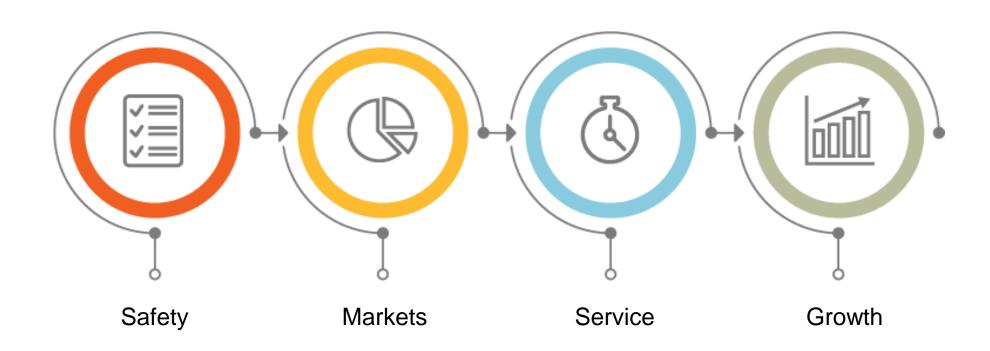




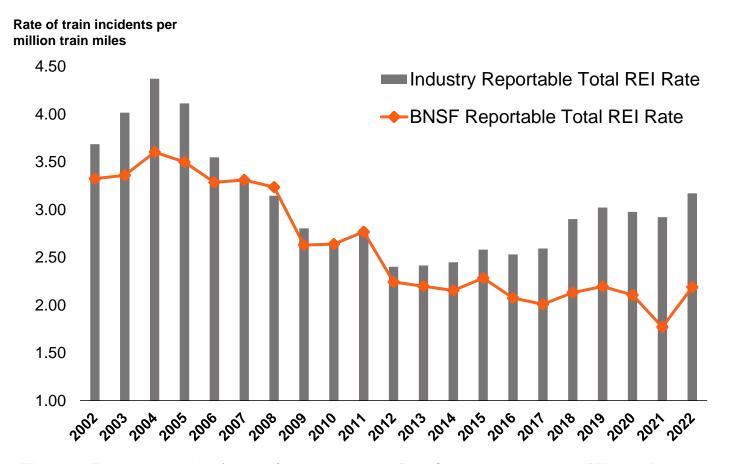
# **Key Topics for Today**





# Rail Is the Safest Mode of Land Transportation

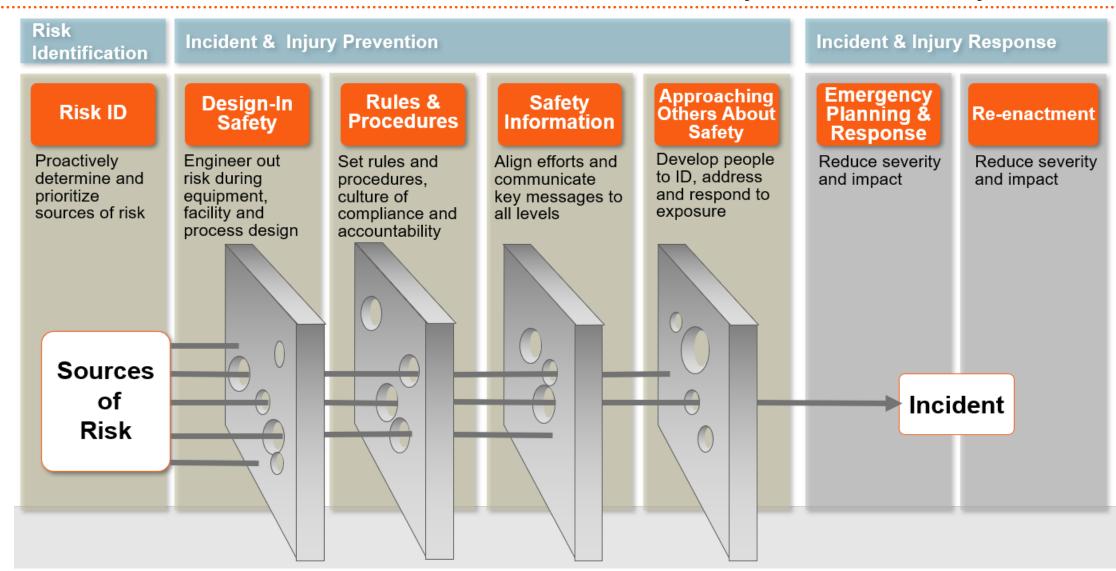
Since 2002, the Industry's rail equipment incident rate has declined -14%, and BNSF's rail equipment incident rate has been reduced by -34.2% during the same period.





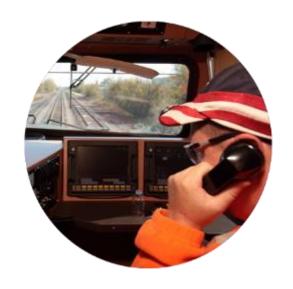


# **Prevention:** Risk-Reduction Efforts – Layers of Safety





# **Prevention:** Technology Enhances Safety and Efficiency



PTC covers 94
percent of our
freight volume



Autonomous
Track Geometry
Cars increase the
number of miles
inspected



Wayside
Detectors take
+35 million
readings daily



Utilizing Big
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for a
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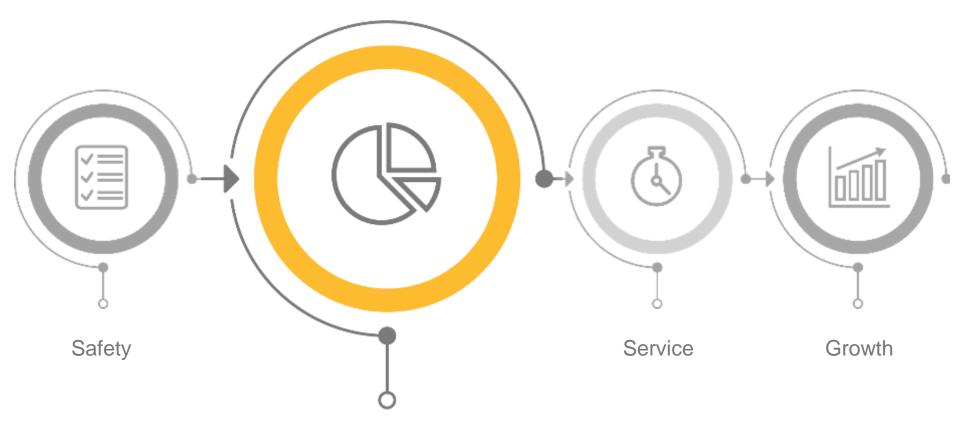
# Mitigation and Incident Response

- Mobilizing in the event of an incident
  - Network of +140 hazmat responders
  - Emergency response equipment strategically positioned at +60 locations
- Specialized training conducted with 3-10K community first responders every year





# **Key Topics for Today**



Markets

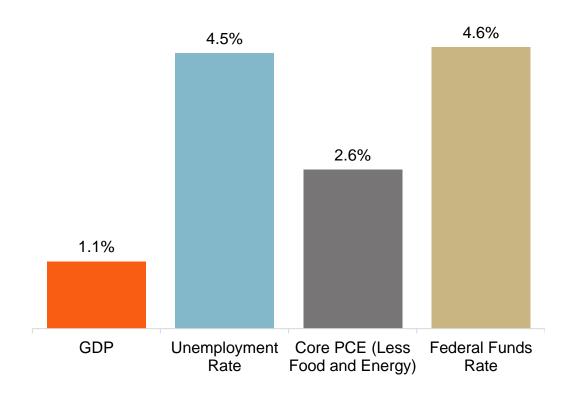


## **Diverse Market Forces**

#### **Market Factors**



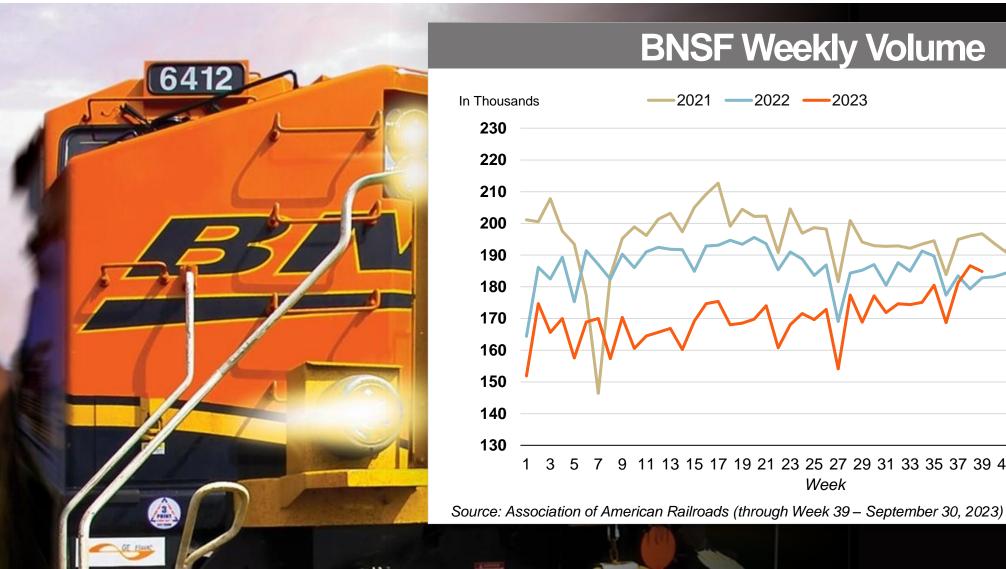
#### Federal Reserve 2024 Forecast



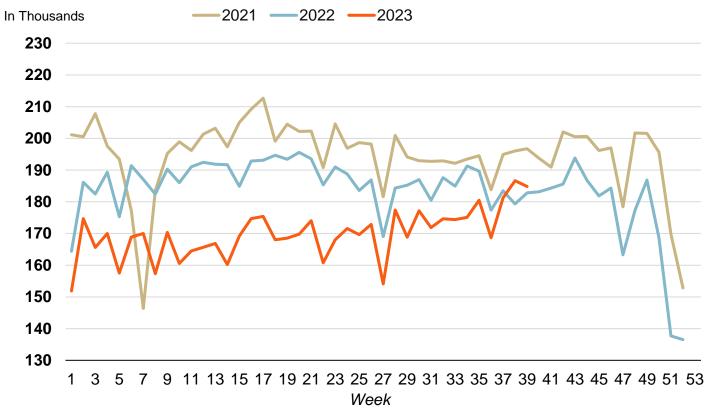
Source: FOMC June 2023



# **BNSF** Weekly Volume



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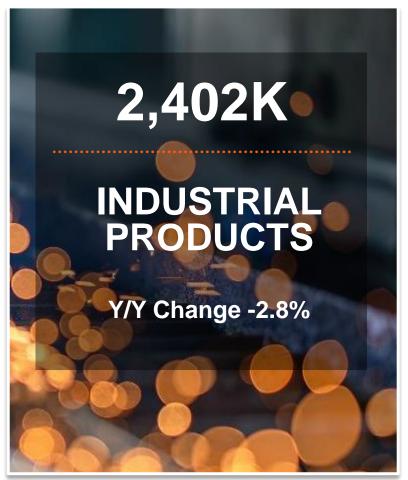


## **BNSF 2023 Volumes**

Through September 30, 2023







Source: Association of American Railroads through week 39.



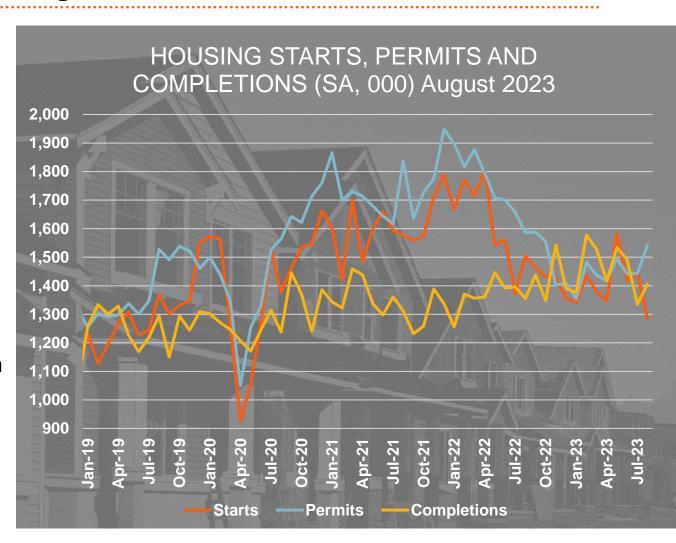
# Building Products Markets Facing Cross-Currents

#### **Market Conditions**

- Paper demand aligned to consumer spending
- Affordability challenges are impacting the U.S. housing markets
- Longer-term, the U.S. remains underbuilt relative to underlying demographics

#### **Responding to Demand**

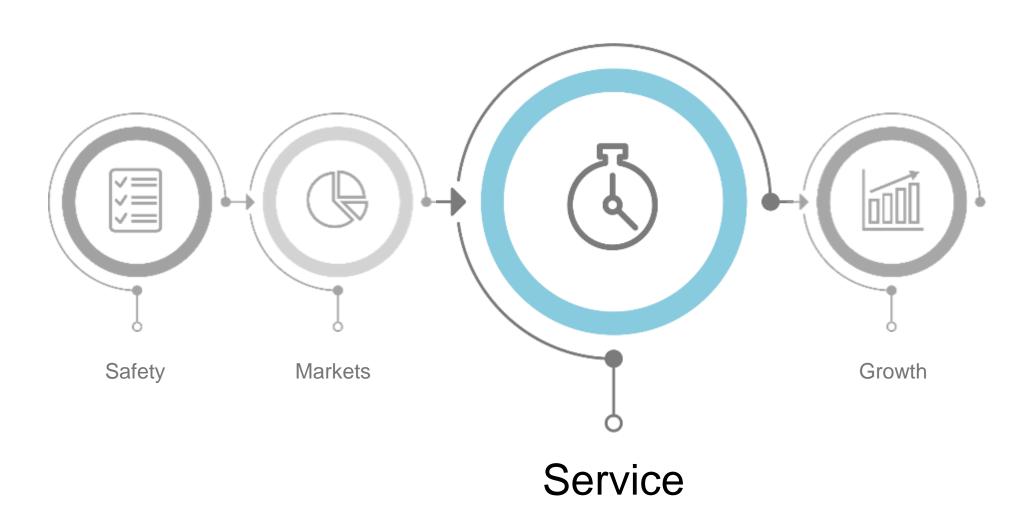
- BNSF resourced for market recovery and growth
- Fleets pre-positioned in origins markets
- More centerbeams allocated to LOGs program



Source: U.S. Census Bureau



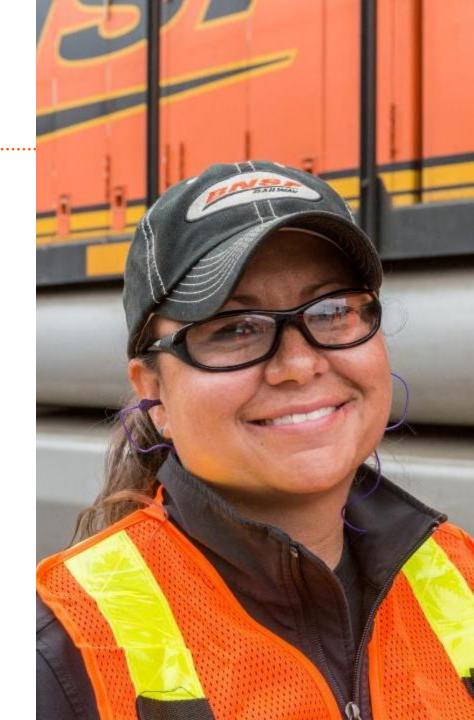
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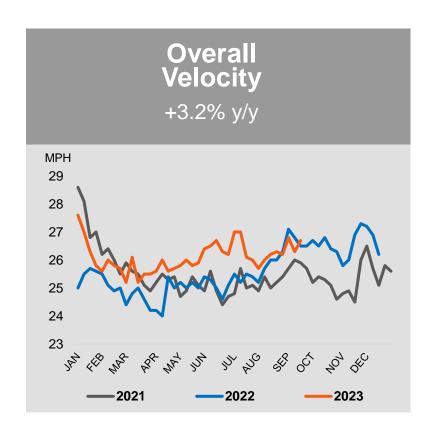
## **BNSF** Workforce

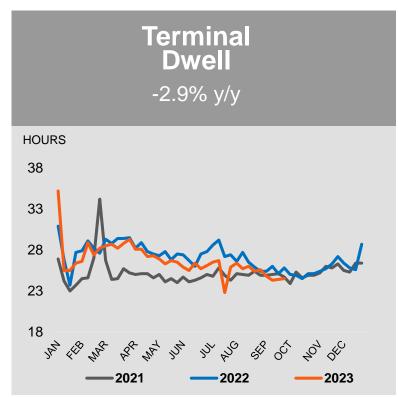
- We are keeping additional crew members active beyond volume needs to ensure we're adequately resourced and to allow for:
  - Temporary transfer options to the harder-to-hire regions
  - Additional training opportunities for team members
  - Faster ramp-up when volumes increase quickly
- Achieved robust hiring plan in 2022 and are continuing to hire in harder-to-hire regions this year
  - In 2023, ~1,500 new train crew members have completed training and started in their new positions, and an additional 350 are in training

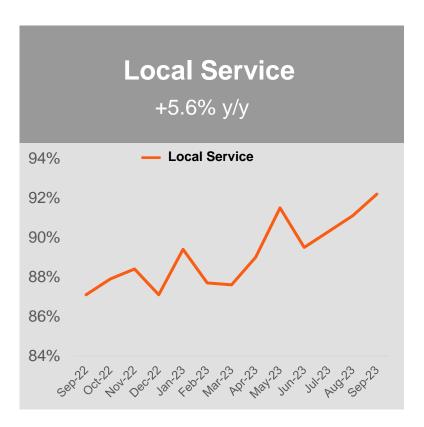




## Service Performance Year-Over-Year









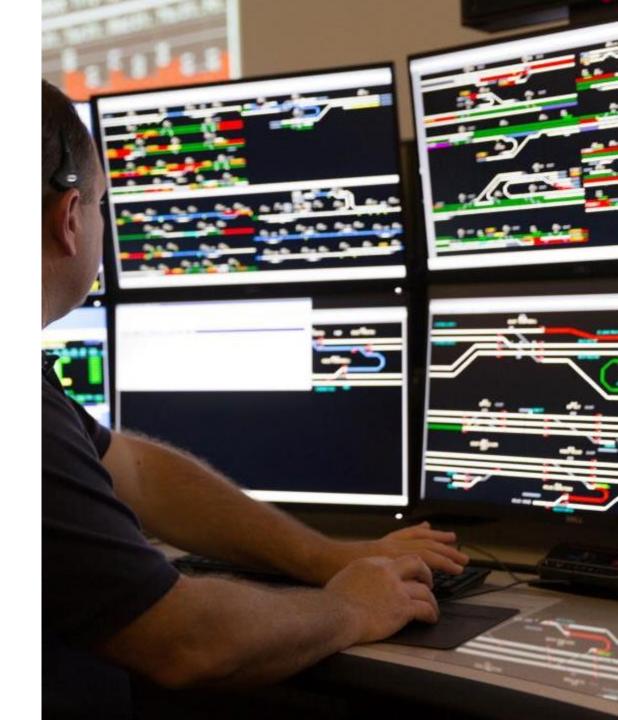
# Innovation Enhances Service Reliability & Consistency

### Terminal Throughput Planner

 Assists terminal planners with determining the most efficient way to process trains through yards

#### **Movement Planner**

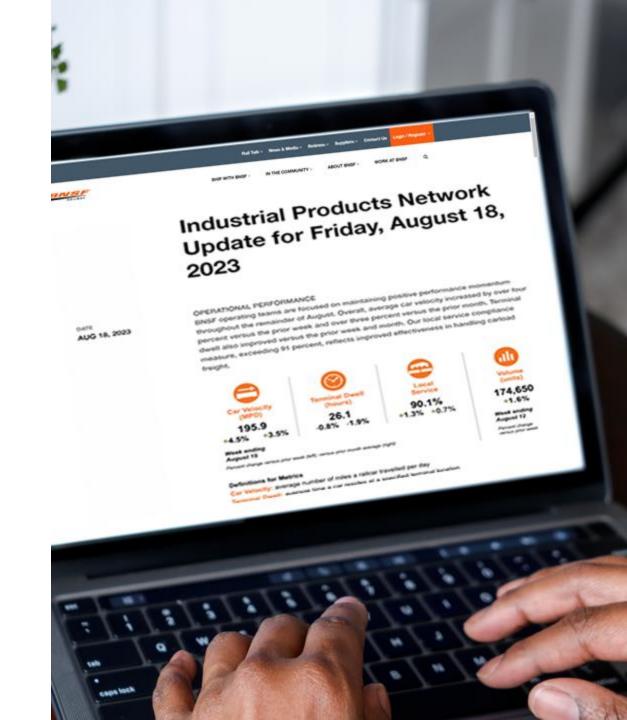
 Assists dispatchers with optimizing efficiency by looking further out to find the optimal route





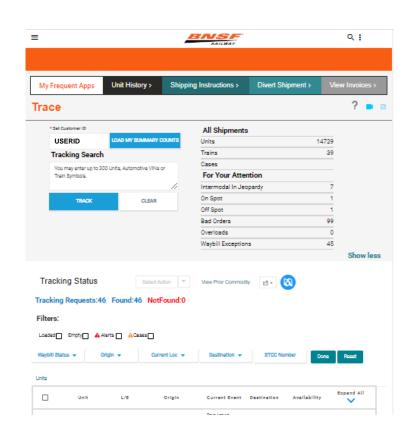
# Committed to Transparent & Frequent Communications

- Service performance and outlook
- Actionable information
- Bi-weekly network update email
- Direct interactions





# Reducing Effort Through Innovation



**Self Service** 

**Self Help** 





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**Getting Started** 

Catalog

Developer's Consol

ush Notifications

Registration

API Support

### **BNSF API Center**

Our API Center will enhance your business's shipping experience with us. Here's information for anyone just getting started with APIs, as well as experienced Web developers.

**GETTING STARTED** 

DEVELOPER CONSOLE

Digital Conversation



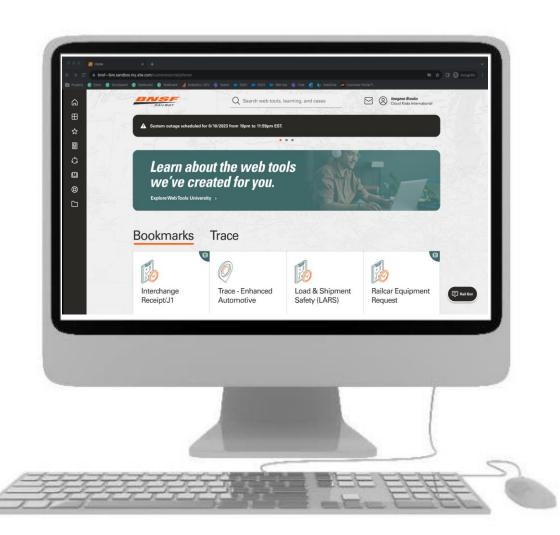
# **Updating the Webtool Portal**

#### **New Webtool Portal Benefits:**

- Shorter path to actionable insights
- Improved self-service
- Reduced delays for routine tasks

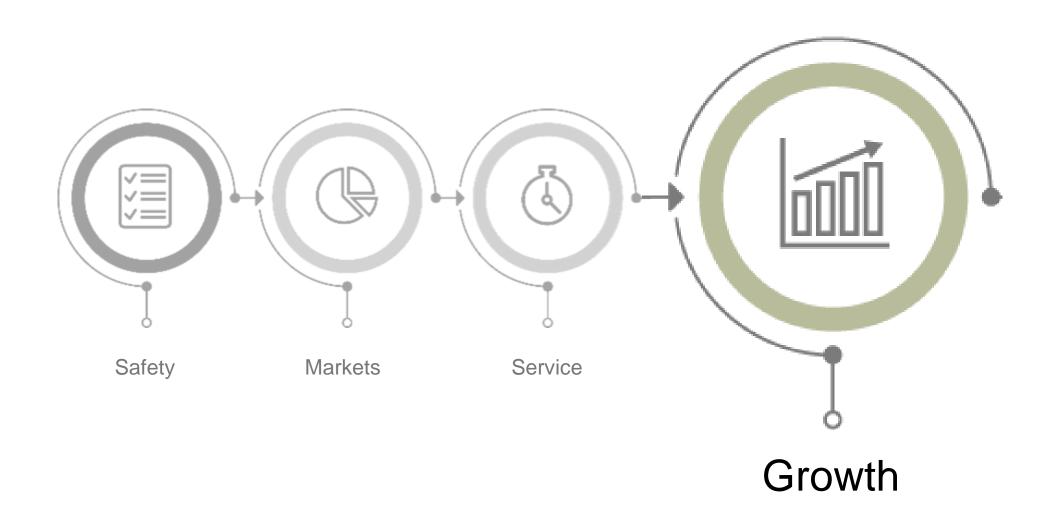
### **Key Features:**

- Customizable
- "For Your Attention"
- Webtool University
- Virtual Assistant



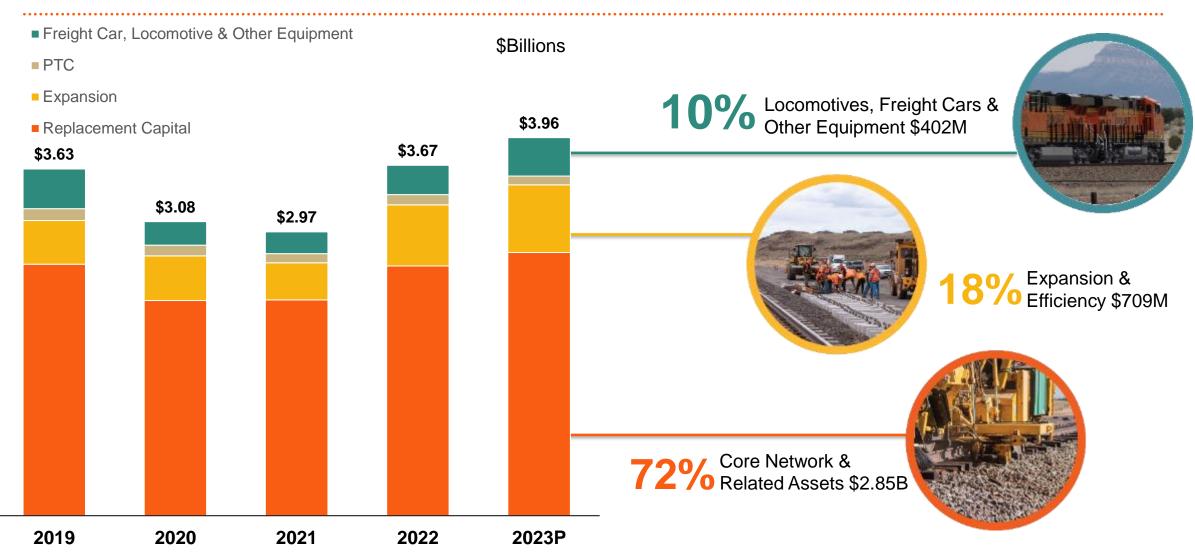


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## BNSF Investments Are Foundation for Growth



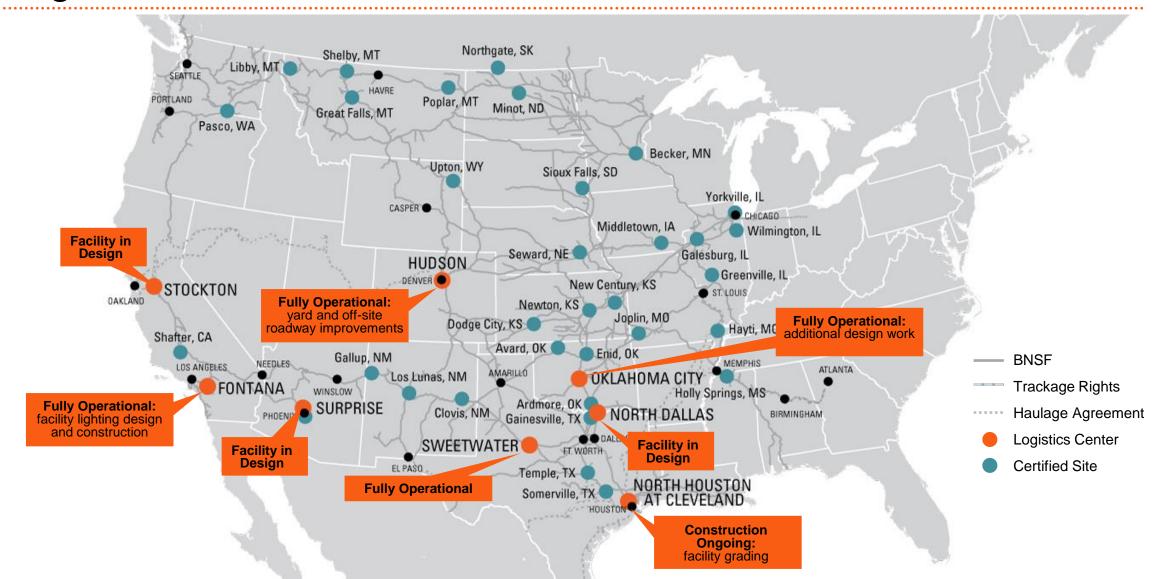


## 2023 Line Expansion Projects



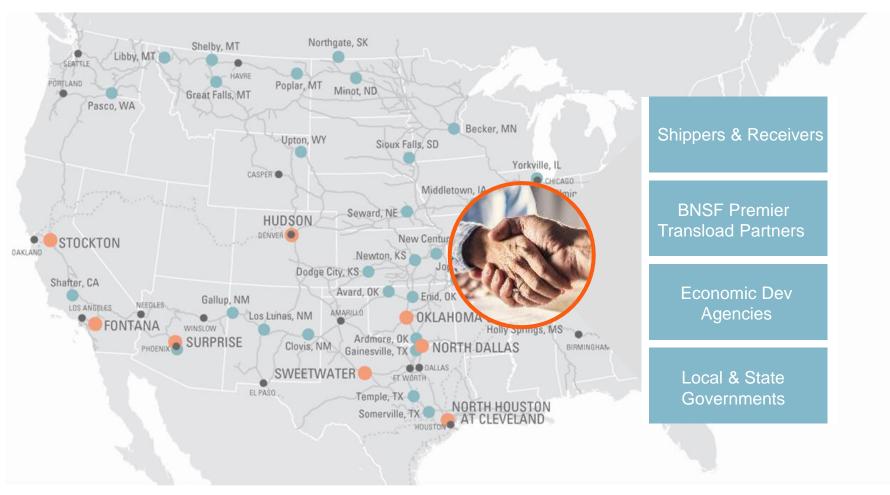


## Logistics Centers and Certified Sites





# BNSF + Customer Collaboration are Driving Rail Growth



BNSF customers, multimodal partners and local communities have invested > \$1 billion in rail-tied developments across our network each year for 12 consecutive years.

