

Greenville & Western Railway Company, LLC

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Press Release

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In response to enthusiastic community support, Greenville & Western Railway Company, LLC (GRLW), a wholly owned subsidiary of Western Carolina Railway Service Corporation (WCRS), is pleased to announce that an account has been established with Wachovia Bank, NA (Wachovia), to allow interested parties to make tax-deductible contributions that will help fund the 2008 and all future "Santa Express" trains operated by GRLW.

GRLW has partnered with the Greenville Chapter National Railway Historical Society, Inc. (Greenville Chapter NRHS), a non-profit corporation under Section 501(c)(3) of Internal Revenue Code, to establish and manage an account for the exclusive purpose of providing a means for the public to support the GRLW "Santa Express". Greenville Chapter NRHS will manage contributions made to the account on a "reimbursement basis" equal to either: 1) the amount available in the account if GRLW receipts exceed that amount, or 2) an amount equal to GRLW receipts (with the balance retained for the following year's train) if the account balance is greater than GRLW receipts.

There are two convenient ways to make a tax-deductible contribution that will allow a greater number of gifts and giveaways to be purchased for the "Santa Express":

- If you only require your canceled check as your receipt, you may make a deposit at any Wachovia branch. Your check should be made payable to:

**Greenville Chapter NRHS, Inc.
Santa Train Account**

- If you should require a receipt for your contribution, mail your check (payable as above) to:

Greenville Chapter NRHS, Post Office Box 5481, Greenville, SC 29606-5481

GRLW thanks all those who have pledged their support toward this worthwhile community event and looks forward to a successful 2008 "Santa Express". This year's schedule will be released in late October.

For continuing updates on the further growth and development of Greenville & Western Railway Company, LLC, pay a routine visit to: <http://www.wcrscorp.com/railroads.html>.

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Western Carolina Railway Service Corporation is a privately held South Carolina corporation organized in 2003 for the purpose of preserving, restoring, and revitalizing rail service in both South and North Carolina. The Corporation is committed to providing freight and transit rail services to the Carolinas through the next century and beyond. To learn more about the services offered by the Corporation through its subsidiaries, please visit <http://www.wcrscorp.com>.