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Message:

The September 11th National Memorial Trail Alliance opposes the petition for rule-making filed by the National Association of Reversionary Property Owners before the Surface Transportation Board that would limit the number of extensions available during a trail negotiation process below the current amount.

The current limit for extensions seems to have created no substantive burdens for any of the entities involved, as evidenced by the American Association of Railroads also asking that this change be rejected. We would support their position and urge the Surface Transportation Board to leave this policy unchanged.