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NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY  
AUTHORITY FOR EXPENDITURE

YEAR 1929

SUPERINTENDENT'S NO. 15  
No.

DEPT. NO.  
ENGINEERING DEPT. NO. 63-29

A. F. E. NO. 354

Seattle DIV. Seattle Terminals DISTRICT STATE WASH VAL. SEC. No 8

AUTHORITY IS REQUESTED FOR A NET EXPENDITURE OF \$ 192

Accounting distribution as follows: (Distribution to be made in General Office)

	Operating Expenses	Profit and Loss	Net Operating Expenses	Net Profit and Loss
Cost of property retired				
Value of salvage				
Incidental costs				
Total to Operating Expenses				
Total to Profit and Loss				
To Material and Supplies				
To Bills for Collection				
To Other Accounts				
Net charge to investment account—Additions and Betterments				192 ✓
Total of distribution				192 ✓

Budget reference: *Item 47-1-1929*

Class of Work: No. 17 ✓

Joint facility contract reference: GN RC. 8-21-24

The location is on this company's property. To secure rights, it will be necessary

Location: Seattle, Washington.

Title Flood lights in coach yards King Street Station.

and

Reason:

The two night shift crews in King Street Station Coach Yards handle approximately forty cars daily and their work is greatly handicapped due to there being no illumination in the yards. It is extremely difficult to give equipment the proper exterior attention on account of the darkness and the darkness also tends to make the work more hazardous. Careful study has been made of lighting systems used in similar coach yards at other points and it is recommended that four flood lights be installed on the four existing charging line poles about the center of the yard. The installation of these lights will facilitate the work of the night crews and effect a real money saving in better work and a reduction in the number of men working. The King Street Terminals are owned and maintained jointly with the Great Northern Railway, which company has already approved the above proposition and have submitted their RFA to cover. The cost of current for these lights will be about \$12.00 per month and in addition to safer and better work resulting from their use there will be a labor saving of approximately \$100 per month.

Work to be done by company force under charge of Divn. Superintendent at Seattle, Wn.

Accounting to concentrate in the office of Divn. Accountant at Seattle, Wn.

Signature and Title

*J.R. Baister*

Supt Date Jan. 21 29

APPROVED:

*[Signature]* General Superintendent  
*[Signature]* Asst. Chief Engr. or Engr. Maint. of Way  
*[Signature]* General Manager

Mech. Supt., Supt. Trench or Signal Engr.

*[Signature]* Chief Engineer  
*[Signature]* Vice President

For Controller

*Charles Connelly*

Date of Final Approval

MAR 6 1929

COMPTROLLER'S RECORD OF NOTICE OF APPROVAL AND OF COMPLETION

Form No. 1346 issued

15 Work begun

16 Work finished



