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

I am opposed, strongly, to the CN purchase and running of the EJ&E Railroad. We live in this area, conduct our business in this area and traffic is just a nightmare to begin with. We live kind of near the Route 59 and I-55 section and any traveling into or out of Joliet, into or out of around Plainfield is already difficult enough and there have been many times we've been stuck by a trains with long lines and I know the amount of trains traveling each day, crossing each day is going to raise significantly. This places a significant burden upon the residents, upon those who work here, or come and try to do business and maintain business in any of the areas affected and commute, just what a hassle it would be. My also, my main concern, major concern, I have two children and any holdups getting my, anyone in an emergency to or from a hospital, I mean ambulances getting here, fire trucks getting here, who knows how things will be altogether worked out, but when that many trains are coming through, with the length of number of cars, the time it'll take for each train to pass through the area, the noise, the congestion, the pollution, the everything is just wrong. This should be avoided, the whole situation could be avoided by just cancelling out, by not allowing the purchase of the EJ&E Railroad by this CN acquisition team. So thank you for hearing our comments. My husband is of like mind, his name is Marcos Jones, if he doesn't call in, we would still want to have it voted as there's another person, it's an entire family who's very strongly against the purchase of the EJ&E by CNN, by CN. Thank you very much for hearing and please vote against, do not allow the acquisition to be come into effect. Thank you so much. Bye