

Service Advisory



To: BNSF Agricultural Products Customers

August 15, 2008

BNSF Agricultural Products 2008 Labor Day Operating Plan

HOLIDAY OBSERVANCE

This year, the Labor Day Holiday will be observed on **Monday, September 1.**

TRAIN SERVICE

BNSF's Agricultural Products Labor Day Operating Plan will focus on meeting customers' expectations while matching operations to anticipated reductions in traffic volumes.

Carload trains will operate normally on Sunday, August 31. BNSF will minimize the number of yard assignments at origin terminals on Monday, September 1, and resume normal operations at 6:30 a.m. on Tuesday, September 2.

Unit grain trains--both loaded and empty--will operate based on crew availability. Single car customers will be served by the last scheduled train service prior to Monday, September 1. Regular service schedules will resume on Tuesday, September 2.

Throughout the holiday weekend, BNSF may annul or consolidate trains in line with anticipated reductions in volume, as well as reduce local, road-switch and switch engine assignments.

This Service Advisory is intended to inform BNSF customers of temporary service changes or interruptions.

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