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I oppose the Canadian National (CN) acquisition of EJ&E railroad because of several reasons:

1. I live south of the rail tracks. Everything I do involves crossing the tracks to go north several times a day. I usually cross on Gougar, Nelson, Cedar or Schoolhouse.
2. Proposal of 30 trains (3 miles in length) per day would severely impact my ability to go north thereby causing me delays (20+ minutes for each train) to reach destinations on time, due to the rail crossing closures.
3. Police, fire & medical emergencies would be delayed from meeting their destinations due to the crossing delays. This could cause fatal loss of life or property damage.
4. My son will be attending Lincolnway West, which is nearly adjacent to the tracks. The impacts to this new school due to the same impacts (noted above) would be negative to his school participation by delays to being on time to events that he's involved with.