

West Alton Yardmaster Job Sheet - AM Session

Consult timetable/dispatcher for departure times for freight trains unless stated.

- ❶ Switch and reblock (if necessary) CB&Q South and East bound Trains 60, 64, 68, 80, 82, and 764 upon arrival.
- ❷ Switch and re-block (if necessary) MKT Eastbound Trains 52 and 76 upon arrival.
- ❸ Switch and re-block (if necessary) CB&Q North and West bound Trains 63, 65, 71, 81, 97 and 763 upon arrival.
- ❹ Switch and re-block (if necessary) MKT Westbound Trains 53 and 75 upon arrival.
- ❺ Switch West Alton Team/Stock Track.

Scheduled freight train information:

North and West bound trains

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| CB&Q 71 | Lv St. Louis | 12:15am |
| MKT 75 | Lv St Louis | 3:30am |
| CB&Q Scnd 71 | Lv St. Louis | 5:20am |
| CB&Q 81 | Lv St. Louis | 6:00am |
| CB&Q 63 | Lv St. Louis | 7:00am |
| CB&Q 763 | Lv St Louis | 7:05am |
| CB&Q 691 | Lv W Alton | 5:00pm |
| MKT 53 | Lv St Louis | 7:00pm |
| CB&Q 97 | Lv St Louis | 9:30pm |
| CB&Q 65 | Lv St. Louis | 11:00pm |

South and East bound trains

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| MKT 52 | Lv Machens | 2:10am |
| CB&Q 60 | Lv Old Monroe | 3:25am |
| CB&Q 690 | Lv Hannibal | 7:00am |
| CB&Q 82 | Lv W Quincy | 12:15pm |
| CB&Q 64 | Lv Old Monroe | 1:00pm |
| CB&Q 68 | Lv W Quincy | 3:30pm |
| CB&Q 764 | Lv Hannibal | 4:00pm |
| MKT 76 | Lv Machens | 8:40pm |
| CB&Q 80 | Lv W Quincy | 9:50pm |
| CB&Q Second 68 | Lv W Quincy | 10:30pm |

Suggested West Alton Yard Blocking Scheme

Southbound

MKT - St. Louis and MKT routed St. Louis connections

B&O - St. Louis and east

GM&O - St. Louis and east

L&N - St. Louis and east

SOU - St. Louis and southeast

Other St. Louis and connections

**K Line Shorts 1
Baden/Prospect Hill**

Northbound

**MKT - southwest
Kansas City
Oklahoma**

**Dallas-Ft Worth - North Texas
Other Texas MKT traffic**

Southwest loads - via MKT

Southwest empties - via MKT

Kansas City - Omaha - Council Bluffs

**Francis Subdivision shorts - beyond Old
Monroe to Mexico**

Westbound empties via Kansas City

K line Shorts 2

Helton

West Quincy proper

K Line Shorts 3

Old Monroe

Elsberry

Clarksville

Louisiana

K Line Shorts 4

Alexandria

Keokuk

Ft Madison

Burlington

Other Iowa cars (except Council Bluffs)

Galesburg and connections

Lincoln and connections

St. Joseph

Suggested Hannibal Yard Blocking Scheme

Southbound

K Line Shorts 1

Louisiana
Clarksville
Old Monroe

K Line Shorts 2

West Alton
Baden/Prospect Hill

Hannibal Connecting - Universal Atlas Cement

Louisiana - GM&O interchange

West Alton - MKT connections

L&N cars - St. Louis and beyond

Perishables - St. Louis and connections

TOFC - St. Louis and connections

Grain - St. Louis and connections

**Grocery products - St. Louis and
connections**

Other freight - St. Louis and connections

Kansas City and connections

Northbound

West Quincy proper

Helton proper

K Line Shorts 3

Alexandria
Keokuk
Ft. Madison
Burlington

Iowa cars (loads and empties)

Galesburg and connections - loads

Galesburg and connections - empties

**Lincoln routed cars (includes Grand Island,
Billings and Denver gateway cars)**

Omaha - Council Bluffs

St. Joseph

