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Secretary  
Surface Transportation Board  
395 East Street SW  
Washington, DC 20423-0001



RE: Docket No. AB 449 (Sub-No. 3X) -  
Request of Extension of Time for a Period of 180 Days  
To enable Local Government Agency to Negotiate the  
Acquisition of Line for Public Use

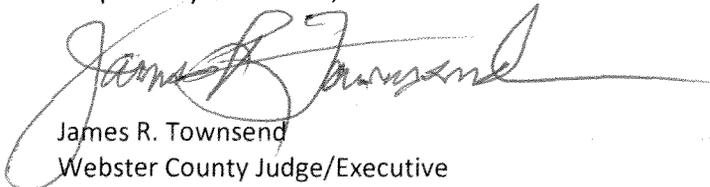
Dear Secretary:

This request is for an additional extension of time on behalf of Webster County, Kentucky. This extension request will allow Webster County time to continue negotiations with West Kentucky Railway for possession of abandoned property for public use.

Webster County is continuing to work with the Kentucky Tourism, Arts and Heritage Cabinet concerning the West Kentucky Railway project and would like this additional 180 day extension to pursue the project further.

We anticipate action on this project soon and appreciate your patience. If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact me at 270-639-5042.

Respectfully Submitted,

  
James R. Townsend  
Webster County Judge/Executive

cc: Eric Hocky, Clark Hill PLC  
Don Parkinson, Secretary, Kentucky Tourism, Arts and Heritage Cabinet

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