



# Feather River Rail Society

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FRRS Board Of Directors  
PRM & WPRRHS Department Heads  
FRRS Members & Friends

Dear Friends of the FRS,

Due to personal reasons, I am resigning as President and as a Director of the FRRS, effective immediately. It has become necessary for me to seek employment that will not allow me to actively participate in PRM/FRRS activities to the levels I expect of a FRRS Director. While all the details have not yet been firmed up it is expected that I will need to leave the area on short notice when plans are finalized, probably in less than one week. My family will continue to reside in Spring Garden while I am on the road, at least for the foreseeable future. I sincerely hope to be able to return to this area soon and regain the involvement in this organization I find so gratifying.

My heartfelt thanks go out to everyone involved with the FRRS who has helped this organization grow to what it is today, and I ask everyone to support the Directors as they continue to map out the future of FRRS and the Portola Railroad Museum. They are working towards new goals as the FRRS matures; improvements to facilities and preservation are now the priorities.

I am also asking many of our regular volunteers to step up and help out with some of the things I was involved with. It seemed I was in the middle of many activities, and was usually there to help, but that must change. No one is irreplaceable.

Thank you for all your support, guidance, advice, and criticism over the years. I learned a lot, and I hope the FRRS has benefited from it.

Respectfully,

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