

New Hampshire Route (NHR) Tower A (exclusive) – CPF BY (exclusive)

The New Hampshire Route letter Designation is “H”. All Line special instructions governing operations on the New Hampshire Route will be prefixed with the Letter H – All Mile Posts will be prefixed with the letters “BH”.

Station	MP	INT or CP	PS	DIB	Notes
Tufts	BH 4.1	INT	...	...	MPF
West Medford	BH 5.5	...	X	S	...
Wedgemere	BH 7.3	...	X	N	...
Winchester Center	BH 7.8	...	X	N	...
Winchester	BH 7.9	INT	...	...	...
Mishawum	BH 11.6	...	X	N	...
Crawford	BH 12.6	INT	...	...	...
Anderson/Woburn	BH 12.7	...	X	N, S	...
Wilbur	BH 12.9	INT	...	...	...
Wilmington (Wildcat Branch)	BH 15.2	INT	X	S	...
Shop (Billerica Industrial Track PAR)	BH 20.3	INT	...	...	...
North Billerica	BH 21.8	...	X	...	...
South Lowell	BH 23.3	INT No. 1 Trk Only	...	...	...
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> In the DIB column, Stations that are identified by N “North” S “South” are designated passenger stations where Delay in block is in effect for that direction, movements are governed by Rule 504 part b. In the Notes column, Stations that are identified by MPF are equipped with Moveable point frogs. 					

240-H1. Signal Rules and Current of Traffic

Location	Tracks are Numbered East to West		
	No. 1	No. 2	No. 4
Tower A to Crawford	261	261	...
Crawford to Wilbur	261	261	261
Wilbur to CPF-BY	261	261	...

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37-H1. Maximum Speeds and Speed Restrictions, Unless Otherwise Restricted

Locations and speeds shown in non-bold type are maximum authorized speeds. Locations and speeds shown in bold type are speed restrictions.				
PASSENGER TRAINS				
Between/At	Track			
	Single	No. 1	No. 2	Notes
NL Tower A & Shop	...	70	70	...
NL Tower A & ABS 1.8	...	35	35	N
While Passing over High-Line Bridge MP BH 1.13	...	30	30	...
Cv MP BH 2.1 & MP BH 2.35	...	65	65	...
Cv MP BH 2.7 & MP BH 3.1	...	65	65	...
Canal St. MP BH 5.3 & Grove St. OH Br MP BH 6.1	...	40	40	...
Cv MP BH 6.2 & MP BH 6.6	...	60	60	...
Cv MP BH 7.15 & MP BH 7.4 (Cv at Wedgemere Station)	...	60	60	...
Through Winchester	...	60	60	...
Cv MP BH 8.95 & MP BH 9.1	...	65	65	...
Cv MP BH 9.6 & MP BH 10	...	65	65	...
Cv MP BH 10.9 & MP BH 11.1	...	60	60	...
Cv MP BH 12.05 & MP BH 12.15	...	65	65	...
No. 4 Track..... 30 MPH				
Cv MP BH 13.7 & MP BH 13.8	...	65	...	...
Sweetheart Plastic South MP BH 14.9 & Sweetheart Plastic North MP BH 15.4	...	45	45	N
Wilmington & MP BH 17	...	60	60	...
Shop & CPF-BY	...	60	60	...
In the Notes column, rule 94-S3 applies in the direction noted: N (North), S (South), B (Both).				

FREIGHT TRAINS				
Between/At	Track			
	Single	No. 1	No. 2	Notes
NL Tower A & Crawford	...	40	40	...
NL Tower A & ABS 1.8	...	25	25	...
While Passing over High-Line Bridge MP BH 1.13	...	25	25	...
Canal St. MP BH 5.3 & Grove St. OH Br MP BH 6.1	...	30	30	...
Crawford & Wilbur	...	40	40	...
No. 4 Track..... 30 MPH				
Wilbur & CPF-BY	...	40	40	...

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138-H1. Highway Grade Crossings

Crossing Name	MP	Type	Track	Notes
Canal Street	BH 5.3	PMS/MCO	1 & 2	...
High Street	BH 5.4	PMS/MCO	1 & 2	1, 2
Sweetheart Plastic South (Private)	BH 14.9	MCO	1 & 2	...
Sweetheart Plastic North (Private)	BH 15.4	MCO/ACO	1 & 2	3
<p>Engine whistle or horn signal 19(b) must not be sounded at any crossing listed except those crossings identified in the note column by the letter B (Both), N (North) or S (South) indicating the direction in which the signal must be sounded. Engine horn may be sounded in case of emergency.</p> <p>Note 1: A crossing tender is on duty from 7:00 A.M. to 2:00 A.M., daily.</p> <p>Note 2: Inbound trains making station stop at West Medford must spot lead truck of their train on the pavement on the north side of the crossing.</p> <p>Note 3: On the No. 1 track only after protection has been interrupted, trains must not occupy the crossing until the protection has been operating for at least 20 seconds, or if equipped with gates, they are in the horizontal position.</p>				

500-H1. Switches Equipped with Electric Locks

The following hand-operated switches are equipped with an electric lock:

Location	Track	Switch
MP BH 1.9	1	Yard 10
MP BH 1.8	2	Yard 8
MP BH 8.1	2	Swanton St. Yard (1400 ft)
MP BH 9.1	2	Montvale Yard
MP BH 11.2	2	Rothstein
MP BH 13.3	1	Crusader Paper
MP BH 13.9	2	Dragon Cement
MP BH 15.7	1	Northbound Passing (1100 ft)
MP BH 21.6	2	B & B Branch (PAR)
MP BH 22.8	2	Corenco

37-H2. Speedometer Checking: Measured Miles

The distance between the following miles are measured miles. Marker posts are installed at these locations:

- MP BH 3 and MP BH 4
- MP BH 9 and MP BH 10
- MP BH 18 and MP BH 19

41-H1. Freight Car Restrictions, AAR Plate F

Cars Exceeding AAR Plate F must receive Special Clearance from Keolis Engineering department to operate on ALL Tracks between Tower A and CPF-BY.

41-H2. Freight Car Restrictions

Freight cars with a clearance designation of Plate "F" must not exceed 10 MPH while passing under Butters Row OH Br MP BH 14.48, and while passing under Shawsheen Ave. OH Br. BH 15.67.

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