

Railroad Surface Transportation Board

To Whom it may Concern

I am 94 years old and have owned this property since 1975 which is 42 years.

If this rail proposal goes thru it will cut my farm in the middle and I will have a small amount left on both ends with no way to get to the one end.

This will destroy my income from this farm.

It will also impeded the crossings for fire fighters and school bus crossing.

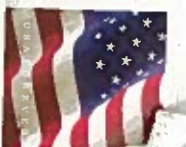
This will also affect the drainage on my farm which was tiled completely several years ago.

I hope you will take these considerations on behalf of my future family members.

Sincerely
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