



Miami Tribe of Oklahoma

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Via email: Joshua.Wayland@stb.gov

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Joshua Wayland, Surface Transportation Board, c/o VHB
Attention: Environmental Filing, Docket No. FD 36500
940 Main Campus Dr Suite 500
Raleigh, NC 27606

Re: Docket No. FD 36500 Canadian Pacific Railway Ltd. Control of Kansas City Southern –
Comments of the Miami Tribe of Oklahoma

Dear Mr. Wayland:

Aya, kikwehsitoole – I show you respect. The Miami Tribe of Oklahoma, a federally recognized Indian tribe with a Constitution ratified in 1939 under the Oklahoma Indian Welfare Act of 1936, respectfully submits the following comments regarding Docket No. FD 36500.

The Miami Tribe has interest in the following areas affected by this project. Exceeded Threshold Segments: C-Chic-01, C-Chic-02, C-Chic-03, C-DAVE-01, C-DAVE-02, C-DAVE-03, C-LARE-01, C-OTTU-01, C-OTTU-02. Capital Improvement Areas: Camanche, Iowa; Chicago, Illinois; Grandview, Missouri; Letts, Iowa; MP 24 (Iowa); MP 255 (Iowa); MP 71 (Iowa); Ottumwa, Iowa.

The Tribe offers no objection to the project at this time, as we are not currently aware of existing documentation directly linking a specific Miami cultural or historic site to any of the project sites. However, given the Miami Tribe's deep and enduring relationship to its historic lands and cultural property within areas of this project, if any human remains or Native American cultural items falling under the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA) or archaeological evidence is discovered during any phase of this project, the Miami Tribe requests immediate consultation with the entity of jurisdiction for the location of discovery. In such a case, please contact me at 918-541-8966 or by email at dhunter@miamination.com to initiate consultation.

The Miami Tribe requests to serve as a consulting party to the proposed project. In my capacity as Tribal Historic Preservation Officer, I am the point of contact for consultation. I can be reached at 918-541-8966 or by email at dhunter@miamination.com.

Respectfully,

Diane Hunter

Tribal Historic Preservation Officer