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U.S. Surface Transportation Board
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Re: STB Finance Docket 36299 Soo Line Railroad Company Petition for Declaratory Order and Preliminary Injunction - Interchange with Canadian National

Dear Ms. Brown:

I am writing on behalf of the business community in Bartlett, IL to address the prolonged railroad backups on West Bartlett, Stearns, and Spaulding Roads. The village has tried to address these concerns with CN and CP on numerous occasions. We understand that there is a proposal by CN to move the interchange operations from Spaulding and reduce at-grade blocked crossings. On behalf of the Bartlett area businesses and residents affected by lengthy delays and safety concerns when cut off from emergency police and fire services, the Bartlett Area Chamber is in support of this request. We ask that you **DO NOT** require the railroads to continue interchanging at Spaulding. The last 10 years have negatively impacted the operations of our local businesses, affecting sales, as well as employee and customer ease of access to many locations. Moving the interchange would not only improve traffic flow, it would increase the safety of our residents and offer greater accessibility to business locations west of the track, also providing better access to police, fire and ambulance services. We appreciate the opportunity to submit the Chamber's concerns.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Nanette Gudenkauf". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Nanette Gudenkauf
Chamber President

Sam Hughes

From: Sam Hughes
Sent: Thursday, June 13, 2019 9:12 AM
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Subject: CN/CP Interchange-Bartlett Letters
Attachments: HT CN CP Interchange Letter 6.3.19.pdf; Letter to C. Brown 06.04.2019.pdf; U.S. Surface Transportation Board - Bartlett Fire.pdf; Bartlett Chamber Letter.pdf

Hello,

Please find the attached letters regarding FD 36299- CN/CP interchange in Bartlett, IL for your review.
Thank you,

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Thank you,

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