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Re: Sober Celebration of Safety

Regarding safety in the railroad industry, the Association of American Railroads (AAR) states: *"America's freight rail industry is among the safest sectors in the U.S. — and the world. In fact, U.S. freight railroads have lower employee injury rates than most other major industries, including trucking, airlines, agriculture, manufacturing and construction — even lower than grocery stores. Even as railroads are proud of these safety improvements, they strive toward the ultimate goal of zero accidents."*

SSP Railway would like to share with our coveted stakeholders that in 2019 and 2020 we had ZERO INCIDENTS and ZERO INJURIES. We achieved this through our *On-Track Safety Program*, which combines elements of effective hiring, leadership, training, process, and collaboration with all stakeholders.

Although this safety milestone is a fantastic achievement, SSP and our stakeholders must remain vigilant. The sobering reality is we are always one moment away from a potential incident. So now we are done with the celebration.....Let us continue working in a safe and productive environment.

For more information regarding:

- The safety record of the rail industry, please visit [AAR's website](#)
- Safety programs SSP has in place, contact customerservice@ssprw.com
- Integrating your safety programs more seamlessly with SSP, contact customerservice@ssprw.com

Going forward, copies of all SSP Customer Notifications are available on our [website](#).

WE'RE ON TRACK TO SAFETY.

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