

**The role of  
Bus Rapid Transit in creating  
and connecting jobs**

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People love BRT

Outperformed every other  
kind of transit last year



Video at: [betterbusesmsp.com](http://betterbusesmsp.com)

People love BRT

Residents and employers ask  
for BRT

“The B Line is a very smart investment,” said Ecolab CEO Doug Baker, during a news conference Tuesday. “It will speed up transit greatly.”

Efficient and reliable public transit will help the St. Paul-based company, one of the largest employers downtown, attract and retain employees, he added.

Buses are built  
here in  
Minnesota

## C Line buses:

Buses for Minnesotans, made by Minnesotans, with materials sourced from Minnesota companies



*Graphic courtesy of Metro Transit*

### **Air filters**

Bloomington, MN: Donaldson Company

### **Air lines**

Arden Hills, MN: Nott Company

### **Aluminum extrusion**

Rice, MN: NETTwork Manufacturing

### **Fittings**

Chaska, MN: Swagelok Minnesota

### **FRP (fiberglass)**

St. Cloud, MN: Carfair Composites

### **Hardware**

Minneapolis, MN: Allegis Corporation

### **Hoses and fittings**

Waite Park, MN: Air-Hydraulic Systems

### **HVAC and filters**

Bloomington, MN: Thermo King

### **Metal fabrication**

Cambridge MN: RITZ Machine Works  
St. Joseph, MN: Sunset Manufacturing  
Minneapolis, MN: Triangle Precision  
Stamping

### **Oils and grease**

Golden Valley, MN: Lubrication  
Technologies

### **Steel fabrication**

Bloomington, MN: Dalsin Industries

### **WIFI**

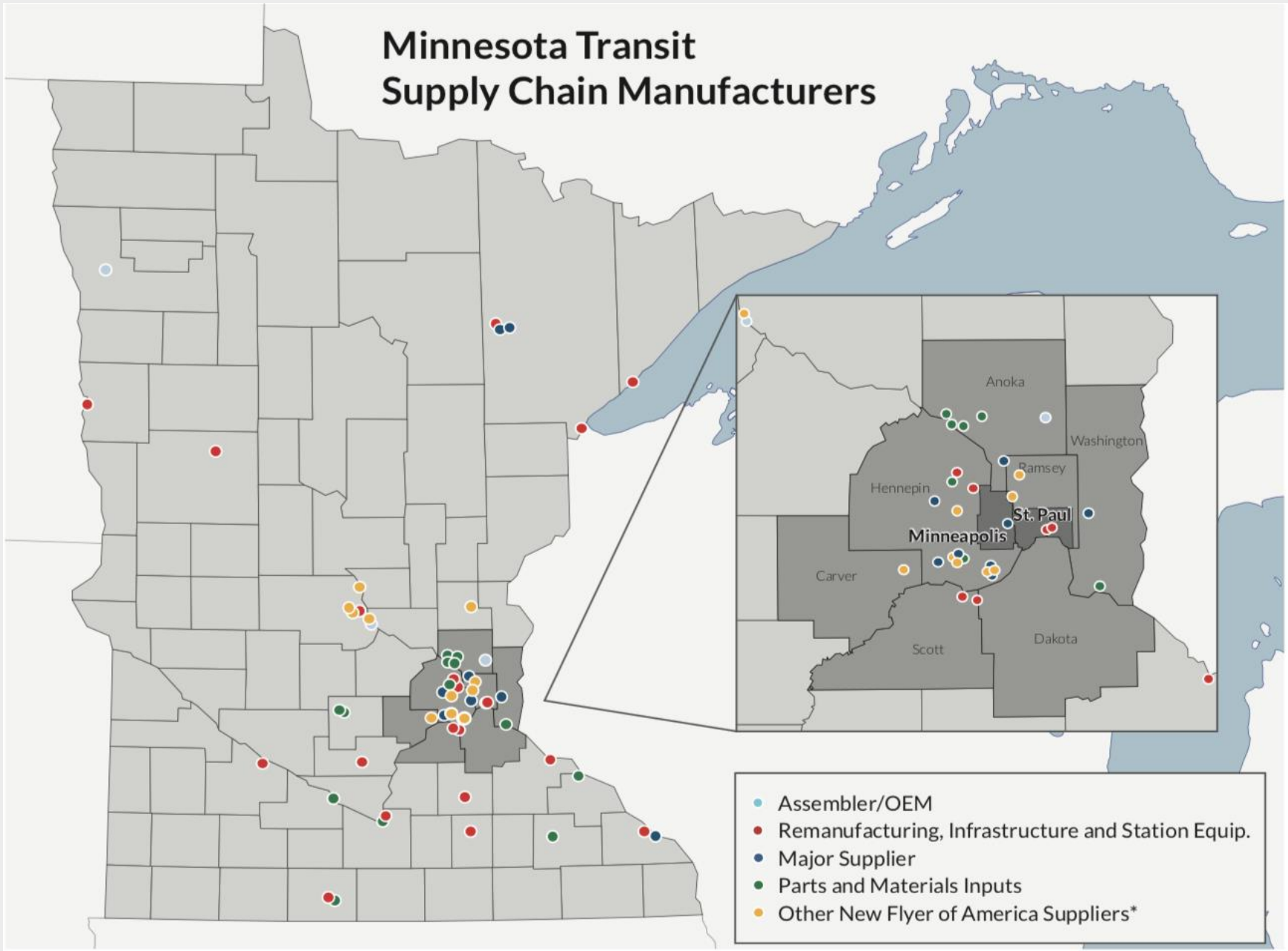
Eden Prairie, MN: GetWireless

### **3M products**

Eden Prairie, MN: Replenex

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# Minnesota Transit Supply Chain Manufacturers



## Bus Rapid Transit

- Is used,
- Is needed,
- Is made in Minnesota.

Thank you

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