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Vernon Williams, Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
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RE: Surface Transportation Board Docket No. AB6(Sub-No 408x);
Burlington Northern and Santa Fe Railway Company (BNSF). Milepost
9.63 near Marquette to Milepost 17.50 near Central City in Hamilton and
Merrick Counties, Nebraska.

Dear Secretary Williams:

This letter faxed to you today is a request for clarification of our request of
October 6, 2006 for an extension of an interim trail use/railbanking
(NITU) condition for the above mentioned right-of-way.

This request was made by the Nebraska Trails Foundation, Inc., a
501(c)(3) foundation on behalf of the Central City Community Trails
Committee which is organized to raise funds to build and maintain the
trail. The Merrick Foundation, which was also mentioned in our request,
is a 501(c)(3) community foundation based in Central City, Nebraska
which has pledged considerable financial support to purchase and
maintain this property.

Another change from our original request of April 6, 2004 is that the
mileposts have changed from 1.90 near Aurora to 17.50 near Central
City, a distance of 15.60 miles to Milepost 9.63 near Marquette to
Milepost 17.50 near Central City, a distance of 7.87 miles.

Should you need further information, you may contact me at 402/475-
7712 (ph) or 402-420-7712 (fax) or rgreathouse@neb.rr.com.

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Thank you for your attention to this request.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "ROSS GREATHOUSE". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, prominent "R" and "G".

Ross Greathouse
for the Nebraska Trails Foundation, Inc.

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CC: Sidney L. Strickland, Jr.
Rich Batie
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Jerry Hoffman, NTF Pres.
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