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Subject: Proposed Harsimus Abandonment - September 28, 2023, Public Meeting Information
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To: Interested Parties

Re: Meeting Information - Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act Online Public Meeting on September 28, 2023, re: Conrail's proposed abandonment of the Harsimus Branch in Jersey City, NJ, Docket No. AB-167 (Sub-No. 1189X)

The Surface Transportation Board's Office of Environmental Analysis (OEA) is hosting a Section 106 public meeting online, on September 28, 2023, in the pending rail-line abandonment proceeding referenced above. The meeting will be held virtually and will start at 5:00pm EST and conclude at 9:00pm EST. The purpose of this meeting is to update the public on the case and the status of the Section 106 process, and to provide an additional opportunity to comment on the current status of the case.

The agenda is as follows:

- Welcome and Introductions
- Presentation by OEA – Section 106 Process Update
- Public Comments on the status of the case
- Wrap Up and Next Steps

OEA anticipates significant interest in this meeting. Given the potentially large number of attendees who may wish to speak and OEA's desire to permit as many members of the public to speak as possible, the Zoom meeting has been set up so that each speaker will have up to 3 minutes to provide their remarks. Attendees who wish to comment are encouraged to pre-register by contacting Karen Stevens at Karen.Stevens@stb.gov or 202-245-0304. Once pre-registered commenters have spoken, all other attendees will have the opportunity to provide comments if time allows.

To sign up for the meeting, please click the following link:

<https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJltf-muqjlqHwFL6t68ih8dpwboGSduj2s>

You will then receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting. For more information or to request reasonable accommodations, please contact Karen Stevens at Karen.Stevens@stb.gov or 202-245-0304.

OEA encourages your participation at the meeting and looks forward to hearing your comments.

Thanks very much.

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