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## VIA E-FILE

Ms. Cynthia T. Brown  
Chief of the Section of Administration  
Office of Proceedings Surface Transportation Board  
395 E. Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20423

Re: **CSX Transportation, Inc.**, Abandonment and Discontinuance of Service Exemption in the City of Richmond and Henrico County, VA – STB Docket No. - AB-55 (Sub-No. 726X)  
**Norfolk Southern Railway Company**, Abandonment and Discontinuance of Service Exemption in the City of Richmond and Henrico County, VA - STB Docket No. AB-290 (Sub-No. 303X)

Dear Ms. Brown:

I am writing on behalf of the City of Richmond, Virginia to request a 180-day extension for the deadline for negotiations with CSX Transportation, Inc. (CSXT) and Norfolk Southern Railroad (NSR) regarding the Notice of Interim Trail Use in the above-captioned proceeding.

The City of Richmond has been negotiating with CSXT and NSR; all parties are in agreement but need additional time to continue and complete negotiations.

In addition, the City of Richmond respectfully requests a waiver of the Board's filing fee in accordance with 49 C.F.R. 1002.2(e)(1).

Sincerely,

Byron C. Marshall  
Chief Administrative Officer

c: Robert Wimbush, Esq.  
Steven Armbrust, Esq.  
Louis E. Gitomer, Esq.

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