

Surface Transportation Board
Office of Environmental Analysis
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Dear Mr. Navecky:

I would like to express my concerns over the proposed Great Lakes Basin Transportation, LLC rail line project. Docket # 35952. I oppose the project and ask the Surface Transportation Board to deny the proposal. My concerns are:

- ① Good productive farmland, from my farm, will be put out of production because too much land is needed for rail line right of way.
- ② A huge concern for our area is if train derails carrying toxic products + causes a spill in fields, hazmat + emergency vehicles can't get to the accident scene because of our heavy, wet soil therefore causing crews to become stuck or hung up. Therefore toxic products will run into water stream contaminating all water in the area.
- ③ Our area does not have the necessary emergency vehicles to control a dangerous spill if train becomes derailed. We are just not prepared for this rail line!!!

We would appreciate it very much if the STB would visit our farm and see our many concerns.

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