Operation Lifesaver, Inc. Update

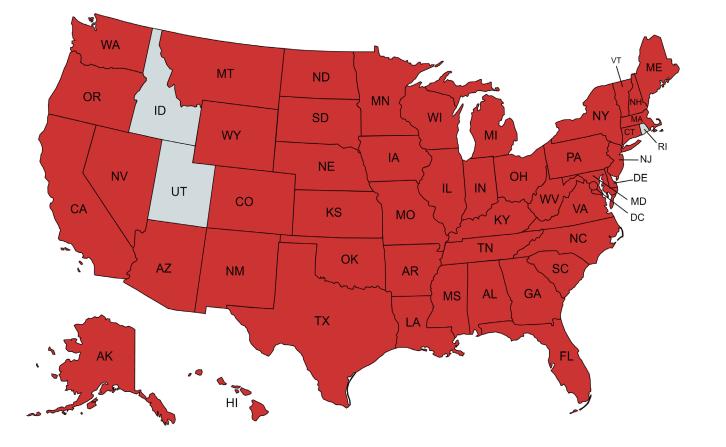
2025 FTA's Joint SSO and RTA Workshop: "Managing Safety at Transit Rail Grade Crossings"



Operation Lifesaver Programs – 47 States and DC



Scan for State Contacts





Partnerships are Key to Operation Lifesaver's Efforts

Federal Partners



Federal Railroad Administration

Federal Highway Administration

Federal Transit Administration

Private Partners



Posner Foundation of Pittsburgh Class I Railroads Amtrak

Board Member Partners



APTA ASLRRA AAR AASHTO ABA SLSI

State Partners



OL State Coordinators State DOTs State & Local Transit Agencies



How OLI Partners with FTA and Transit Agencies

- OLI works with FTA to provide competitive **Rail Transit Safety Education Grants** to transit agencies.
- Through other FTA grants, OLI also develops **free resources and assets** for use in public safety outreach efforts.

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	Rail Safety Education

By Operation Lifesave

Rail Safety Public Awareness Grants Awarded Across Nation Amplifying Rail Safety Education

Rail Transit Safety Grant Awards Announcement





Transit safety brochure and social media assets



Transit Safety Education Public Awareness Grant Recipients

In partnership with the FTA, these seven (7) transit agencies were **awarded grants for eight projects aimed at promoting public awareness and rail safety education in communities near transit lines**.





A HOME RUN Hampton Roads Transit (HRT)









HRT **combines light rail safety outreach with sports** in downtown Norfolk through education and inperson efforts.





Promoting Light Rail Safety: Dallas Area Rapid Transit (DART)



DART **created posters** educating the public in schools, with social services and other transitoriented businesses within surrounding areas.



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Rail Safety Education



Community Engagement: Long Island Railroad (LIRR)







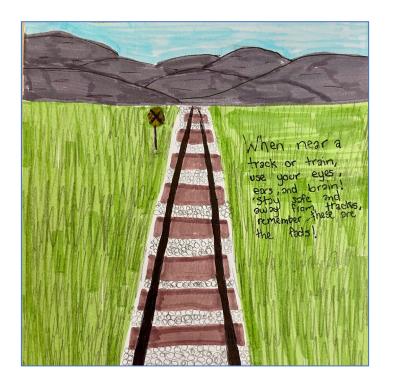


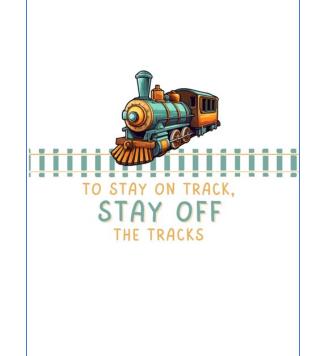
LIRR uses superheroes and colorful socks to **boost rail safety awareness**.





Community Engagement: Long Island Railroad (LIRR)







Look at these amazing **winning designs**! Kudos to all who entered the contest.





New This Summer



Two new PSAs highlighting safe choices when turning left around streetcars, light rail and trolleys.

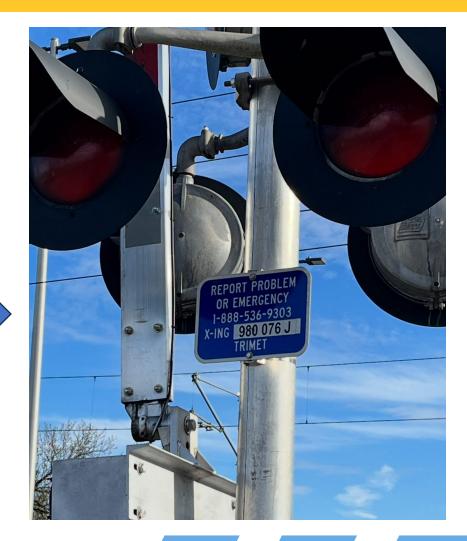




More OLI State Impact: TriMet "ENS" Signs – Portland, OR

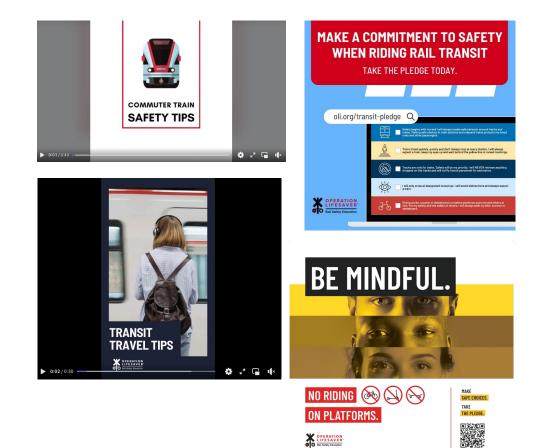
Oregon Operation Lifesaver is working with TriMet in Portland to roll out an **"ENS" sign initiative at all light rail crossings**.

> All signs will look like the federally regulated ENS signs to better heighten public awareness.





Multichannel Approach to Promoting Safety Near Transit Trains and Tracks



Social Media. Posters. Videos.



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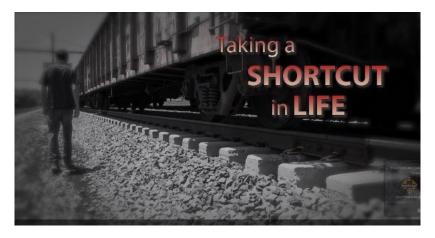


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OLI Materials Expand Beyond Transit



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Trespass Prevention





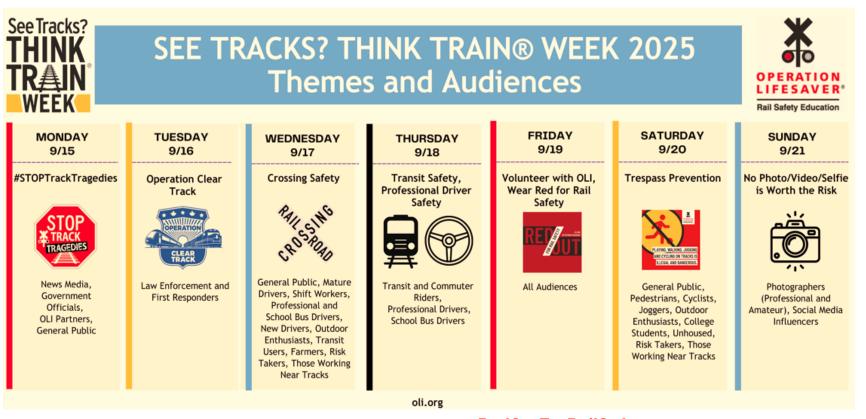
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Save the Date!



September 15-21, 2025



#RedOutForRailSafety #RedOut



SIGN UP TODAY! Email <u>news@oli.org</u> to receive free assets and get involved.

Driven by Partnership: THANK YOU!

Educating Communities. Raising Awareness. Saving Lives.



FTA celebrates Red Out for Rail Safety!





Engage with Operation Lifesaver

Request a safety presentation.



Apply to **volunteer.**









Follow OLI on Social Media and Share!

Transit Safety Pledge

Thanks for taking the pledge. Together, we can #STOPTrackTragedies. Share to:

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Every 3 Hours in the US a person or vehicle is hit by a train.	Look both ways. Trains are dureter and faster Than you think.	SEE TRACKS? THINK TRAIN!® Stay behind the painted or raised markings.
TRANSIT TRAINS CAN TRAVEL OVER 100 MPH.	Stay off the tracks. Cross only at designated crossings.	Always expect a train. Observe all warning signs.
Make safe choices around tracks and trains. Click for More Info	Click for More Info >	Click for More Info >





Transit Safety Pledge

- **Pre-Readers**
- Ages 6-12
- **Adults** •





As of April 1st, more than 10,500 people have taken the pledge!

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