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We are opposed to the CN's request to purchase the EJ & E Railroad for a number of reasons. The reasons are related to the quality of life in Northwest Indiana. Specifically, the three-fold increase in the number of trains, increased wait times at crossing due to increased train length, and increased pollution in an already industrial area. This proposed purchase will negatively impact efforts to expand the Gary/Chicago Airport and the South Shore Line. The latter two expansions are sorely needed for Northwest Indiana. Also, as a resident of Munster, Indiana, we are inconvenienced daily by CN trains stopping for long periods at the CN tracks on White Oak Avenue. The CN Railroad demonstrates little regard currently towards the safety and time of residents who must cross these tracks numerous times each day. Please vote "no" to the CN purchase of the EJ & E Railroad.