

# Watco Transportation Services, Inc., Announcement



**Date:** February 24, 2010  
**To:** Watco Team  
**From:** Pat Foster, Stillwater Central  
Railroad General Manager  
**Subject:** Tom Spradlin, Car Repair Supervisor

I am pleased to announce that Tom Spradlin has accepted the position of Car Repair Supervisor on the Stillwater Central Railroad (SLWC). Spradlin will be responsible for supervising daily operations at the Oklahoma City, Okla., and Mill Creek, Okla., facilities.

Spradlin began his career in railroading in 1974 as a track laborer for the Western Pacific Railroad in California. In 1976 he went to work as a carman and then shop supervisor for Solano Railcar in Oroville, Calif. After 11 years with Solano he moved to Florida to work as a project manager with Kustom Karr where he oversaw program car repair, light maintenance and heavy wreck repair. He joined the Watco mechanical team in 2002 as Regional Manager at the railcar facility in Fort Worth, Texas.

Spradlin and his wife Cheryl have three grown children and he enjoys fishing when time allows.

Spradlin can be reached by cell at 817-291-0486. His e-mail address is [tspradlin@watcocompanies.com](mailto:tspradlin@watcocompanies.com).

Please join me in wishing him much success on the Stillwater Central.