Railroad Trackage. FAC: 8601

CATCODE: 860617 OPR: AFCEC/COS OCR: N/A

1.1. **Description.** Railroad trackage is necessary to serve the warehouse area and bulk fuel storage area. Spur track is necessary for switching and storing empty cars while awaiting pickup.

1.2. **Required Determination.** Railroad trackage requires standard gauge, clearance, and weight of rail as specified in interstate regulations. Ensure it connects with the common carrier delivering shipments to the base. Provide sidings for holding and unloading freight cars as required.

1.3. **Scope Determination.** Amount of railroad trackage to be constructed is determined by the proximity of common carrier lines, volume of traffic, and grade requirements imposed by accepted railroad practices.

1.4. **Dimensions.** See UFC 4-860-01FA, *Railroad Design and Rehabilitation*, for additional guidance and information.

1.5. Design Considerations. See UFC 4-860-01FA.