



## Watco Transportation Services Inc. Announcement

**Date:** March 19, 2009  
**To:** Watco Team  
**From:** Mitch Becker, COO Central & Gulf Region  
**Subject:** Senior Chief Engineer Central & Gulf Region, Tony Cox

I'm pleased to announce that Tony Cox has accepted the position of Senior Chief Engineer for the Central & Gulf Regions.

As Senior Chief Engineer Tony's role will include the planning, development and overseeing of the capital and maintenance budgets. He will also be responsible for staffing, training and safety in the Gulf and Central Regions.

Tony has been with Watco since July of 2007 and his 26 years of railroad experience include management of track departments with the Kyle Railroad Company, StatesRail and RailAmerica. Other opportunities include due diligence for acquisition possibilities, budgeting, training and working as a conductor in the operating department with Kyle Railways.

Tony and his wife Lori have been married 26 years and have three children: Sean 22; Cody 21 and Kaitlyn 16. In his spare time Tony enjoys spending time with his family, riding motorcycles and fishing.

Tony will be working out of the Pittsburg, Kans., office and can be contacted by cell phone at 409-429-4663 or by e-mail at [tcox@watcocompanies.com](mailto:tcox@watcocompanies.com).

Please join me in wishing Tony great success in his new position with Watco.