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**MCAT Selects Apollo Video Technology to Provide Video Surveillance System**  
*RoadRunner system provides seamless integration between multiple types of transit vehicles*

BRADENTON, Fla. Nov. 17, 2009 – Apollo Video Technology ([www.avt-usa.com](http://www.avt-usa.com)) has been selected by Manatee County Area Transit (MCAT) to outfit the county's 60 transit vehicles with the RoadRunner™ video surveillance system. Each system will include 5 to 6 cameras and GPS capabilities combined with Apollo Video Technology's iSM™ interface.

MCAT's fleet consists of 27 Gillig buses, 6 trolleys and 27 paratransit vehicles that serve the communities of Manatee County. All 27 Gillig buses and 6 trolleys will be equipped with 5 interior cameras and 1 exterior and each paratransit vehicles will be equipped with 4 interior and 1 exterior camera.

"Installing surveillance systems is crucial to both the safety and security of both commuters and transit property," said Ralf Heseler, manager, Manatee County Area Transit. "By partnering with Apollo Video Technology we will be able to better manage fleet operations and ensure that commuters reach their destinations on-time and safe."

Implementing the MR4 (four camera) and MR8 (eight camera) RoadRunner™ systems, County officials will access all vehicles in the fleet using the same included software. Additionally, recording media is interchangeable between systems.

"A video surveillance solution that integrates seamlessly between multiple types of transit vehicles is crucial for transit organizations like MCAT," said Rodell Notbohm, general manager for Apollo Video Technology. "The RoadRunner system enables transit managers to monitor real-time video feeds from each vehicle within the MCAT fleet while also monitoring the respective location and speed information using the iSM™ interface."

The iSM™ (Interactive Speed and Mapping) interface enables transit managers to quickly search video feeds based on location or speed of any given transit vehicle. Using the iSM™ interface, MCAT transit managers will be able to quickly investigate concerns regarding pick-up or drop-off locations, the speed of specific vehicles or any safety or security concerns.

For more information on the RoadRunner™ system, please visit:  
<http://www.apollovideotechnology.com/transit.htm>

### About Apollo Video Technology

Apollo Video Technology ([www.avt-usa.com](http://www.avt-usa.com)) is a leading manufacturer of on-board and in-car digital surveillance systems for public transit, school transportation law enforcement, military, freight transport, fire and EMS applications. With government and private-sector installations throughout North American and worldwide, Apollo Video's Mil-Spec and SAE rated RoadRunner line of turnkey video and audio systems simplifies real-time video capture and reduces overall costs with exceptional quality, durability and easy offloading of video.

Since its release in 2004, The RoadRunner system has been installed in over 240 agencies worldwide – representing over 6,000 total implementations. Apollo Video Technology has been selected to provide digital video and audio surveillance systems by prominent public agencies such as Chicago METRA, King County METRO, Kansas City Area Transit Authority, Edmonton Transit System, Los Angeles County Metro Transportation Authority, City of Lincoln Nebraska and Winnipeg Transit.