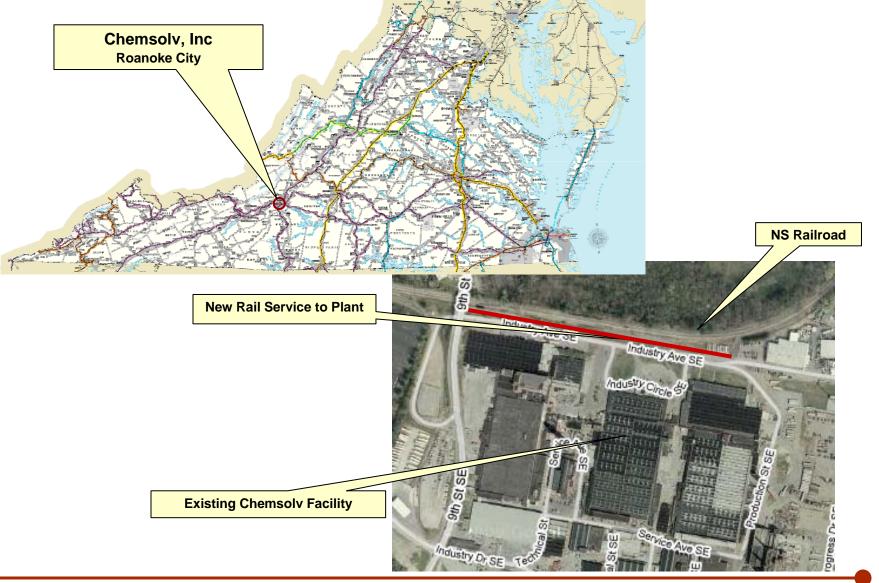


Rail Industrial Access Program Application Briefing

ChemSolv, Inc. City of Roanoke

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Project Location





Project Description

- Chemicals & Solvents, Inc (ChemSolve) handles chemical distribution for chemical processing, paints and coatings manufacturing, textiles, adhesives and sealants, detergents, military and pharmaceutical companies
- □ Construction of 1,800 feet of rail to support facility expansion
- □ Project cost:\$450,000
- Project has the support of the Virginia Economic **Development Partnership**
- Rail service to be provided by Norfolk Southern



Project Benefits

- Local capital investment of \$2.1 million, and creation of 10 new jobs
- □ Rail access will enable approximately 200 railcar shipments per year



Project Scoring

- Projects are scored based the following criteria:
 - Number of annual carloads
 - Added employment
 - Commonwealth's portion of track construction per initial capital investment cost
 - Jurisdictional unemployment rate as compared to statewide
 - Project endorsement by the Virginia Economic Development Partnership or Department of Business Assistance to bring or expand industry in Virginia
 - Non-state contributions to track construction
 - Contribution to the long term viability of a rail line
- This project is recommended for funding.



Recommended Project Funding

Applicant	Total Project Cost	Recommended CTB Allocation	Local Match
ChemSolv	\$450,000	\$300,000	\$150,000

The Rail Industrial Access program specifies that no more than \$300,000 of unmatched funds may be allocated to any one project in any fiscal year. Rail Industrial Access funds in excess of \$300,000 are matched dollar-for-dollar by the grantee or from other nonprogram sources.

DRPT will present this project for action at the November 2009 CTB meeting.







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