

September 24, 2008

Phillis Johnson-Ball
Surface Transportation Board
395 E. Street, SW
Washington, DC 20423

Ref: STB Finance Docket No. 35087

Dear Ms. Johnson-Ball:

As a resident of Mokena, a community that will be negatively impacted with the increased number of trains being proposed with the purchase of the E & E railroad by the CN railroad, I would like to express my concerns. I understand that the number of trains may exceed 30 trains in the future and that these trains may exceed 3 miles in length causing over 20 minute crossing delays.

I strongly believe that CN railroad is not paying for upgrades that residents of this area will have to pay for (overpasses etc) in the future. Plus all the congestion in this growing area.

Please take my concerns into consideration when making your recommendation and vote NO to the CN.

Sincerely

Rex & Marilyn Webb