

Greenville & Western Railway Company, LLC

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Greenville & Western Railway Company, LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of Western Carolina Railway Service Corporation, is pleased to announce that J. Marshall Lawson has joined the Company as General Counsel effective January 1, 2011. Lawson received his Doctor of Jurisprudence and Masters in Earth Resources Management from the University of South Carolina. Prior to attending law school, he worked worldwide in the oil industry as an international sales engineer and later as an environmental consultant performing environmental assessments throughout the Southeast. Prior to joining Greenville & Western, Lawson practiced law in Columbia as an associate with Tompkins & McMaster, LLP, where he assisted with the representation of Norfolk Southern Railway Company in a variety of legal matters, including FELA personal injury and grade crossing accident litigation. Lawson is licensed to practice in the State and Federal District Courts of South Carolina and is a member of the South Carolina Bar, the Richland County Bar Association, and the National Association of Railroad Trial Counsel. Mr. Lawson can be reached via email at marshall.lawson@wcrscorp.com, via telephone at 864-236-7051, or via fax at 864-236-7610.

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>.