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Navigating the implementation of a bus tracking system

Heavy technical element – get IT on board!

Have a comprehensive team - much wider effort required than expected

Use a quality vendor managed service vs. inhouse developed system

Use monitors and electronic signs to encourage use and raise profile of program

Be aware of the patent trolls



- Request for Proposal developed
- Vendor selected
- Website created
- App and QR code developed
- Monitors installed

Project Implementation

Advice



Marketing and OUtreach

Findings

Blast emails

Electronic bulletin

Press release

Social Media

Presentations

Fliers Magnets

You Tube Video

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• Ridership up 5%

- Initial awareness of system low
- Minimal problems reported in using the system

