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Surface Transportation Board
395 E Street, SW
Washington, DC 20423

Attention: Phillis Johnson-Ball
Environmental Filing
STB Finance Docket No. 35087

I would like to voice my concerns about the Canadian National Railway Company's acquisition of the EJ & E rail line. I live in southwest Naperville near the EJ & E line. Presently, I can hear the horn blowing when trains go by. It is not a problem when only a few trains go by per day. We bought our home because of its quiet setting. I can't imagine listening to the horn blowing constantly. If Canadian National is allowed to acquire the lines and bring all those trains through, I think they should be required to pay for all the necessary adjustments like crossings that don't require horn blowing or major traffic congestion. I travel through Plainfield often and it is obvious what more train traffic will do to the traffic congestion in that town.

Please consider the quality of life for all of the residents who live near the EJ & E rail lines.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Laurel LaLonde".

Laurel LaLonde
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