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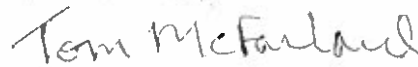
Re: STB Docket No. AB-1269X, *Iowa Traction Railway Company -- Discontinuance of Service Exemption -- in Cerro Gordo County, IA*

Dear Ms. Gosselin:

Hereby forwarded is a copy of an environmental comment on behalf of the National Geodetic Survey in the above proceeding dated April 1, 2019 (no geodetic survey marks located in the abandonment area).

Iowa Traction Railway Company is continuing to work with the State Historic Preservation Office for Iowa to complete the Section 106 historic preservation process.

Very truly yours,



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Subject: NGS Response, STB Docket No.AB-1269X

Date: Mon, Apr 1, 2019 5:44 pm

Sorry for the delay in processing your request due to the existing backlog exacerbated by the recent government shutdown.

Thank you for sharing your updated railroad abandonment environmental report for

Mason City, Cerro Gordo County, Iowa

No geodetic survey marks were located in the area described.

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