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Re: Docket No. AB 6 (Sub-No. 482X), BNSF Railway Company --
Abandonment Exemption -- in Cook County, Illinois

Dear Ms. Brown:

This is in response to the request filed January 29, 2013, on behalf of the City of Chicago, for issuance of a Notice of Interim Trail Use ("NITU"), under the National Trails System Act, 16 U.S.C. § 1247(d), for the rail line located between Station 36 + 70, north of the Chicago Sanitary and Ship Canal Bridge, and Station 149 + 87, at the end of the track near Western Avenue, in Cook County, Illinois.

BNSF Railway Company ("BNSF") hereby notifies the Surface Transportation Board that BNSF does not object to the issuance of the requested NITU.

If you have any questions, please call me.



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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Karl Morell". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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cc: Mr. Gabe Klein