



Public Riverports and Intermodal Facilities*

Inland waterways system and intermodal transportation has been an extremely efficient mode of transportation for centuries. Intermodal freight transport involves the transportation of freight in an intermodal container or vehicle, using multiple modes of transportation (rail, ship, truck), without any handling of the freight itself when changing modes. Barges and other river transport efficiently deliver materials without congesting the roadways. KYOVA includes intermodal facilities and maritime activities in the transportation planning process. Details can be found in Chapter 6 of the KYOVA 2050 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP). The 2050 MTP can be accessed at https://www.kyovaipc.org/KYOVA_2050_MTP_Final.pdf.

The table below provides an overview of the public riverports and intermodal facilities in the Huntington, WV-KY-OH Transportation Management Area (TMA). These facilities are subject to change at any time. Please contact the KYOVA staff if additional information is required.

West Virginia	
Cabell-Wayne Port District Contact Information Christopher M. Chiles, Executive Director KYOVA Interstate Planning Commission 400 Third Avenue Huntington, WV 25701 Phone: (304) 523-7434 E-mail: cchiles@kyovaipc.org	Located along the Ohio River in Huntington, WV, this project received local port district status in June 1994. Huntington area officials are investigating several potential sites. Environmental and master plan studies are in progress. The Port is being considered for an inland Container Port which will be located in Prichard, WV and is currently under study. The Inland Container Port would grant public access to both the international markets of the Virginia Port Authority as well as, the Container Port of Columbus, OH.
Central Appalachian Inland Port at Prichard (formerly Heartland Intermodal Gateway-Prichard) 11713 Route 152 P. O. Box 519 Wayne, WV 25570 Owned by Wayne County Commission Phone/Fax: (304) 272-9050 Website: https://waynecountywv.org/index.php	A 65-acre facility at the southern end of Prichard, WV is owned by the Wayne County Commission. The site is designed to transfer shipping containers between rail cars and trucks and is served by Norfolk Southern Railways (NS) Kenova District. R. J. Corman will launch a multiphase project with a portion of the site as a car repair hub.
Port of Huntington Tri-State P. O. Box 249 Ashland, KY 41105-0249 Website: https://www.huntingtonwaterways.com/	The Port of Huntington, WV is the second largest inland port in the United States. Included in the port's area is 100 miles of the Ohio River from the mouth of the Scioto River in Portsmouth, Ohio to the northern border of Gallia County, Ohio, 9 miles of the Big Sandy River, and 90 miles of the Kanawha River.
Kentucky	
Greenup-Boyd County Riverport Authority/Wurtland Riverport 2800 Louisa Street P. O. Box 423 Catlettsburg, KY 41129 Phone: 606-473-6440 Website: https://www.riverportatwurtland.com/ Email: bhall@greenupcountyky.gov	The operating port facility shows 14 acres as developed and 29 acres as owned and is located on the Ohio River at river mile 332, on the left descending bank. The property is in the City of Wurtland, KY. The general cargo/commodity handling dock has two steel dolphins for barge tie-off. The only commodity currently discharged at the facility is a specialty imported aggregate. There is a 25,000 sq ft warehouse owned by the port and currently leased for storage and handling of the aggregate.
Northeast Kentucky Regional Industrial Park Authority (EastPark Industrial Park) Greenup & Carter County, Kentucky Website: http://eastparkky.com/	EastPark is a 1000-acre multi-use business park near Ashland and Grayson, KY that offers significant advantages for businesses and industries competing in the global marketplace. Located next to I-64 in northeast KY, EastPark provides land that is primed for development, with infrastructure in place to meet small business and large industrial demands.
Ohio	
The Point Industrial Park 216 Collins Avenue South Point, OH 45680 Phone: (740) 377-4550 Website: http://www.pointindustrialpark.com/ Contact: Bill Dingus, Executive Director (dingus@ohio.edu) or Jeremy Clay Asst Executive Director (jeremy@ledcorp.org)	The Point Industrial Park in South Point, Ohio encompasses more than 500 acres of prime flat land with seven miles of rail and 3400 feet of scenic Ohio River.

<p>Ironton Gateway Site Lawrence County Economic Development Corporation P. O. Box 488 South Point, OH 45680</p> <p>Phone: (740) 377-4550 or (800) 408-1334 Contact: Bill Dingus, Executive Director (dingus@ohio.edu) or Jeremy Clay Asst Executive Director (jeremy@ledcorp.org)</p>	<p>20 acre site with rail service available (Norfolk Southern)</p>
<p>Hanging Rock Site Lawrence County Economic Development Corporation P. O. Box 488 216 Collins Avenue South Point, OH 45680</p> <p>Phone: (740) 377-4550 or (800) 408-1334 Contact: Bill Dingus, Executive Director (dingus@ohio.edu) or Jeremy Clay Asst Executive Director (jeremy@ledcorp.org)</p>	<p>161 acres with Ohio River front access. Rail service (Norfolk Southern) available.</p>
<p>South Ironton Industrial Park Ironton Port Authority Lawrence County Economic Development Corporation P. O. Box 488 South Point, OH 45680</p> <p>Phone: (740) 532-3833 Contact: Jeremy Clay E-mail: jeremy@ledcorp.org</p>	<p>37 acre environmentally clean site</p>

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