

Dave Navecky, Surface Transportation Board

ATTN: Docket No. FD 35952

395 E Street SW

Washington, D.C.

Dear Board Members,

As a Kankakee County Board Member, I wish to express my opposition to the GLB Railroad proposal until all relevant concerns have been addressed. I would request that the review process be halted and the waiver of the 6 month notification period be withdrawn. There are environmental and economic impact concerns that can only be addressed when the proposal is in a more completed form. There needs to be a clearer statement of the reason for a 15,000 acre "rail port." I have specific concerns about the environmental impact of the "rail port" on the Baker Creek drainage district in Kankakee County and the impact on grain elevators and related businesses that currently service farms that will be damaged by losing land or being divided by the railroad.

Sincerely,



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