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Cynthia T. Brown, Chief  
Section of Administration, Office of Proceedings  
Surface Transportation Board  
395 E Street, SW  
Washington DC 20423-0001

Re: *Central of Georgia Railroad Company – Abandonment Exemption – In  
Newton County, Georgia, STB Docket No. AB-290 (Sub-No. 343X)*

Dear Ms. Brown:

I am writing on behalf of Central of Georgia Railroad Company (“CGA”), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Norfolk Southern Railway Company, to advise you that CGA consents to the request of Newton County Trail Path Foundation, Inc. (“Newton Trail”) for a 180-day extension of the trails use negotiation period under the Board’s previously-issued notice of interim trails use (“NITU”) in the above-referenced proceeding. CGA also hereby reiterates its willingness to negotiate toward a possible interim trails use arrangement for the subject railroad line segment in accordance with general the scope and terms of Newton Trail’s NITU request of July 26, 2013.

Please let me know if you have any questions concerning this filing.

Sincerely,



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Attorney for Central of Georgia  
Railroad Company

cc: All parties of record  
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