Career Discovery

October 15, 2012
• Local and Suburban *Transit* businesses. 10,567 *companies* (Manta)

• Global demand on annual basis is expected to grow to $216 Billion by 2016 (approx $55B in the US)

• One time boost of $17.7 Billion in the U.S. from economic stimulus

• Boom forecast for California and other regions
• China invests far and above the most money in its rail network relative to its economy, spending $12.5 dollars for every $1,000 of GDP. In contrast, the United States spends $0.8 dollars per $1,000 of GDP.

• By 2015, the number of high-speed train sets in operation worldwide is expected to rise by 70 percent.

• European high-speed rail travel grew from 9.3 billion passenger miles in 1990 to 61 billion passenger miles in 2008.
Bureau of Labor Stats

Transit & Ground Transport Employment, all employees (seasonally adjusted, in thousands)

• 424.8 (June 2012)
• 435.1 (July 2012)
• 441.3 (August 2012)
• 450.5 (September 2012)
• Over the next 50 years U.S population is forecast to grow to 435 million

• The number of licensed drivers grew from 78 million 50 years ago to 205 million today and is expected to reach over 380 million 50 years out
Expertise

- Urban & Regional Planning
- Transportation Engineering
- Landscape Architecture
- Law
- Architecture
- Urban Design
- Geography
- Public Policy
Planner

What society thinks I do

What my friends think I do

What applicants think I do

What the APA thinks I do

What I think I do

What I really do