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# Northern Columbia Basin Railroad Project

Grant County International Airport  
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The Surface Transportation Board, which has jurisdiction over freight rail construction, and the Washington State Department of Transportation are jointly leading the required environmental review of a proposed rail construction project in the Moses Lake area, called the Northern Columbia Basin Railroad Project. The Port of Moses Lake has proposed this project to encourage economic development and the continued use and preservation of rail in the region.

Your comments on the alternative alignments and possible environmental and community impacts of the project will be valuable input for the environmental analysis. Please leave your comments with us tonight or send them to Elizabeth Phinney, Rail Environmental Manager, by email, phinnee@wsdot.wa.gov, by fax, (360) 765-6821, or by mail, WA St. Dept. of Transportation, Freight Systems Division, PO Box 47407, Olympia, WA 98504-7407 by **Thursday, August 9, 2007.**

### Please tell us what you think

*I strongly support the new trackage system to serve Port of Moses Lake property and businesses at the Moses Lake airport. The relocation, in segment 1, 2 & 3 plan is necessary. The existing line is a separate question whose time for abandonment is 3-5 yrs away. But the area really needs the new direct line.*

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To add your name to the mailing list, please tell us the following:

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Thank you!