

South Kansas and Oklahoma Railroad Announcement



Date: June 28, 2010

To: Watco Team

From: Mike Pollard, South Kansas & Oklahoma Railroad General Manager

Subject: Jody Brown, South Kansas & Oklahoma Railroad Trainmaster

I am pleased to announce that Jody Brown has accepted the position of Trainmaster for the South Kansas & Oklahoma Railroad (SKOL). Jody's duties will include supervising and coordinating the activities of train crews, managing cars online through RMI reports and monitoring safety and train operations.

Jody previously worked for the Kansas City Southern Railway in Beaumont, Texas, for nine years before joining the SKOL Team. He worked his way up from Carman Apprentice in 2001 to his most recent position of Terminal Trainmaster. In between he served as a Conductor for one year, a Yardmaster for one and one-half years and as Assistant Trainmaster for two and one-half years. Jody was a recent recipient of the Full Steam Ahead Award.

Jody and his wife Margaret have two children; Alyssa, 12 and Jody II, 9. When not working he enjoys spending time with his family, fishing, hunting and helping out with the Cub Scouts.

He will be working out of the Cherryvale, Kan., offices and can be reached by phone at 620-336-2291 or by cell phone at 620-515-1814 . His e-mail address is jlbrown@watcocompanies.com.

Please join me in wishing Jody much success as SKOL Trainmaster.