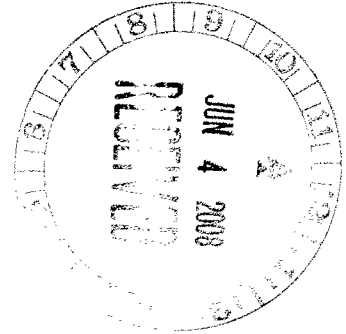


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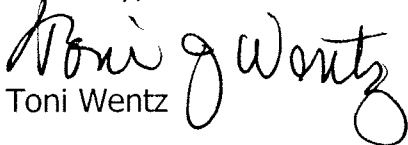
Dear Secretary Quinlan:

I am writing to ask you to support CN's planned purchase of a portion of the Elgin, Joliet & Eastern rail line so that they can relocate the majority of freight traffic.

As a long-time resident of Chicagoland, I have often been forced to adjust my plans to accommodate the freight trains which continually cause delays. On more than one occasion, I have had to wait for as long as 30 minutes in my car while a freight train passed through an intersection. While I understand the need to move goods via freight trains, I have also seen firsthand that Chicago has grown over the years since the rail lines were first mapped out. Now is the time to ease some of the traffic on those lines and bring much-needed relief to the people who live here.

Please vote to allow CN to purchase a segment of EJ&E and help us get moving again. Thank you for your attention.

Sincerely,


Toni Wentz

cc: Senator Dick Durbin
Senator Barack Obama
Congressman Daniel Lipinski