

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
FEDERAL RAILROAD ADMINISTRATION (FRA)

INSPECTION REPORT

OMB Approval No.: 2130-0509

Inspector's Name Jackson, Dave				Inspector's Signature				Inspector's ID No. M3003		Report No. 119		Date yy mm dd 2020 11 12		
Railroad/Company Name & Address MONTANA RAIL LINK 2800 Shannon Road Laurel MT 59044						R/C R		Division SYSTEM		RR/Co. Representative (Receipt Acknowledged) Name Mark Turner Title General Mechanical Foreman Email mturner@mtrail.com Signature _____				
						RR/Co. Code MRL		Subdivision SYSTEM						
From: City LAUREL			Codes 0700		Destination City & County				Codes		From Latitude			
State MT			30		City						From Longitude			
County YELLOWSTONE			C111		County						To Latitude			
Mile Post: From To				Inspection Point LAUREL WEST T-3						To Longitude				
Activity Code:	215	218M	224	229D	231	232	232X						CARS	
Units:	102	1	105	3	105	102	1						102	
Sub Units:	0	1	0	0	0	0	1						0	

Item	Initials/Milepost	Equipment/Track #	Type/Kind	49 CFR/ USC	Defect	Subrule	Speed	Class	Train #/Site	SNFR*	RCL**	# of Occ.***	Activity Code
1	BNSF	474395	CH	232	0103	F3			LAUREL WEST T3	N	N	1	232

Description
R-1 Brake shoe worn to the backing plate.

Seal Applied		Seal Removed		Hazard Class		UN/NA ID	
Violation Recommended <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		Latitude:		Longitude:			
Written Notification to FRA of Remedial Action is: <input type="checkbox"/> Required <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Optional		Railroad Action Code		Date(mm/dd/yyyy):		Comments on back?	

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2	BNSF	474395	CH	232	0103	F3			LAUREL WEST T3	N	N	1	232

Description
R-3 Brake shoe worn to the backing plate.

Seal Applied		Seal Removed		Hazard Class		UN/NA ID	
Violation Recommended <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		Latitude:		Longitude:			
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3	BNSF	472993	CH	232	0103	F3			LAUREL WEST T3	N	N	1	232

Description

R-4 Brake shoe worn to the backing plate & broken.

Seal Applied	Seal Removed	Hazard Class	UN/NA ID
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Violation Recommended	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Latitude:	Longitude:
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4	BNSF	482789	CH	224	0103	A			LAUREL WEST T3	N	N	1	224

Description

Left side retroreflective sheeting painted over.

Seal Applied	Seal Removed	Hazard Class	UN/NA ID
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Violation Recommended	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Latitude:	Longitude:
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5	BNSF	482434	CH	231	0130	B1			LAUREL WEST T3	N	N	1	231

Description

A-L Sill step bent out of alignment so that it maybe unsafe for use.

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6	BNSF	472273	CH	215	0103	A1			LAUREL WEST T3	N	N	1	215

Description

R-2 Wheel flange @ FRA limits 7/8 inch.

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7	BNSF	490554	CH						LAUREL WEST T3	N	N	0	

Description - [** Comment to Railroad/Company **]

R-3 & R-4 Brake shoes @ A.A.R. Limits.

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8	BNSF	497448	CH						LAUREL WEST T3	N	N	0	

Description - [** Comment to Railroad/Company **]

B-R Spring has one shifted spring within the nest, not supporting load.

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9	AOK	202405	CH						LAUREL WEST T3	N	N	0	

Description - [** Comment to Railroad/Company **]

B-L Spring has one shifted spring within the nest, not supporting load.

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10				232					LAUREL WEST T3	N	N	0	232X

Description - [** Comment to Railroad/Company **]

Inspected W/B Grain train for securement of unattended equipment, no exceptions taken.

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