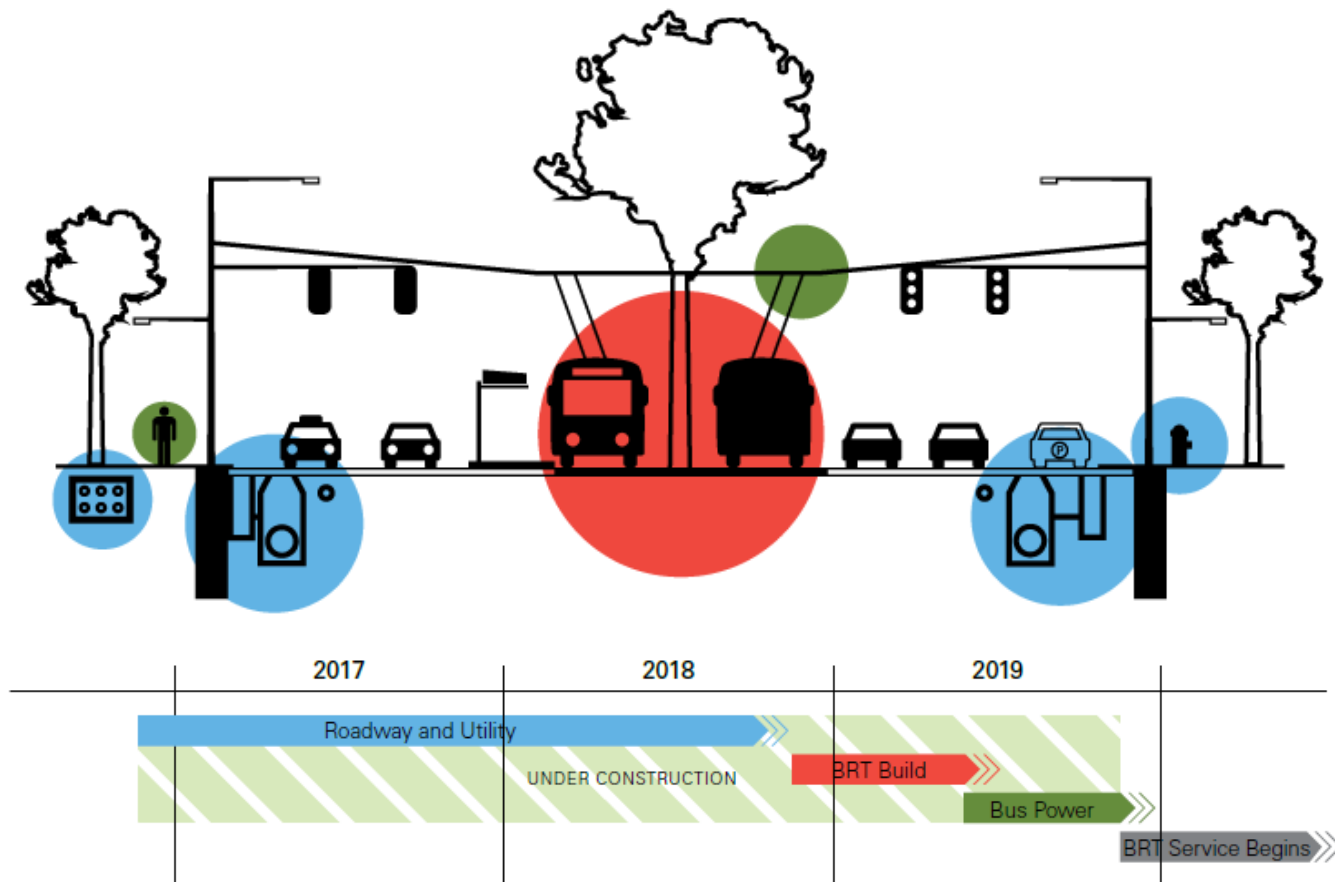


Van Ness Avenue is the backbone of civic life in San Francisco and one of the most important thoroughfares connecting the region. This project will make the street accessible and enjoyable for everyone through:

- The City's first Bus Rapid Transit system, a globally proven solution to improve transit service and address traffic congestion.
- Utility maintenance including repaving the street and replacing water and sewer systems to ensure reliability.
- Public improvements like more efficient street lighting, new sidewalk lighting and landscaping.

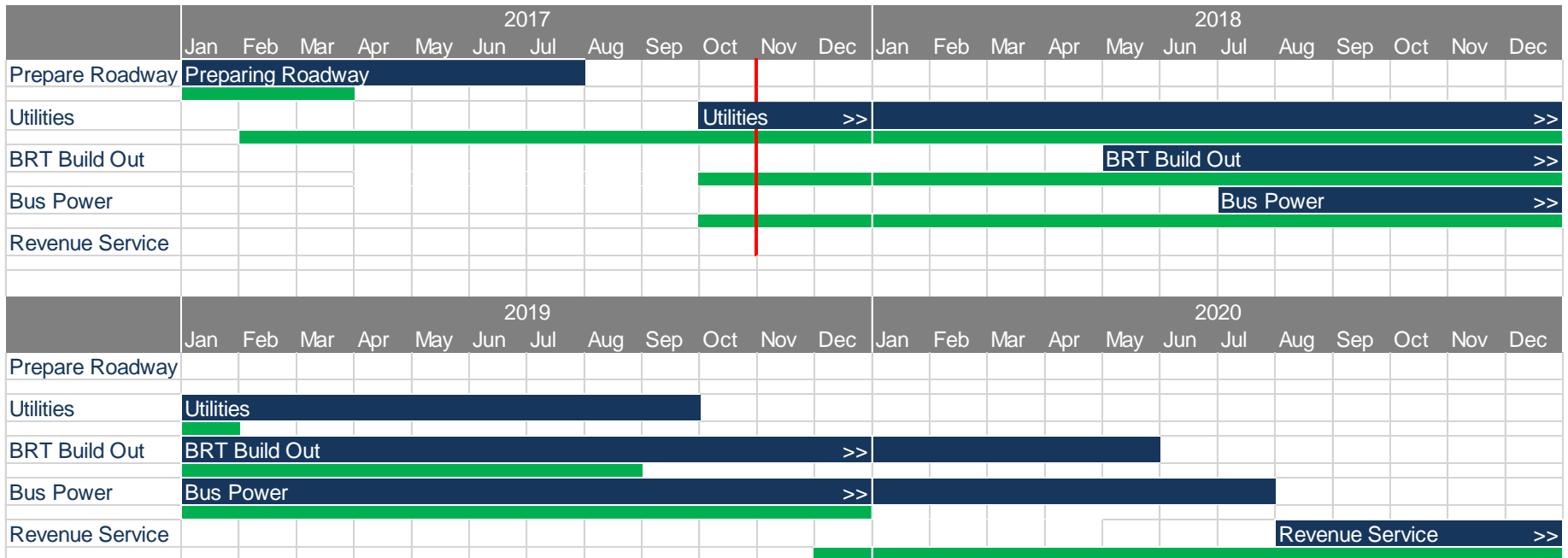
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- Construction phases and timeline



Schedule

• Project Schedule



- Schedule Key**
-  Data date
 -  Actualized Schedule
 -  Contractor's Approved Baseline Schedule

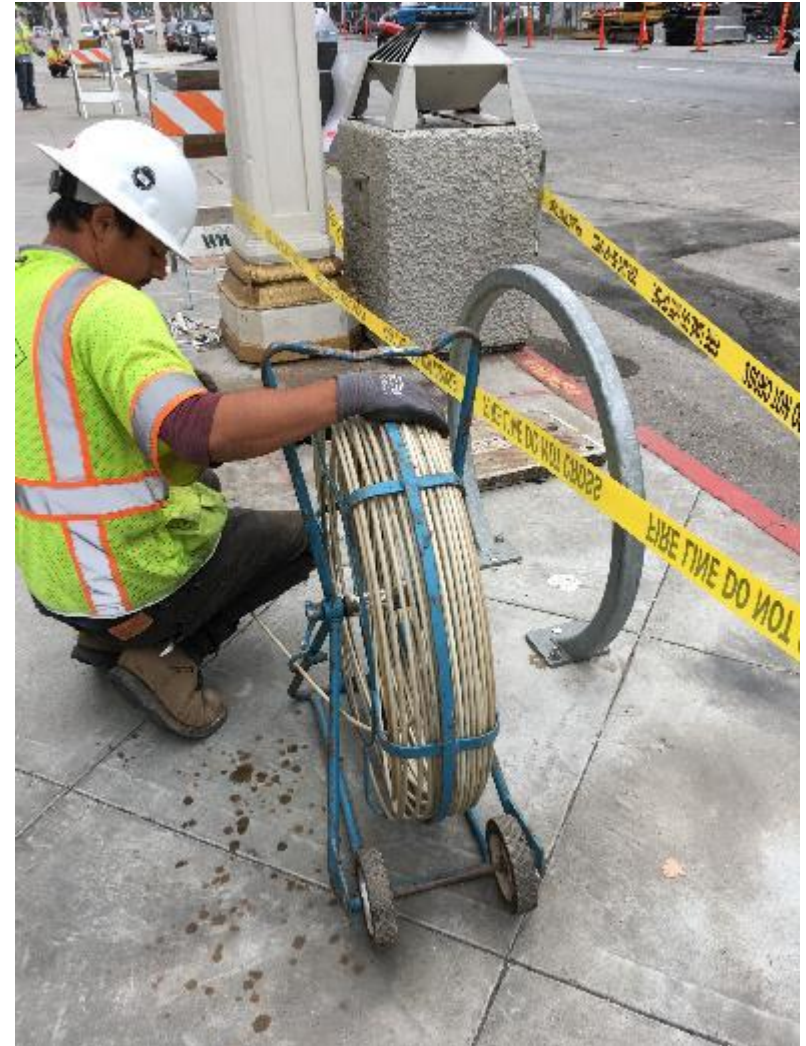
Recent Milestones

- Sewer and water subcontract signed
- Created 2 construction zones:
 - New traffic lanes marked, traffic shifted
 - Temporary bus boarding platforms installed
 - Color curb zones, street furniture relocated



Milestones underway

- Installing hubs to monitor emergency firefighting water system (AWSS)
- Saw cutting and removal of the roadway
- Potholing to confirm utility locations
- Utility trenching for duct bank that will power the overhead contact system and other traffic systems
- For some tasks, night work is required when roadway must be reduced to one lane in a direction



Upcoming milestones

- Phase 1 utility work
 - Installing twin sewers
 - SFPUC is in collaboration developing construction plan
 - Replacing water main
 - SFPUC coordination of final cutover ongoing
 - Replacing parts of emergency firefighting water system (AWSS)

Outreach

- Ongoing
 - Weekly 14-day Construction Forecast (web, email, text message), weekly “Weekend Release” press release
 - Twice weekly Community Drop-in Office Hours (Tue. 2:00-4:00 p.m., Fri. 10:00 a.m.-noon, excluding holidays)
 - 72-hour noticing for night work
 - “Meet the Expert” speaker series
 - Active Van Ness BRT Community Advisory Committee and Van Ness Business Advisory Committee
 - Briefings to public officials
 - Quarterly newsletters
 - Open for Business marketing program



Thank you



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