

# GORAIL WORKS WITH THOUSANDS OF COMMUNITY LEADERS ACROSS THE COUNTRY TO TELL THE LOCAL STORY OF FREIGHT RAIL



We believe that every ton of freight moved by rail strengthens the economy, creates jobs, mitigates emissions, and saves taxpayers money—and we work to educate local leaders about the public benefits of freight rail investments.

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### JOBS SUPPORTED

Class I railroads supported over 1.1 million jobs and \$219 billion in economic output, according to a 2017 study.

## \$25B

### ANNUAL SPENDING

Railroads spend 6x more than the average U.S. manufacturer on capital expenditures as a percentage of revenue.

## 500

### MPG ON AVERAGE

Freight rail accounts for 40% of intercity freight but just 1.9% of transportation-related emissions, according to the EPA.

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FREIGHT RAIL IN YOUR STATE.

