

TOWN OF POSEYVILLE

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Ms. Cynthia T. Brown, Chief
Section of Administration
Office of Proceedings
Surface Transportation Board
395 E. Street, S.W.
Washington, DC 20423

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**Re: STB Docket No. AB-1065X, Indiana Southwester Railway Co.
Abandonment Exemption - in Posey and Vanderburgh Counties, IN**

Dear Ms. Brown,

This constitutes the Town of Poseyville, Indiana's official request that a decision of the Board by service date of April 8th, 2011 finding the Town as not financially qualified be overturned or held in abeyance. The Board granted the railroad's appeal to find the Town as not financially qualified because the Board determined the Town has neither the resources nor access to the resources to purchase the lines. **The Town has secured a commitment for financing in the amount of One Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$1,500,000.00) from M&I Bank of Indianapolis, Indiana for the purchase of the lines.**

The Town is very interested in proceeding with an OFA for the lines.

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Yours truly,



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Attorney for the Town of Poseyville, Indiana

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Enclosures

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