



March 26, 2025

John Fiorilla
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Re: STB
Proposed Abandonment and Discontinuance of Portions of Mohawk Adirondack & Northern RR
Corp Lines: Portion 1 and 2
Jefferson and Lewis Counties, NY
23PR07205
STB Docket No. AB-768

Dear John Fiorilla:

Thank you for continuing to consult with the New York State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO). We have reviewed the documentation submitted in accordance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966. These comments are those of the SHPO and relate only to Historic/Cultural resources.

We have reviewed the letter from John Herbrand dated February 25, 2025, the email from John Fiorilla dated March 11, 2025, and the additional supplementary information submitted to our office. It is now SHPO's opinion that the Mohawk, Adirondack & Northern Railroad line (USN 04940.000345) is not eligible for listing in State and National Registers of Historic Places. However, we note that a portion of the project area extends into the Lowville Historic District. Based upon our review of all project information, it is SHPO's opinion that the proposed work will have No Adverse Effect upon historic properties.

If you have any questions, feel free to call me at (518-268-2164).

Sincerely,

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