**Table 3**VTA's Cost Estimates for the Six Projects We Reviewed Generally Fell Within Accuracy Ranges

PROJECT	STATUS	INITIAL ESTIMATE  (ACCURATE IF WITHIN -50% TO +100%)	PRECONSTRUCTION ESTIMATE (ACCURATE IF WITHIN -10% TO +15%)	CURRENT ESTIMATE	AMOUNT SPENT AS OF FEBRUARY 2024
Upgrade Ohlone/Chynoweth Interlocking*	Ongoing	\$1,200,000	\$4,600,000	\$4,600,000	\$3,880,000
variance from current estimate		283%	0%		
Rail Replacement and Rehabilitation FY18	Ongoing	17,100,000	18,440,000	20,240,000	19,010,000
variance from current estimate		18%	10%		
Light Rail Crossover and Switches FY16–17*	Ongoing	8,200,000	7,750,000	8,440,000	8,370,000
variance from current estimate		3%	9%		
Rail Replacement and Rehabilitation FY16–17	Ongoing	4,500,000	4,670,000	4,500,000	4,500,000
variance from current estimate		0%	-4%		
Pocket Track	Complete	21,550,000	24,810,000	33,630,000	33,630,000
variance from current estimate		56%	36%		
US 101	Ongoing	60,000,000	75,370,000	75,370,000	58,780,000
variance from current estimate		26%	0%		

 $Source: \ VTA\ capital\ project\ request\ forms, cost\ reports, cost\ estimates\ for\ each\ project, and\ criteria\ for\ cost\ estimate\ accuracy.$ 

- = Accurate Estimate
- = Inaccurate Estimate

<sup>\*</sup> The "Current Estimate" and "Amount Spent" columns include appropriated funds for another project.