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VIA E-FILING

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

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

Dear Ms. Brown:

Indiana Southwestern Railway Co. ("ISW"), the party who seeks abandonment authority in the above-captioned abandonment notice of exemption proceeding, has received the request of the Indiana Trails Fund, Inc. seeking issuance of a trail use condition covering all of the approximately 17.2 miles of rail line within Posey and Vanderburgh Counties, IN that is the subject of ISW's abandonment notice of exemption. Board precedent states that the agency will not impose such a condition without the concurrence of the party seeking abandonment authorization. Accordingly, the purpose of this letter is to advise, in accordance with 49 C.F.R. §1152.29(b)(2) and Board precedent, that ISW is willing to negotiate interim trail use/rail banking with the Indiana Trails Fund, Inc.

Please let me know if you have any questions concerning the foregoing consent to negotiate trails use.

Sincerely,



William A. Mullins

cc: Parties of Record
Richard Vonnegut
J. Michael Carr