

# Watco Transportation Services Announcement



**Date:** April 5, 2011  
**To:** Watco Team  
**From:** Mitch Becker, COO Central & Gulf Region  
**Subject:** Tony Cox, Senior Chief Engineer for Maintenance of Way

I'm pleased to announce that Tony Cox has accepted the position of Senior Chief Engineer for Maintenance of Way (MOW) for the West, Central & Gulf/East Regions. Tony's role will include the planning, development and overseeing of the capital and maintenance budgets. He will also be responsible for the MOW staffing, training and safety in each region. In addition, Tony will also oversee the MOW Quality Assurance program for all regions.

Tony has been with Watco since July of 2007 and his 28 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 28 years and have three children: Sean, 24; Cody, 23 and Kaitlyn, 18. In his spare time Tony enjoys spending time with his family, riding motorcycles and fishing.

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

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