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Environmental Impact Statement

Scoping Comment for the Proposed Canadian National Railway Company Acquisition of the Elgin, Joliet and Eastern Railway Company

STB Finance Docket No. 35087

Comment Form

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How Do I Submit Comments?

- **Written Comments:** Complete and submit this form at the public open house scoping meeting, or follow the directions on the reverse side of this sheet to mail your comments.
- **Recorded Comments:** Provide your comments to a member of the project team or court reporter at this public open house scoping meeting, or call the toll-free project information line: 1-800-347-0689.
- **Electronic Comments:** Submit electronic comments by visiting the Surface Transportation Board's website, www.stb.dot.gov, under the heading "E-Filing."

Please refer to STB Finance Docket No. 35087 in all correspondence addressed to the Surface Transportation Board. Comments must be submitted by February 1, 2008.

WE HAVE BEEN TOLD CN WANTS TAXPAYER MONEY FOR "IMPROVEMENTS".
 THIS RAILROAD DISASTER WILL KILL THE TOWN OF BARRINGTON.
 NO ONE WILL PUT UP WITH THE DEVASTATING CONGESTION TO
 SHOP THE LOCAL MERCHANTS. PROPERTY VALUES OF RESIDENTIAL
 LAND WILL PLUMMET ALONG WITH COMMERCIAL DEMISE.
 THERE IS NO WAY A RAILROAD OF THIS ilk CAN BE COMPATABLE
 WITH WILDLIFE OR ENVIRONMENT + YOU KNOW IT. THE SOUL OF
 THESE COMMUNITIES YOU ARE MURDERING IS WHAT MAKES THIS
 PART OF SUBURBAN CHICAGO VALUABLE - THAT SOUL IS BORN OF
 QUIETUDE + CLEANLINESS + NATURE + SMALL TOWN CHARM.
 CHICAGO WAS CONCEIVED AS A RAILROAD CITY AND SO IT OUGHT
 TO REMAIN. LET TRAINS GO THERE. DO YOU REALLY WANT TO KILL THE
 TRAFFIC CONGESTION WILL ISOLATE GOOD SHEPHERD HOSPITAL.
 THE CONTINUAL FREIGHT TRAINS WILL PROBABLY BE THE CAUSE
 OF CHILDREN'S DEATH. IF YOU THINK THIS IS FARFETCHED YOU
 OUGHT TO THINK AGAIN FOR THOSE TRACKS ARE NOT ONLY NEXT
 TO THE HIGH SCHOOL BUT FAMILY ORIENTED HOUSING DEVELOPMENTS.
 GETTING THROUGH BARRINGTON AT ANY HOUR WILL BE TERRIBLE
 NOISE + THE AGGRAVATING THUMP + VIBRATION WILL RUIN THE AREA'S
 CHARACTER. POLLUTION WILL ENVELOPE THE LAND. ALL THIS FOR THE POCKET
 OF A CANADIAN RR, YET - BAD ENOUGH IF AMERICAN. WE ALL KNOW THIS
 CONDITION WILL ONLY GET WORSE WITH MORE TRAINS + RUIN.

What scoping meeting did you attend? (Please circle): Mundelein, Barrington, Joliet, Matteson, Gary, West Chicago, Chicago.

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OUR INPUT IS IMPORTANT!

Comments provided by the public help determine the scope of the environmental review.