

1 SCOPING MEETING FOR THE PROPOSED CANADIAN
2 NATIONAL RAILWAY COMPANY ACQUISITION OF THE
3 ELGIN, JOLIET AND EASTERN RAILWAY COMPANY
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8 STATEMENT OF:
9 MARION HUBBARD
10 AUGUST 27, 2008
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1 MS. HUBBARD: Marion, M-A-R-I-O-N,
2 Hubbard, H-U-B-B-A-R-D.
3 I don't believe they realize that
4 the number of railway crossings that bisect the

5 community of Barrington, you cannot get around.

6 And they have not really addressed
7 the issue of the amount of traffic that's on US
8 Route 14, that it backs up even now with the
9 normal EJ&E train of maybe fifty cars, it can back
10 up from the railroad tracks on 14 all the way up
11 to Route 59. And why that road, why 14 was not
12 included on the impact of road, whatever they call
13 it there, amazes me.

14 Also, if this goes through, it will
15 essentially kill Barrington as a town. Maybe not
16 in three years, but five years, ten years. They
17 might just as well wipe it off with an atomic bomb
18 right now.

19 That's it in a nutshell. I'm
20 pretty irate at this point that that road is not
21 considered.

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