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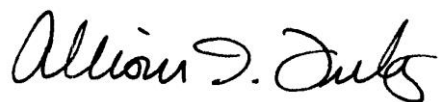
Re: *City and County of Denver – Petition for Declaratory Order*, STB Docket No. FD 36263

The Denver Rock Island Railroad Company v. The City and County of Denver, STB Docket No. NOR 42162

Dear Ms. Brown:

The City and County of Denver, Colorado (City) and Denver Rock Island Railroad Company (DRIR) have been participating in Board-sponsored mediation in the above-referenced proceeding. The initial mediation period is scheduled to expire on May 30, 2019. Pursuant to 49 C.F.R. § 1109.3(b), the City and DRIR jointly request that the Board extend the mediation period in this proceeding until June 24, 2019. The parties are continuing voluntary negotiations and believe that it is beneficial to keep the mediation period open until negotiations have concluded and the parties have entered into the anticipated agreements in connection with these matters. Counsel for DRIR have authorized me to confirm that DRIR joins in this request.

Sincerely,



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