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The Honorable Vernon Williams
Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
1925 K Street, N.W., Suite 715
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Via Facsimile: (202) 565-9002

Re: STB Docket No. AB-406 (Sub-No. 14X), Central Kansas Railway, L.L.C. -
Abandonment Exemption - In Sedgwick County, Kansas

Dear Secretary Williams:

This letter is in response to the request from the City of Garden Plain, Kansas (the "City"), dated March 7, 2002, for the issuance of interim trail use ("NITU") under the National Trails System Act, 16 U.S.C. § 1247(d) for the portions of the rail line authorized for abandonment in the captioned proceeding located between Milepost 15.60 near 231st Street and Milepost 19.5 near 295th Street in Sedgwick County, Kansas. Central Kansas Railway, L.L.C. hereby notifies the Board that it has not consummated the abandonment of the rail line authorized for abandonment in this proceeding and is willing to negotiate for trail use with the City.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.
Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mike Ogborn".

Mike Ogborn
Manager
Central Kansas Railway, L.L.C.

cc: Paul E. McPhillips, Sr. Mayor, City of Goddard