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MRT Corp welcomes government's decision to go ahead with infrastructure projects

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KUALA LUMPUR: Mass Rapid Transit Corporation Sdn Bhd (MRT Corp) applauds the government's decision to maintain the development expenditure of RM48.5 billion for 2015, and to proceed with the implementation of various infrastructure projects including MRT Line 2.

"A second MRT line for the city is the logical step especially as we have taken the position of making urban rail as the backbone of public transportation for the Klang Valley.

"With the expertise we now have, and resources already available from the first line, building the second MRT line is timely," Shahril said, commenting on measures to boost the economy, announced by Prime Minister Datuk Seri Najib Tun Razak earlier this morning.

Shahril said the continued development of infrastructure is vital in ensuring economic growth and generating employment.

He said the decision by the government in reviewing the Budget 2015 had undoubtedly taken into consideration various factors.