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Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the Proposed Canadian National Railway Company Acquisition of the Elgin, Joliet and Eastern Railway Company

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The increase railroad traffic will forever change the quality of life in Barrington for the worse. ~~No longer~~ If the purchase goes through and the 2 mile freight trains start coming through our town, then my family will no longer be able to rely on Police, Fire & Emergency services to reach our home and our schools in a timely manner in the case of an emergency. It could take emergency vehicles an additional 10 minutes to reach us which could mean life or death. In addition, the hazardous materials that are going to be transported through our town pose an enormous risk to the surrounding towns. Our entire community is at risk so that the CN Railroad can make more millions at the expense of tax paying Americans. I say NO NO NO. I have lived in Barrington my whole life and this will ruin our community forever.

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