



## FEATHER RIVER RAIL SOCIETY POLICY

### Software Piracy

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**Policy:** It is the policy of the Feather River Rail Society to utilize all commercially purchased software in accordance with its individual licensing agreement. Unless otherwise provided in the license, any duplication of copyrighted software, except for backup and archival purposes, is a violation of the law. Unauthorized duplication of copyrighted computer software is contrary to the Feather River Rail Society's standard of conduct.

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