

# ANACOSTIA RAIL HOLDINGS













#### Northwestern Sandhouse 2018

# South Shore Freight Public Private Partnership Success Story



# **Agenda**

- ◆ CSS &SB History
- ◆ PPP
- Challenges
- Our Approach Moving Forward
- Questions



# **Anacostia Experience in PPPs**

#### **Chicago South Shore**

90 mile joint use with Northern Indiana Commuter Transportation District
Freight-passenger corridor with 50 daily passenger trains and
50,000 plus annual freight carloads-since 1990

#### **New York & Atlantic**

269 mile shared with Long Island Railroad
Freight-passenger network with 600+ daily passenger trains and
30,000+ annual freight carloads-since 1997

#### **Pacific Harbor Line**

Concession to operate publicly-owned
Ports of Los Angeles and Long Beach
Rail facilities in largest port complex in North America-since 1998







# Chicago South Shore & South Bend Railroad



- ◆ 75 mile joint use with Northern Indiana Commuter Transportation District
- Freight passenger corridor
  - 43 daily passenger trains
  - 50,000+ annual freight carloads since 1990





#### **CSS: Vital Information**

- Established 1990, purchased from bankruptcy
- Serves Chicago and Northwest Indiana
- ◆ Connections All Chicago railroads (directly or via BRC)
- Commodities Steel, coal, chemicals, building materials, grain, food products
- ◆ Route Miles 100 (75 shared with NICTD)
- **♦ Carloads** 55,000
- President Mr. Todd Bjornstad



## **CSS: Customers**

#### **Steel/Metals**

#### **Fuel/Energy**

#### **Chemicals**























Minerals





**Paper** 









#### **CSS: Structure**

- Public Partner:
  - Northern Indiana Commuter Transportation District (NICTD)
    - Ownership of mainline, catenary and other joint use track infrastructure
    - Dispatching and maintenance of joint use track
    - All passenger operations
- Private Partner:
  - The Chicago South Shore & South Bend Railroad (CSS)
    - All common carrier freight operations; ownership of all freight locomotives and cars
    - Ownership of certain joint use track infrastructure
    - Maintenance/capital for freight-only track infrastructure



#### **CSS: Structure**

- Anacostia formed new company to buy assets of bankrupt railroad.
- Pursuant to agreement, responsibility for passenger operations transferred to transit agency that previously only subsidized service.
- CSS assumed existing labor agreements.
- Joint track ownership is a hybrid of CSS and NICTD ownership;
   where NICTD owns track, CSS has permanent property interest.
- Joint track (regardless of ownership) maintained by agency, the entity with the highest track speed parameters.
- ◆ Dispatching conducted by NICTD, but chief dispatcher position is "joint employee".
- CSS pays agency car mile fee for use of track owned by NICTD.

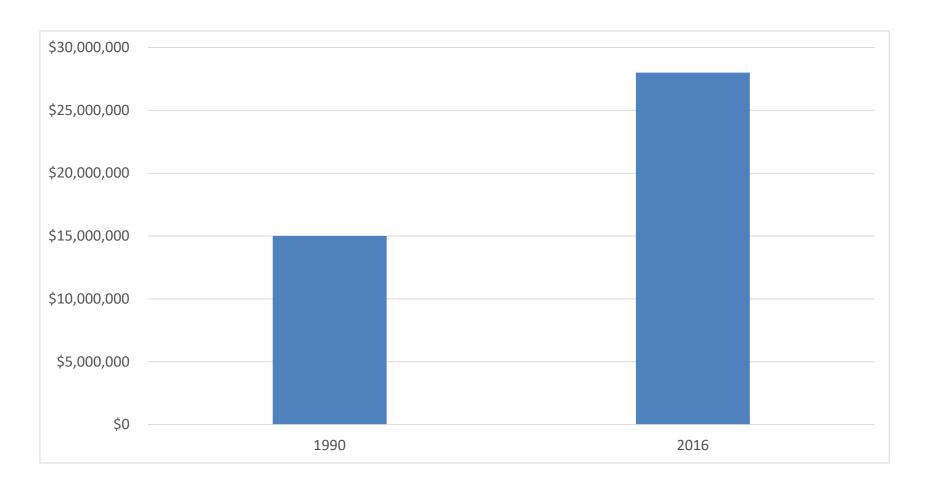


#### **CSS:** Results

- Twenty six years of successful joint operations
- Excellent CSS safety performance with 8 "Jake" awards
- Revenue growth of over \$10 M since start up; maintain carloads despite pressure on coal, steel industries
- Transit agency has leveraged federal funds to improve joint infrastructure: CTC, double track, new bridges.
- Continuation of union representation of employees through bankruptcy reorganization until today
- Negotiated access to Port of Chicago after start-up; have achieved a 90% plus market share vs. incumbent rail carrier
- Contributed over \$80M to reduce state subsidies and stabilize passenger fares for NICTD



## **CSS:** Revenue





# **Anacostia Approach**

- Operational depth and experience providing quality service while operating in complex environments.
- Excellent industry and Class I relations.
- Strong franchises serve significant markets.
- Outstanding customer service and business development support.
- Significant ongoing capital investment.
- Industry leadership roles by our team.
- Conservative capital structure and industry-leading returns.
- Creator of innovative transaction structures.







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