



RAIL SAFETY FOR FILMMAKERS

NO SHOT IS WORTH THE RISK: [Get a Permit or Stay Off the Tracks \(PSA\)](#)



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- Operation Lifesaver, Inc., the nation's rail safety organization, works with the film industry and film schools to ensure no filming occurs on or near railroad tracks without permission from the railroad.
- All filmmakers, crews, film students, and amateurs who want to film **MUST** get permission from the railroad to film on or near the railroad tracks.
- Filmmakers must obtain a formal permit or contract from the railroad, based on the individual railroad's legal requirements.
- Any filming on or near railroad tracks without explicit permission from the railroad can result in severe injury or death.

PLAY IT SAFE: GET THE PERMIT

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- For general safety guidelines for filming on railroad property once a permit has been obtained, visit <https://www.csatf.org/pdf/28RAILROADS.pdf>
- To share this rail safety PSA with colleagues in the film industry, please visit www.oli.org/filmPSA
- For more information on Operation Lifesaver's rail safety education efforts, please visit www.oli.org

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