

Watco Transportation Services Announcement

Date: December 22, 2010
To: Watco Team
From: Alex King, Director of Operations, Gulf Region
Subject: Todd Johns, Alabama Southern Railroad, General Manager

I'm pleased to announce Todd Johns has accepted the position of General Manager for the Alabama Southern Railroad. Todd will be responsible for the daily operations; specifically focusing on improving safety, productivity and efficiency.

Todd began his railroad career as a Conductor for the Norfolk Southern (NS) in Elkhart, Ind. in 2003. He became an Assistant Trainmaster in 2005 in Chicago, Ill., and was then promoted from Asst. Trainmaster to Trainmaster.

Todd left the NS in 2007 to join the Kansas City Southern Railway in DeQueen, Ark., as Terminal Trainmaster. He was promoted to Trainmaster in Jackson, Miss., in 2008. Todd joined the Watco Team in October of 2009 as an Assistant Trainmaster for the ABS. In December of 2009 he was promoted to Trainmaster.

Todd and his wife Cindy have three children; Cameron, 12; Derrick, 9; and Nathan, 6. In his spare time he enjoys spending time with his family, fishing, coaching his three boys in baseball and basketball and, of course, watching Alabama Football.

Todd can be reached at the Tuscaloosa office: 205-758-0441, by cell phone at 205-901-8773 or by e-mail at tjohns@watcocompanies.com.

Please join me in congratulating him on his new position and wishing him great success as General Manager of the Alabama Southern!