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Sent: Tuesday, May 26, 2015 3:17 PM
To: rutsonv@stb.dot.gov
Subject: Extending the comment period on the Tongue River Railroad

Dear Ms. Rutson,

I'm writing to request an extension of the public comment period for the Tongue River Railroad EIS. Thank you for the ability to consider all the impacts of this new railroad.

I work full-time plus take advantage of Montana's spectacular spring weather. I've been trying to read the document in my spare time and write good comments by June 23. I am the co-chair of a grassroots volunteer climate change organization, 350 Missoula, and I want to make sure to respond to the EIS with specific comments based on my background and analysis.

Again, thank you for the EIS. I hope I can give feedback. Give more time.

Sincerely,

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