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I have family members that live in the area and I also travel through the Barrington area for work. There is so much congestion there already with the traffic. **I am deeply opposed of the CN railroad purchase of the EJ&E.** I am also against the American taxpayers having to pay for the building infrastructure for this foreign company who already makes billions a year in profits.

I would be terribly inconvenienced with an increase in train traffic as what would happen if the CN railroad purchases the EJ&E. I think it would be a big safety concern with the high school and middle school buses that travel up and down Lake Cook Rd. I feel that property values would go down tremendously. And what about the impact it would make for us environmentally? I researched the CN railroads accident reports and with them carrying hazardous materials, there is great concern for all the outlined homes, schools, and businesses near the tracks. Please do not allow the CN to damage this great town of Barrington! Ask the taxpayers to flip the bill for their infrastructure costs. Please fight against this acquisition of the CN railroad and not allow the American taxpayers to be forced to pay for this type of railroading by a foreign corporation.

PLEASE FIGHT AGAINST THE CN RAILROAD!!

Thank you,

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