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BUREAU OF RECREATION AND CONSERVATION

October 30, 2009

Ms. Diana Wood
Surface Transportation Board
Case Control Unit
Washington, DC 20423

RE: Environmental Project Reviews – 2009

Docket No. AB-290 (Sub-No. 314X)

Project Name: Norfolk Southern Railway

Description: Proposed Abandonment

Milepost XN 0.00 – Milepost XN 2.04

Location: City of Latrobe, Westmoreland County

Log Code: 550 Request Date: September 24, 2009

Dear Ms. Wood:

The Pennsylvania Department of Conservation and Natural Resources supports the efforts of the Latrobe-Unity Park and Recreation Department, the Latrobe Foundation and Westmoreland County Parks and Recreation Department for the issuance of a public use condition and possible development of a rail-trail between mileposts XN 0.00 and XN 2.04 in the City of Latrobe, Pennsylvania.

Should you have any questions regarding our review, process or recommendations, contact me at the above address.

Sincerely,

Terry L. Hough
Environmental Planner
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cc: Sara J. Nicholas, Policy Specialist, DCNR, Office of Policy and Planning
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