



Environmental Impact Statement

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

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Over the 15 years we have lived on Main St., near the train tracks, we have experienced a number of Safety & inconvenience issues. We have had our babies awakened by the trains in the night, had difficulties getting out of our driveway due to backups caused by crossing gates and more sadly have had children in our town hit by trains. It seems completely reasonable to assume that this proposed plan will put our home values and the safety of our children at ^{an increased} risk. There is a high-school within a half-mile of the tracks, everyday at 3pm there is a procession of people & cars - many wearing ipods or texting on their phones that are already an accident waiting to happen even without the increased traffic.

I AM AGAINST THIS PROPOSAL

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