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Rail Customer and Public Assistance

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Issue Type: *

- ☐ New US Railroad Issue
☒ Feedback

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- ☒ Midwest
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Issues: ☒ Rail Service
☒ Rate Level/Increases
☐ Car Supply
☐ Demurrage Charges
☐ Fuel Surcharge
☐ Information Request
☐ Other

Railroads Involved:
Canadian National and the EJ&E purchase
Location of Problem:
EJ&E rail line
Name of Industry at Location:
Serving Rail Carrier at Location:
Dates Problem Occurred:

Comments:

I am filing this feedback in response to the proposed sale of the EJ&E rail line to the Canadian National Railroad. I live near the line and will be impacted greatly by the planned increase in rail traffic. I am not against the purchase, but think that the purchase should include fees for mitigating the at grade rail crossing. The traffic increase will cause issues with public safety, increased congestion, increased pollution due to additional time with cars idling at rail crossings. i could go on and on. I urge you to reject the purchase unless the Canadian National is ordered to mitigate the at grade crossings in the area.

Thanks

Permission given to contact the rail carrier(s)?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No