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WELCOME!!!

I would like to welcome you to the Nevada Northern Railway National Historic Landmark! National Historic Landmark status is the highest honor the federal government can bestow on a historic property. Designated by the Secretary of the Interior, it recognizes nationally significant historic places of exceptional value or quality in illustrating or interpreting the heritage of the United States. During your time here you will understand why the railroad was so honored.

The survival of the complex and the equipment didn't just happen. It was only through the extraordinary efforts of many people and the financial support of people like you that preserves this time capsule for future generations. Part of the time capsule that we will be using this weekend is Outfit Car 06. Built by the Grand Trunk Railroad for the Pullman Company in 1872, she was purchased second hand by the railroad in 1909 and spent the next thirty-one years hauling passengers. She was converted to an outfit car in 1940. Just think, this car was in use when President Grant was in office - long before he was on the \$50 bill.

Please make yourself at home and enjoy the weekend. You have carte blanche, but be ***safe!*** Please wear your badges at all times. Included in this package is a schedule of events that we will try to follow closely. If you have any ideas, questions or comments please notify either me or a staff member.

Sincerely,

Mark S. Bassett
President

P.S. There is an optional event Saturday night, I'll have the full details when you check in. You're welcome to attend.

P.P.S. Please attend the Safety Briefing at 1:00 pm in Depot Plaza.

Award Winning Destination

Best Tour in Rural Nevada – 2017

Nevada State Treasure – 2013 & 2012

Trip Advisor Certificate of Excellence – 2017, 2016, 2015, 2014

Best Preservation Effort in the West • Attraction of the Year – 2012

Best Museum in Rural Nevada – 2017, 2016, 2014, 2013, 2010, 2009, 2008

Best Museum - Special Recognition – 2010 • Favorite Nevada Attraction – 2008

Best Event in Rural Nevada – The Polar Express – 2017, 2016, 2015, 2014 & 2013

Best Place to Take the Kids in Rural Nevada – 2015, 2014, 2013, 2012, 2011, 2010, 2009, 2008, 2007