

## HENNEPIN AVENUE TRANSIT / ENTERTAINMENT STUDY

*Architects: Venturi, Scott Brown and Associates, Inc.*

*Location: Minneapolis, MN*

*Client: City of Minneapolis*

*Size: 16 acres*

*Completion: 1981 (Phase I)*

Phase I of this project included the design of new transit facilities in an entertainment district seven blocks long. The Avenue, owing to its proximity to the central retail and banking district of Minneapolis, was designed to have a unique, festive image at day and night. New decorative lights, enclosed transit shelters, outdoor plazas, street furniture and paving are the key elements in the design. Recommendations for the design of adjacent structures, their uses and guidelines for the skyways crossing streets were also included within the Phase I design package.



