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7		◀ Train Number ▶		8		
Daily		◀ Normal Days of Operation ▶		Daily		
		◀ On Board Service ▶				
Read Down	Mile		Symbol		Read Up	
2 15P	0	Dp Chicago, IL—Union Station (CT)	●●●●●QT	Ar	3 55P	
R2 39P	17	Glenview, IL (METRA/Milw. Line)	●●●●●QT		D3 12P	
R3 55P	85	Milwaukee, WI	●●●●●QT		D2 07P	
5 05P	150	Columbus, WI (Madison)	○●●●●		12 57P	
5 34P	178	Portage, WI	○●●●●		12 27P	
5 52P	195	Wisconsin Dells, WI	○●●●●		12 08P	
6 30P	240	Tomah, WI	○●●●●		11 26A	
7 14P	281	La Crosse, WI	○●●●●		10 47A	
7 50P	308	Winona, MN—see back	○●●●●		10 11A	
8 52P	371	Red Wing, MN	○●●●●		8 54A	
10 31P	418	Ar St. Paul/Minneapolis, MN	●●●●●QT	Dp	7 50A	
11 15P		Dp Duluth—see back	●●●●●QT	Ar	7 05A	
12 40A	486	St. Cloud, MN	○●●●●QT		5 14A	
1 42A	552	Staples, MN	○●●●●		4 09A	
2 38A	614	Detroit Lakes, MN	○●●●●		3 10A	
3 35A	662	Fargo, ND (Moorhead, MN)	○●●●●		2 13A	
4 52A	737	Grand Forks, ND	○●●●●		12 57A	
6 13A	822	Devils Lake, ND	○●●●●		11 32P	
7 07A	879	Rugby, ND	○●●●●		10 38P	
8 34A	940	Ar Minot, ND	●●●●●	Dp	9 42P	
9 06A		Dp	●●●●●	Ar	9 22P	
9 57A	994	Stanley, ND	○●●●●		8 11P	
11 07A	1061	Williston, ND (CT)	○●●●●		7 09P	
11 41A	1168	Wolf Point, MT (MT)	○●●●●		4 33P	
12 26P	1217	Glasgow, MT	○●●●●		3 47P	
1 25P	1283	Malta, MT	○●●●●		2 52P	
2 39P	1370	Ar Havre, MT	●●●●●	Dp	1 32P	
3 04P		Dp	●●●●●	Ar	1 12P	
5 22P	1475	Shelby, MT	○●●●●		11 43A	
5 51P	1499	Cut Bank, MT	○●●●●		10 45A	
6 23P	1532	Browning, MT	○●●●●		10 10A	
40	1547	East Glacier Park, MT	○●●●●		40	
7 41P	1576	Essex, MT—Izaak Walton Inn	○●●●●		7 55A	
8 23P	1603	West Glacier, MT (Apgar)	○●●●●		8 16A	
8 56P	1626	Ar Whitefish, MT	●●●●●		7 46A	
9 16P		Dp (Kalispell, Missoula)	●●●●●		7 26A	
10 59P	1728	Dp Libby, MT (MT)	○●●●●		5 26A	
11 49P	1813	Sandpoint, ID (PT)	○●●●●		2 35A	
1 40A	1879	Ar Spokane, WA (Coeur d'Alene, ID)	●●●●●QT	Dp	1 30A	
<b>Thru cars Chicago-Portland</b>						
27					28	
2 45A	1879	Dp Spokane, WA (PT)	●●●●●QT	Ar	12 13A	
5 35A	2025	Pasco, WA (Kennewick, Richland)	●●●●●QT		8 57P	
7 30A	2150	Wishram, WA (The Dalles)	○●●●●		6 55P	
8 04A	2180	Bingen-White Salmon, WA	○●●●●		6 21P	
9 18A	2245	Vancouver, WA	○●●●●		5 07P	
39	10 10A	2255	Ar Portland, OR (PT)	●●●●●QT	Dp	39 4 45P
2 15A	1879	Dp Spokane, WA (PT)	●●●●●QT	Ar	12 45A	
4 22A	1998	Ephrata, WA	○●●●●		9 42P	
5 35A	2050	Wenatchee, WA	○●●●●		8 42P	
		Omak—see back	○●●●●			
6 08A	2072	Leavenworth, WA	○●●●●		8 00P	
8 38A	2171	Everett, WA	○●●●●		5 39P	
9 10A	2188	Edmonds, WA	○●●●●		5 12P	
10 25A	2205	Ar Seattle, WA (Victoria, BC—see back)	●●●●●QT	Dp	4 40P	

## Northstar Commuter Rail

Northstar trains serve the Minneapolis-Big Lake corridor with a bus transfer to St. Cloud. For information, call (612) 373-3333, or visit [www.metrotransit.org](http://www.metrotransit.org).

## EMPIRE BUILDER ROUTE MAP and SYMBOLS



- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <b>A</b> Time Symbol for A.M.   | Checked baggage  |
| <b>N</b> Time Symbol for Noon.  | Ferry connection   |
| <b>P</b> Time Symbol for P.M.   | <b>QT</b> Quik-Trak self-serve ticketing kiosk                           |
| <b>D</b> Stops only to discharge passengers; train may leave before time shown. | ○ Unstaffed station  |
| <b>R</b> Stops only to receive passengers.                                      | ● Staffed ticket office; may or may not be open for all train departures |
| <b>CT</b> Central time  | ♿ Station wheelchair accessible; no barriers between station and train   |
| <b>MT</b> Mountain time   | Station wheelchair accessible; not all station facilities accessible     |
| <b>PT</b> Pacific time  |  |
| Bus stop  |  |
| Flag stop   |  |

## Service on the Empire Builder®

- Coaches:** Enhanced coach service with at-seat meal service upon request and larger pillows. Reservations required.
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- Dining:** Enhanced Dining car service; complete meals served on china. - Not available between Spokane and Portland; Sleeping car service passengers will receive complimentary cold meal service.
- Sightseer Lounge:** Sandwiches, snacks and beverages. (Note—Combined Diner/Lounge provides food and beverage service between Spokane and Seattle).
- Connections** available to/from Salem, Albany and Eugene-Springfield.
- East Glacier Park** station opens April 29, 2012. Browning station closes April 28, 2012.

**Smoking is prohibited.**

**Trails and Rails Program:** In cooperation with the National Park Service, volunteer rangers provide on board narratives between May and September on selected routes. Visit [nps.gov/trailsandrails](http://nps.gov/trailsandrails) and [amtraktoparks.com](http://amtraktoparks.com).

## Scenic Highlights

- Wisconsin Dells
- Glacier National Park, Montana
- Mississippi River
- Gateway to Mount Rainier, Washington
- Rocky Mountains
- Columbia River Gorge

## Shading Key

Reserved long-distance train

Thruway and connecting services

## Thruway Bus Connections

### Duluth • St. Paul/Minneapolis *(Jefferson Lines)*

8007	Mile	▼	Thruway Number	Symbol	▲	8008
4 45P	0	Dp	Univ. of Minnesota at Duluth, MN (CT)		Ar	3 45P
5 15P			Duluth, MN—Greyhound Station			3 30P
6 30P			Hinckley, MN			2 15P
8 00P	149	Ar	St. Paul/Minneapolis, MN (CT) —Amtrak Station	●	Dp	12 10P

### Seattle • Vancouver, BC *(Canrail)*

8948	Mile	▼	Thruway Number	Symbol	▲	8909
10 45A	0	Dp	Seattle, WA—Amtrak Station (PT)	●	Ar	3 30P
1 15P	115	▼	Surrey, BC—Pacific Inn	○	▲	R12 30P
1 45P	132	▼	Richmond, BC —Sandman Signature Hotel	○	▲	R12 00N
2 15P	144	Ar	Vancouver, BC (PT) —Pacific Central Station	●	Dp	11 30A

### Omak • Wenatchee *(Northwestern Stage Lines)*

8865	Thruway Number				8868	
Daily	Mile	▼	Days of Operation	Symbol	▲	Daily
6 55A	0	Dp	Omak, WA (PT)	○	Ar	4 45P
7 05A	4	▼	Okanogan, WA	○	▲	4 35P
7 35A	27	▼	Brewster, WA	○	▲	4 05P
7 45A	33	▼	Pateros, WA	○	▲	3 55P
9 00A	94	Ar	Wenatchee, WA (PT)	○	Dp	2 35P

## Connecting Services

#### **Fargo—Winnipeg and Fargo—Sioux Falls—Omaha**

Jefferson Lines operates bus service to/from Fargo. For more information, visit [Jeffersonlines.com](http://Jeffersonlines.com). (888) 864-2832.

#### **Whitefish—Kalispell—Missoula**

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#### **Shelby—Great Falls**

Northern Transit Interlocal provides transportation between Shelby and Great Falls. For more information, call (406) 470-0727.

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