

PRESS RELEASE

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Keolis reinforces its presence in the USA

Keolis begins 2024 with the start-up of two contracts to operate and maintain bus networks in Phoenix (Arizona) and Austin (Texas).

- **In the eastern suburbs of Phoenix, the Group takes over a network of 300 buses for a period of 4 years.**
- **In Austin, Keolis is starting to operate a network of 430 vehicles under a 5-year contract.**

Keolis expands its presence in the United States

On 1 January, Keolis began operating and maintaining a bus service in the East Valley of metro Phoenix for *Valley Metro*. Under the 4-year contract, Keolis will carry more than 1.5 million passengers a year on the 30 fixed, express and circulator serving the cities of Tempe, Scottsdale, Chandler, Fountain Hills, Gilbert and Mesa (Arizona), using a fleet of 300 natural gas buses and 650 bus operators.

The Group has also been awarded a 5-year contract by the *CapMetro* transport authority to operate and maintain a bus network in Austin, Texas. Since 1 January, Keolis has been operating 25 bus routes, including 12 dedicated to the University of Texas, with 430 vehicles (including 20 electrics) and 900 drivers.

The award of these two contracts marks the end of a prolific year for Keolis in the United States, with the renewal of its contract in Foothill (California) until 2027 and the award of a contract in Orange County (OCTA) (California). At Foothill, the Group operates a fleet of 147 vehicles that already run on alternative energies and will ensure the full commissioning of 33 hydrogen-powered buses, making it the largest hydrogen-powered fleet in the country. 19 buses have already been added to the fleet in 2023. In Orange County, Keolis operates almost 40% of the routes linking Santa Ana to Newport Beach and Irvine, a total of 209 vehicles.

These two new contracts, with a combined turnover of 215 M€ per year, increase Keolis' presence in the United States, where it has been operating since 2010. The Group, which operates commuter rail, bus, shuttle, on-demand transport and transport services for those with reduced mobility on behalf of 13 transit authorities in 8 States, employs nearly 8,000 people in these countries.

Key figures of Austin and Phoenix contracts (USA)

PHOENIX	AUSTIN
- 6 cities served	- 25 bus routes
- 30 local, express and circulator bus routes	- 430 vehicles (incl. 20 electric vehicles)
- 311 revenue vehicles (90% working in natural gas)	- Approx. 1,200 employees (incl. 900 drivers)
- 858 Employees (incl. 650 drivers)	

Key figures of *Foothill Transit* and *Orange County Transportation Authority* contract

FOOTHILL	ORANGE COUNTY
- 4 local routes in the San Gabriel Valley	- 36 bus routes
- 4 express routes to downtown Los Angeles and Pasadena	- 209 vehicles
- 147 vehicles	- 555 employees (incl. 309 drivers)
- 33 hydrogen buses added to the existing fleet	- 30 million passengers per year
- 363 employees (incl. 270 drivers)	
- 6.9 million passengers per year	

About Keolis

Keolis is a pioneer in developing public transport systems and works alongside public authorities who want to enhance shared mobility systems to grow the appeal and vitality of their regions. A world leader in operating automated metro and tramway systems, Keolis and its partners and subsidiaries Cykleo, EFFIA, Hove, Keolis Santé, Kisio and support the core business with innovations offering new and bespoke shared mobility solutions for modes including trains, buses and coaches, trolleybuses, on-demand transport, transport for people with reduced mobility, driver and sea shuttle services, bikes share services and long-term rental, car sharing and fully electric driverless shuttles. In France, Keolis is the second largest provider of parking management solutions through its subsidiary EFFIA, and the country's leader in medical transport since the creation of Keolis Santé in July 2017. The Group is 70%-owned by SNCF and 30%-owned by the Caisse de Dépôt et Placement du Québec (Quebec Deposit and Investment Fund) and employs 68,000 people in 13 countries. In 2022, it posted revenue of €6.7 billion. www.keolis.com

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