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Phillis Johnson-Ball
STB Finance Docket No. 35087
Surface Transportation Board
395 E Street, S.W.
Washington, DC 20423-0001

Dear Ms. Johnson-Ball,

I am writing to express my concerns about the sale of the EJ&E to CN.

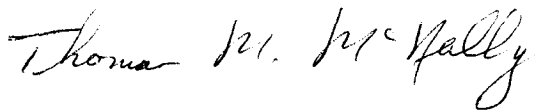
I am a senior citizen on social security and one of many whose largest asset is their home. My home borders the railroad tracks and its value will take a significant drop if this sale is approved because of the increase in traffic. We have already seen a large drop in value due to the mortgage crisis.

I am also concerned about the delay the increased traffic will cause for emergency vehicles. I am disabled and may be in need of these services.

If this sale is approved it will have a significant effect on mine and others quality of life. Please do not put us further in the hole.

Sincerely,

Signature



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