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Message: I am against the sale of the E.J.&E. to the CN rail line. The trains that they run will make travel north/south on our roads very difficule for all of our crossings are at grade level and they are not providing \$\$\$\$ to build overpasses to faciliate the movement of traffic. The length of trains and proposed number would in effect cut the community into two parts with no way to bypass the problem.

The hazardous material that they transport would be in area that are not fully equipted to handle that at a high level.

The school district had schools and students on both sides of the tracks and getting the students back in forth in a timely manner is critical to the school day. Long trains during the day would make that almost impossible to accomplish.

In the case of an emergency the first responders would not have a free flow of men and equiptment to respond the call.

There are no positive impacts on the village with the purchase only negative.

The CN rail line has no intentions of doing anything to assist the various communities that it will be negatively impacting; the only benefit is to CN and they do not do upkeep on their current lines how will they treat our communities when problem occures. They are not good neighbors.