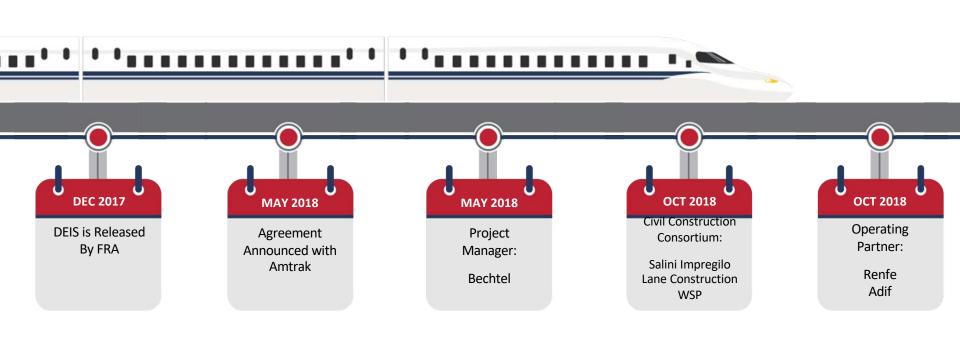


Tracking Progress

Recent Major Announcements



World Class Companies Working on the Train

























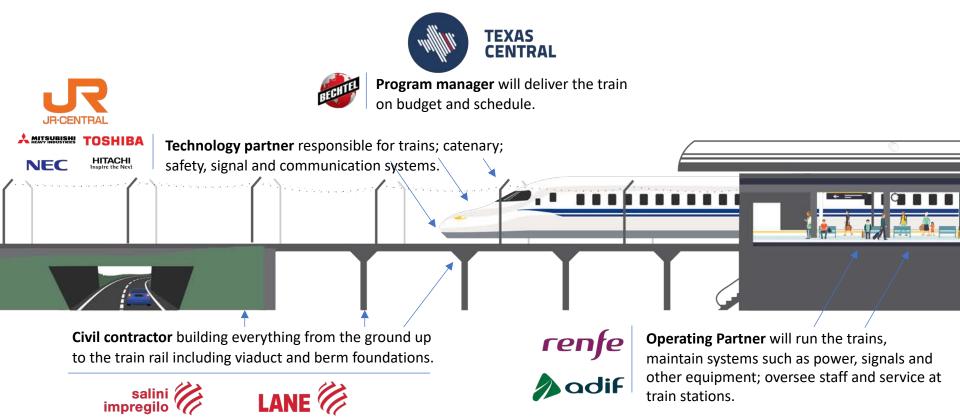






GLOBAL BEST FOR AMERICA'S 1ST HIGH-SPEED TRAIN

Creating A New American Industry With World Class Companies



HIGH-SPEED TRAIN'S POWERHOUSE PARTNERS



TEXAS CENTRAL, BUILDING A NEW INDUSTRY WITH INTERNATIONAL EXPERTISE

PROJECT MANAGER



Bechtel is working with Texas Central on project management services.

- Bechtel, a U.S.-based company with an operational headquarters in Houston, has global expertise in managing and constructing high-speed train infrastructure and complex, heavy civil projects.
- It has completed more than 300 major train and subway projects, including the Channel Tunnel High Speed 1, Crossrail in London, West Coast Route Modernization and Dulles Corridor Metrorail in the Washington, D.C., area.

TECHNOLOGY





The Texas trains will use Central Japan Railway's allelectric sixth-generation N700S Shinkansen trains.

- The Shinkansen is the world's safest mass transportation system, having run for 54 years with no passenger fatalities or injuries from operations and with an impeccable on-time performance record.
- The 200 mph trains will use elevated tracks with no at-grade crossings, allowing for free movement of vehicles, farm equipment and livestock.







Salini Impregilo, a multinational contractor based in Italy and The Lane Construction Corporation, its U.S. subsidiary, will lead the railroad's civil construction consortium.

- It has vast international experience, having built more than 4,000 miles of railway infrastructure in 50 countries.
- The consortium is responsible for all work up to the top of the rail, including viaducts, embankments and drainage.

OPERATING PARTNER





Renfe operates the world's second largest High Speed Train network.

- The Spanish company runs 5,000 trains daily on 7,500 miles of track, and handled more than 487 million passengers in 2017.
- Operator will run the trains, maintain systems such as power, signals and other equipment; oversee staff and service at train stations.

Construction on a Texas-Sized Scale

>\$12 Billion Investment in Civil Infrastructure



CONCRETE

10 million cubic yards of concrete, nearly 3X used in the Hoover Dam



RAIL

Nearly 1,100 miles of rail



STATIONS & FACILITIES

3 passenger stations
2 train maintenance facilities
multiple maintenance of way and power
substations

Jobs, Jobs, Jobs

10,000 Direct Jobs per year During Construction



Electrician \$42,000/year



Welder \$50,000/year



Construction Manager \$80,000/year

Source for salaries: Texas Workforce

Creating a New Industry in Texas

The Train is Moving Forward

More than 1,500 Direct Jobs Once Operational







LEGISLATIVE ISSUES

- 1. Regulation
 - Reinstitute HSR Commission?
 - TxDoT/Railroad Commission role?
- 2. Eminent Domain
 - Treat us like everyone else
 - · Coalition For Critical Infrastructure
- 3. Interoperability
- 4. Tax & Finance
 - Ensure no harm
 - Requiring bonds
 - Tax issues
- 5. Other
 - Support workforce issues



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