

Donating Books, Documents, Drawings, Archival Supplies & Equipment, Maps, Negatives, Photographs, etc. to the Pullman Library & Railway Equipment Archive

Donating to the Pullman Library is donating to the Illinois Railroad Museum. While a donor can stipulate that an item or items be for the Library, the Library operates under IRM's control & policies.

A book, for example, will be offered first to the Strahorn Library, then to the Pullman Library, then to the Used Book Store (items donated to the Used Book Store are either duplicates or not needed by the Strahorn or Pullman Library.) The Used Book Store sells items to raise money for restoration of equipment or to provide the needed tools to restore equipment. Locomotive drawings will be offered to the Steam Department or the Diesel Department. Photos not of cars or Pullman-related materials will be offered to the Strahorn first as well.

Any potential donation larger than a box should first be reviewed by the Curator of the Library to determine whether the donation can be accepted and how to prepare for it.

A donation can be dropped off at the IRM Office, the Model Railroad Display, or the Used Book Store, or by appointment, the Library.

Examples of materials of interest:

Pullman related Drawings	Pullman Images	4 Drawer file cabinets
Budd related Drawings	Budd Images	Work carts
Standard Steel Drawings	Standard Steel Images	Maps, Track Charts & Profiles
Railway Equipment Drawings	Equipment Images	Equipment Manuals
Transit Drawings	MOW Images	Timetables
Railroad Facility Drawings	Facility Images	

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