



CN E&E

Environmental Impact Statement

Scoping Comment for the Proposed Canadian National Railway Company Acquisition of the Elgin, Joliet and Eastern Railway Company STB Finance Docket No. 35087

Comment Form

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How Do I Submit Comments?

- **Written Comments:** Complete and submit this form at the public open house scoping meeting, or follow the directions on the reverse side of this sheet to mail your comments.
- **Recorded Comments:** Provide your comments to a member of the project team or court reporter at this public open house scoping meeting, or call the toll-free project information line: 1-800-347-0689.
- **Electronic Comments:** Submit electronic comments by visiting the Surface Transportation Board's website, www.stb.dot.gov, under the heading "E-Filing."

Please refer to STB Finance Docket No. 35087 in all correspondence addressed to the Surface Transportation Board. Comments must be submitted by February 1, 2008.

To this CN proposition, I have four main concerns.

1st They are planning on increasing our freight train count by 400%! You've got to be kidding!

2nd School District 220 buses cross these tracks 400 times daily - Those buses get kids to school safely + on-time these are both in jeopardy.

3rd With an average of 5 minutes per train, Emergency Rescue vehicles (fire trucks, ambulances) are going to be delayed. This is a life + death situation.

4th The average freight train time at one crossing is equivalent to 7 traffic lights! Just one traffic light will annoy the heck out of people!

Surely, you cannot let this happen to our poor, innocent town.

Thank you for your Consideration,
Connor Maythier

What scoping meeting did you attend? (Please circle): Mundelein, Barrington, Joliet, Matteson, Gary, West Chicago, Chicago.

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YOUR INPUT IS IMPORTANT!

Comments provided by the public help determine the scope of the environmental review.

Please!