

**Congresswoman Melissa Bean
Legislative Message Sheet**

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Issue or Comment:

I oppose Canadian National's proposed acquisition of the EJ+E operating the rail lines that travel through Lake Zurich and surrounding communities.

I oppose the acquisition due to the increase in freight traffic and the impact it will have on traffic in the community. In addition I am very concerned about the location of the tracks near the high school and elementary school in Lake Zurich. Currently it is located next to the school and proposes a risk to students who cross the tracks on the way to and from school. In addition if an accident occurred spilling wastes into the community this could be disastrous given the location of the school.

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