



# Illinois Department of Natural Resources

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JB Pritzker, Governor  
Colleen Callahan, Director

Various County  
Ogle & DeKalb Counties  
Between Monroe Center & Fairdale  
Sections 22, 23, 24-Township:42N-Range:2E, Section:19-Township:42N-Range:3E  
STB  
Railway acquisition/merger, new construction-single track/siding - Canadian Pacific, Kansas City Southern

PLEASE REFER TO: SHPO LOG #001081622

September 7, 2022

Danielle Gosselin  
Surface Transportation Board  
Washington, DC 20423

Dear Director Gosselin:

We have reviewed the documentation submitted for the referenced project(s) in accordance with 36 CFR Part 800.4. Based upon the information provided, no historic properties are affected. We, therefore, have no objection to the undertaking proceeding as planned.

Please retain this letter in your files as evidence of compliance with section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended. This clearance remains in effect for two (2) years from date of issuance. It does not pertain to any discovery during construction, nor is it a clearance for purposes of the Illinois Human Skeletal Remains Protection Act (20 ILCS 3440).

If you are an applicant, please submit a copy of this letter to the state or federal agency from which you obtain any permit, license, grant, or other assistance. If further assistance is needed contact Jeff Kruchten, Chief Archaeologist at 217/785-1279 or [Jeffery.kruchten@illinois.gov](mailto:Jeffery.kruchten@illinois.gov).

Sincerely,

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Deputy State Historic  
Preservation Officer