

Colorado Department of Transportation Freight Rail Activities

1. Programs
 - a. Section 130
 - b. Crossing Inventory
 - i. *Rail Safety Improvement Act of 2008*
 1. State and rail responsibilities
 - ii. 85% of OPG crossings completed
 - iii. Physical characteristics, not conditions.
2. Administrative
 - a. Abandonments
 - i. Notification
 - ii. Annual Report
 - b. Towner Line
 - i. Site visits
 - ii. Contract processing
3. Policy, Planning, and Research
 - a. White Paper
 - b. Communication Plan
 - i. Objectives
 1. Identify freight rail related resources within CDOT
 2. Create channels to disseminate rail information quickly and efficiently
 3. Ensure consistency of information throughout the organization
 4. Encourage early dialoged, partnerships, and cooperation for freight rail activities
 - ii. Implementation
 - c. State Freight and Passenger Rail Plan