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Town of Griffith
111 North Broad Street
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RE: The Proposed Purchase of EJ&E
Railroad by Canadian National
Railroad

To Whom It May Concern:

We, the owners of TLC Plumbing, Inc., strongly protest the purchase of the EJ&E Railroad by the Canadian National Railroad due to the negative impact this will have on our business.

TLC Plumbing, Inc., is located in the heart of downtown Griffith. Consequently, a large majority of our employees must cross those tracks to get to work each day. Further, almost every plumber has to cross those tracks going to jobs each day. The time we will waste each and every day, waiting for trains, will be detrimental to us, as a company. We will, in essence, be paying our employees to sit and wait for trains while they are trying to get to their jobs.

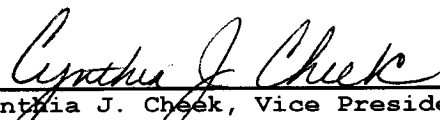
The amount of time, wages and fuel lost due to the large increase of train traffic through Town will be economically and financially detrimental to us.

We, therefore, strongly protest the acquisition of the EJ&E by Canadian National.

Sincerely,

TLC PLUMBING, INC.


Terry L. Cheek, President


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