



Uinta Basin Railway

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT

How do I Submit Comments?

- **Written Comments:** Complete and submit this form at a public meeting, or mail your comments to the Surface Transportation Board's address at the bottom of this page.
- **Recorded Comments:** Provide your comments to a court reporter at a public meeting.
- **Electronic Comments:** Submit electronic comments by visiting the project website: www.uintabasinrailwayeis.com

Please refer to Docket No. FD 36284 in all correspondence addressed to the Surface Transportation Board. All comments must be received or postmarked by August 5, 2019.

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Concerns:

① ENVIRONMENT & ECOSYSTEMS - A railroad will cause serious damage to the plant & animal life that exists in the canyon. Once destroyed the plants, trees, creeks and wild life can not be replaced or returned.

② Wild fire - it is a known fact that trains

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Cause Sparks and sparks Cause fires. Argyle Canyon has already been ravaged by two wildfires and a railroad greatly increases the odds of another one.

③ Water Resources - A railway has the potential to temporarily or permanently impact and alter the ground water. Damage to and disruption of Streams, Creeks, Springs and Watersheds are a threat to the Water Supply that people and wild life are dependant upon.

④ Pollution - Changes in air quality resulting from drilling, extraction and transportation during construction are certainly a Public Safety concern. So too are the constant diesel emissions that people and animals will be subject to on a daily / hourly / potentially constant basis.

Please look carefully at all these factors - the railway itself as well as damage done during construction would forever change how wildlife and people are able to use and enjoy Argyle Canyon. Stop the railroad or choose another route - ie Craig, Colorado.

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