

NORTH CAROLINA'S RAILROAD INDUSTRY WHO WE ARE...... WHO WE SERVE.....











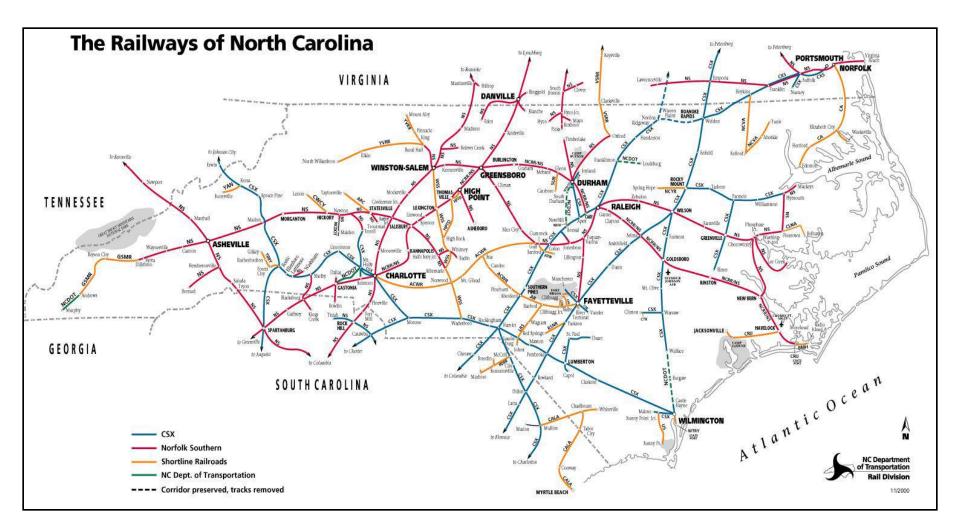








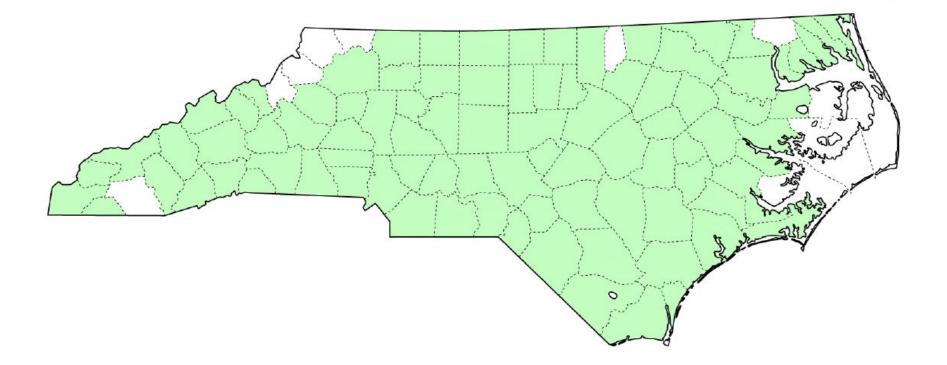




WHO WE ARE

- ► 20 Railroad Companies
- ≥2,500 Miles of track
- ≥2,600 + Employees
- Work with communities to develop Industrial Sites
- ➤ 18 short line railroads and 2 class I railroads
- ➤A green industry that reduces annual greenhouse gas emissions

COUNTIES SERVED



WHO WE SERVE

- ≻Operate in 89 Counties
- Carry 1.7 million carloads of freight per year – equivalent to 6 million truckloads
- Industries: forest products, fuels, chemicals, poultry, agriculture, metals, construction, power plants
- Serve all sea ports in North Carolina

New Rail Customers for Short Lines 2008-2010

Pax Industries/ polyethylene trans-load, Taylorsville, Alexander County Spartan Polymers/ polyethylene trans-load, Taylorsville, Alexander County East Carolina Soy/receives soybeans for processing, Pantego, Beaufort County Kenan Advantage Group (KAG) / Transloading & Distribution Services, Midland, Cabarrus County Midland Transload Facility/ Rail to truck transload, Midland, Cabarrus County W.E. Bailey/ Sweet Potatoes, Chadbourn, Columbus County Perdue Farms/ Soy Beans, Chadbourn, Columbus County Byrd and Sons/ Limestone, Chadbourn, Columbus County JT Russell/ Trans-loading Facility, Davidson County Osage Inbound Ethanol/ Rural Hall, Forsyth County Providencia USA/ manufacturing nonwoven fabric, Statesville, Iredell County Noble Oil/ waste oil transfer on ATW site, Sanford, Lee County Frontier Logistics/ Packaging and Distribution, Star, Montgomery County Sterling Transport / bulk transloader, Aberdeen, Moore County Ply bond/ Trans-loading, Nash County Carolina Marine Terminals/ Urea Transload, Wilmington, New Hanover County Clean Burn Fuels / Dundarrach- ethanol producer, Raeford County Alpla / plastic bottle manufacturer, Raeford, Raeford County Sunoco Outbound Butane – East Laurinburg, Scotland County A&M Consultants/ Trans-load to customers that do not have rail, Crutch field, Surry County Seaboard Timber/ ship logs and poles, Plymouth, Washington County







Raeford, NC



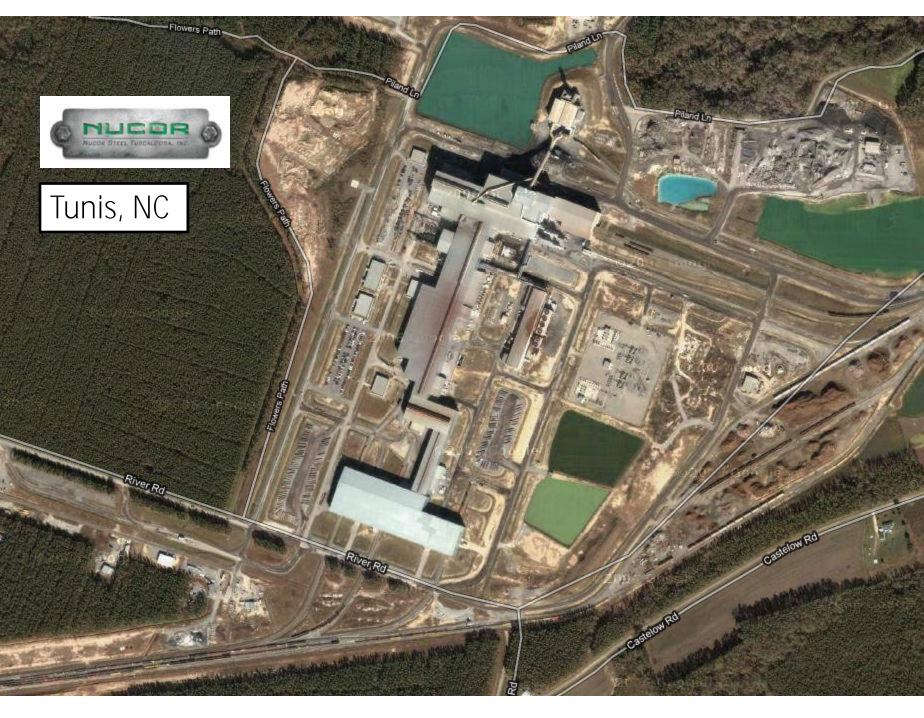


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- ≻ Cofield (NCVA)
- Plymouth(CLNA)
- ➢ Nash Co. (NCRY)
- Candor (ACWR)
- Elkin (YVRR)





RAILROAD NECESSITIES TO SERVE CUSTOMERS AND COMMUNITIES IN THE 21ST CENTURY

INFRASTRUCTURE, INFRASTRUCTURE, INFRASTRUCTURE Track and Bridges must be upgraded to meet current industry standards.



- Track requires heavier rail, better tie condition and more ballast to safely and efficiently handle 286,000 pound rail cars (industry standard). This can cost up to \$1 million per mile.
- Bridges must be upgraded to support 286,000 pound rail cars.

ESTIMATED COSTS TO BRING SHORT LINE RAILROADS UP TO CURRENT 21ST CENTURY STANDARDS

•NECESSARY TO KEEP CURRENT CUSTOMERS COMPETITIVE AND SUPPORT ANTICIPATED FUTURE GROWTH (PROJECTED TO DOUBLE BY 2020)

- TRACK
- BRIDGES

\$ 105.5 Million\$ 7.5 Million

NEED FOR PUBLIC/PRIVATE INVESTMENT

- Public investment is needed in the Railroad system in order to insure that the we will be able to meet the needs of shippers, communities and North Carolina in the 21st Century.
- PUBLIC INVESTMENT NEEDED FOR SHORTLINES - \$5 Million per year to be administered by the NC DOT – Rail Division
- Railroads will continue to invest in their properties and operations and will provide appropriate matches for public investment.

Contact info for our Railroads

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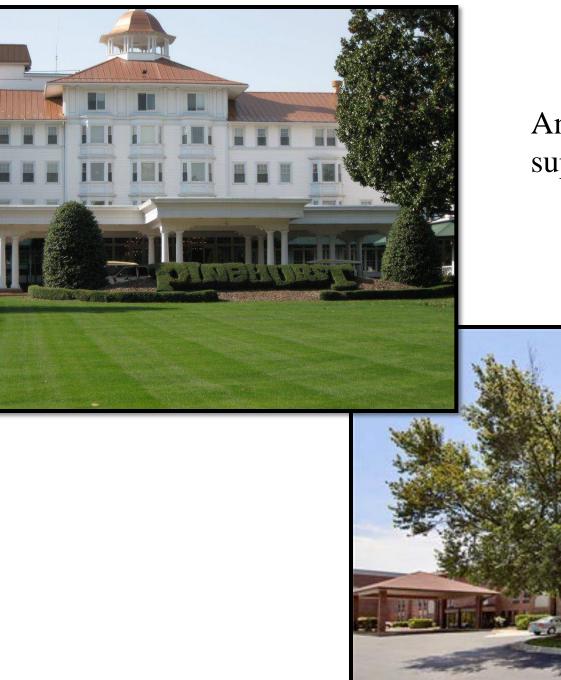


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North Carolina Railroads spend more than \$9.3 million dollars annually to NC sales and use taxes.

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