

# RAIL



July 22, 2021

## Virtual Sessions

Tues. July 27<sup>th</sup> 11AM - 12PM

ONLINE:

<https://zoom.us/j/94942387515>

CALL IN: 253-215-8782

Meeting ID: 949 4238 7515

Passcode: 201201

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## Equity and Social Justice:

I know we have to have people of good conscience who stand up against oppression. I know we have to have people who understand that social justice belongs to us all. And that wakes me up every morning, and that makes me fight even harder.

~Stacey Abrams

KCM and ST Partnership Principle

**TRUST: We assume positive intent.**

## Creating Effective Application Materials Workshop

This two-hour virtual workshop will provide you tips and strategies on how to make your application materials stand out. Learning objectives include:

- Understanding the purpose of the job application, resume, cover letter and supplemental questions and how to make each of them more effective
- Deciding what to include in your resume and the best format to showcase your qualifications
- How to write a cover letter tailored to the specific position
- Identifying and showcasing your accomplishments
- **Tuesday, July 27 from 2-4 p.m.**

Register here: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/creating-effective-application-materials-on-line-tickets-120234246869>

## Intruders on the Trackway

Rail has experienced several recent incidences of track-way intruders. In light of this, there's a need for heightened awareness when proceeding through at-grade intersections, elevated track sections, and tunnel operating areas. Please pay particular attention to your surroundings when traveling through tunnel bores and curves along elevated track-ways. These areas offer minimal clearances and are considered extremely hazardous for unauthorized persons to occupy. As always, keep your eyes moving and stay safe. Operators should contact LCC to report operational issues/observations.

## Northgate Qualification Training Begins

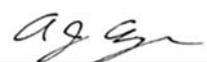
Beginning in early August, Rail Training will start qualifying operators for the Northgate extension. Classes will run Monday through Friday, with four scheduled classes per day. Classes are three hours in length and start at 6am, 10am, 4pm and 8pm. To facilitate these classes with minimal impact to regularly scheduled train service, RDO and off-hours sessions are offered. Sign-up sheets are available for operators at Dispatch to select a class before or after work or on their RDO. When necessary, operators will be pulled from their work assignments. These are exciting times! If you will not be available during these times, please contact training about setting up a class upon your return.

## Siemens Crew Key Train Access

It has been reported that several operators were having difficulties accessing the Siemens train using their crew key in the exterior door key panel. Vehicle Maintenance has indicated that when an operator puts their key into the key slot, they must push-in while they turn the key in order for it to move more freely. This is a great example of groups working together can resolve issues quickly. Thanks to all!

## Congratulations Saun Lund!

Congratulations to Rail Supervisor Saun Lund on his promotion to Transit Operations Chief at South Base. His last day at Rail is this Friday, August 6th. We want to wish him well in his new adventure! He will be sorely missed here at Rail!



Acting Rail Operations Section Manager