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Dear Mr. Streeter

The proposed project to abandon approximately 3.2 route miles of railroad in St. Joseph County, Indiana, as referred to in your letter received January 13, 2012, will not cause a conversion of prime farmland.

If you need additional information, please contact Lisa Bolton at 317-290-3200, extension 342.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jane E. Hardisty".

JANE E. HARDISTY
State Conservationist

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