

High Transit LLC

History 1931 - Present



High Transit History: 1931 - 1969

- High Transit LLC traces its roots back to 1931 and the founding of High Welding Co. by Sanford and Ben High.
- The company continued to grow and began bridge rehabilitation work. High purchased its first tractor trailer in 1949.
- The first welded girders produced by High were delivered in 1959.



High Transit LLC History: 1970



High Welding grew in the bridge business and received its first major project, the Columbia Wrightsville Bridge, which prompted the purchase of heavier, larger trucks.

High Transit LLC History: 1971-80

- High Welding Company's name was changed to High Steel Structures Inc.
- As the fleet grew and High Steel's market area expanded, escorted loads became the norm.
- The first fleet of escort vehicles consisted of Super Beetles and Chevrolet 1/2 Ton Pickups.



High Transit LLC History: 1980's

- Larger loads like tub girders prompted the move from single-axle to tandem-axle tractors.
- The escort fleet grew in size and the first tri-axle steerable dollies were purchased.



High Transit LLC History: 1990's

- Projects continued to grow in size with gross weights up to over 320,000 pounds.
- The fleet's equipment was expanded to include four-axle jeeps in combination with four-axle steerable dollies.



High Transit LLC History: 2000's to Present

- High Transit LLC was established in 2006, incorporating the fleet functions of High Steel Structures, High Concrete Group, and High Steel Service Center.
- In order to serve its internal and external customers, High Transit has expanded its fleet to include multi-axle steerable dollies and tri-axle tractors.

