Progress Rail has strong roots in recycling – in fact, our business was founded on it. While we have broadened our industry expertise to cover the entire rail value chain, recycling is still the heartbeat of our company. Our ability to safely recycle material while extending the life of viable components allows us to provide incremental value for your scrap metal. Our global reach ensures direct access to steel mills and foundries – enabling our clients to manage scrap as an asset.

Integration helps set us apart in the industry. When locomotives and railcars are retired, we refurbish the reusable parts, incorporating them into our extensive inventory, and we recycle what remains. The proceeds on the sale of the scrap can be used to offset new equipment or services. This positively affects your cash flow.

We are committed to building a better world by applying environmental principles to our daily work.
AREAS OF FOCUS:

- Enterprise Scrap Management
- Steel Mill Relationships
- Foundry Relationships
- Railroad Scrap Demolition
- Derailment Mobile Crew Services
- Industrial Scrap Metal Account Management
- Locomotive Dismantling
- Logistics
- Worldwide Import/Export

CAPABILITIES:

Scrap Handling & Processing
Our Recycling operations are capable of handling ferrous and non-ferrous grades of metal. We are able to process up to 1,200 tons of scrap per day through our large, shredder operations, whereas our mobile and stationary shears can process anywhere from 200 to 250 tons of material per day.

Inbound & Outbound Shipping Options
We are proud to offer a fleet of new and well-maintained trucks for your inbound shipping needs. We also own a large fleet of railcars for inbound and outbound shipping needs. For other outbound options, we not only have the ability to ship materials by rail or truck, but also by barge to make sure your material gets where it needs go.

Service
We offer 24/7 container service – from the point of call in for service to actual container pickup. Our team is ready to serve you, ensuring you receive same day payment for your scrap materials, and offers other payment options, as well.

COMMITMENT TO SUSTAINABILITY
Sustainability is not only a highlight of Our Values in Action as a part of Caterpillar – it is an action we take into account every day in the communities where we live and work – whether recycling end-of-life components, railroad materials or repowering or refurbishing a locomotive. We continuously examine ways to create innovative and sustainable products and improve upon our processes to maintain our standing as a rail industry leader.