

NICKEL CITY LINE

NICKEL CITY YARDMASTER DUTIES

YARDMASTER CHANNEL 9:19, YARDMASTER TO DISPATCHER CHANNEL 10:19

- Assign arrival tracks (Tracks 4, 5, 6, and 7) for arriving trains from mainline.
- Assign departure tracks for consist makeups in Nickel City Yard.
- Authorize trains to enter Nickel City Yard.
- Obtain Authorization from Dispatcher for trains departing Nickel City Yard and then notify departing trains of clearance to depart yard.
 - Notify Dispatcher of Departing Train Number and final Destination.
- Align yard lead turnouts for arriving and departing trains once Dispatcher approves:
 - Yardmaster controls Turnout 17 for departing Eastbound Trains
 - Yardmaster controls Turnout 22 for departing Westbound trains
- Control turnouts in Nickel City Yard for arrival and departure tracks (Turnouts 13, 14, 15, 16, 25)

- Authorize locomotives to enter and depart Locomotive yard from Nickel City Yard:
 - Contact Dispatcher and request use of mainline between Turnouts 17 and 19
 - Ensure Dispatcher has set turnout 18 to CLOSED.
 - For locomotives leaving Locomotive Yard to NC Yard perform the following:
 - Upon approval of Dispatcher set Turnout 12 to THROWN and TURNOUT 17 to CLOSED
 - Once Locomotive has passed Turnout 17, Set TURNOUT 17 to THROWN and Turnout 12 CLOSED
 - Align Turnouts 13, 14 and 25 for selected arrival track.
 - Set Turnout 17 to CLOSED once locomotive(s) enter NC Yard.
 - Notify Dispatcher that mainline is clear.

 - For locomotives departing Locomotive Yard to NC Yard perform the following:
 - Upon approval of Dispatcher set Turnout 12 to THROWN and TURNOUT 17 to THROWN
 - Once Locomotive has passed Turnout 17, Set TURNOUT 17 to CLOSED
 - Set Turnout 12 to CLOSED once locomotive(s) enter Locomotive Yard.
 - Notify Dispatcher that mainline is clear.