

Shortline Railroad



Where Rail and Service Connect The Effingham Railroad

Effingham, Illinois is the crossing point of I-57 and I-70 and CN/IC and CSX. This rare transportation center in a fast growing community was an excellent opportunity for a short line railroad. The Effingham Railroad was built in 1999 and designed as an economic development tool to attract new industries to the area. The railroad has opened Effingham to a new class of prospects which rely heavily on transportation for their success.



General Building Features

- Only new railroad built in the 20th Century
- Serving the Effingham Business Park, printers, converters and other area industries
- Connects with Canadian National/Illinois Central and CSX (formerly Conrail) Railroads (Burlington Northern has track rights over the CN/IC from Memphis)
- Truck transloading for rolled printing paper and most all commodities
- One day trucking distance to all major midwest cities
- Services provided 24 hours 7 days per week
- Industrial sites available with high visibility from I-57 and I-70

