



RE: AB 33 (Sub-No. 268X)
Striffler, Scot to: Catherine.Glidden
Sent by: Scot.M.Striffler@uscg.mil

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History: This message has been replied to.

Cathy,

FYI - Mr. Shumate forwarded my email to him this morning to the Engineering Dept. at UPRR HQ. The gentleman I spoke to stated that the Milwaukee River swing bridge is not part of the current abandonment action. We talked about the future of the swing bridge and discussed another bridge of theirs in Milwaukee. I will follow up with them after the first of the year on those.

So it looks like the swing bridge will not be part of your action on this after all. We may have to work with them on other issues but nothing connected with your abandonment process. Good news for you I think!

Thanks again for connecting us with the right people in UP. Hope you have a great holiday and take good care,

Scot

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-----Original Message-----

From: Catherine.Glidden@stb.dot.gov [mailto:Catherine.Glidden@stb.dot.gov]
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Subject: AB 33 (Sub-No. 268X)

Dear Mr. Shumate,

I understand that UP is currently in negotiations with the City of Milwaukee regarding trails use in the above proceeding and that an extension for a NITU has been granted by the Board. However, you should know that I have had an inquiry from the Coast Guard regarding a swing bridge over the Milwaukee River.

Can you tell which of the bridges included in the above proceeding spans the Milwaukee River? Also, is it a swing bridge? I've gone back and looked at the historic and environmental report submitted by UP in 2008; however, the report does not make it clear which of the bridges noted spans the river. Upon examination of the photos included in the report, none of these bridges appears to be a swing bridge.

Is a photo of the Milwaukee River Bridge included in the report? If not, could you provide me with a photograph of the bridge that crosses the river as well as the mile post associated with the resource? Can you also confirm if the bridge is a swing bridge?

Thank you for assistance in this matter!

All the best,

-Cathy

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