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I am definitely not in favor of this. I just don't think that it would help our economy at all, the state that it's in, to have railroads like this going through, um you know, where there are homes and people, I think it would devalue the property value, not only that, also the safety issues on what these trains would be hauling. In fact, presently I know um I believe they're just wondering in Daltry-or something-just some other area, I know there's a high percentage of cancer in that area and trains would go by there, you know, hauling different chemicals and stuff and whether that has anything to do with it, nobody really knows now, but I know that's a concern, so I think it's something that we have to definitely consider in terms of the safety for people in our country and also for the economy in our country. I think we have to start thinking um in that way of the little guy, rather than the big corporate people who are, you know, making decisions that hurt the little person, but they themselves walk away with millions of dollars, just with the uh new insurance company, AIG, so I think it's just something we really have to consider. Thank you