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BEFORE THE
ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION
TRANSPORTATION REGULAR OPEN MEETING
Wednesday, September 2, 2020,
Chicago, Illinois

Met pursuant to notice via videoconference at
10:30 a.m. at 160 North LaSalle Street,
Chicago, Illinois.

PRESENT:

- CARRIE ZALEWSKI, Chairwoman
- MARIA BOCANEGRA, Commissioner (via videoconference)
- SADZI M. OLIVA, Commissioner (via videoconference)
- D. ETHAN KIMBREL, Commissioner
- MICHAEL T. CARRIGAN, Commissioner (via
videoconference from Springfield office)
- JUDGE TEAGUE-KINGSLEY (via videoconference)

- BRIDGES COURT REPORTING (312.332.6345)

BY: HAILEY TREASURE, CSR
LICENSE No. 084-004897

1 CHAIRWOMAN ZALEWSKI: I'm just going to make
2 sure we can hear everyone. Is Commissioner
3 Bocanegra on for sound check?

4 COMMISSIONER BOCANEGRA: Yes, I'm here.

5 CHAIRWOMAN ZALEWSKI: Great. And Commissioner
6 Carrigan is in the Springfield office. Is he
7 there? Can we hear you, Commissioner Carrigan?

8 COMMISSIONER CARRIGAN: I can hear you loud
9 and clear. I'm here.

10 CHAIRWOMAN ZALEWSKI: Great. And then
11 Commissioner Rosales -- and Commissioner Oliva?

12 COMMISSIONER OLIVA: Yes, I'm here. Can you
13 hear me?

14 CHAIRWOMAN ZALEWSKI: We can. Great. Okay.

15 COMMISSIONER OLIVA: Okay.

16 CHAIRWOMAN ZALEWSKI: Judge Teague-Kingsley,
17 can we confirm that you're on as well?

18 JUDGE TEAGUE-KINGSLEY: Yes, I am on.

19 CHAIRWOMAN ZALEWSKI: Okay. Great. Then
20 we're going to go ahead and get started, it's now
21 10:30.

22 Under the Open Meetings Act in

1 accordance with the Governor's Executive Orders, I
2 call the September 2nd, 2020, Regular Open Meeting
3 to order.

4 Before we proceed, and for the
5 clarity of the record, and since some Commissioners
6 are participating remotely, I would ask everyone to
7 state their name before speaking and to speak
8 slowly and clearly so that she can capture
9 everything that is said.

10 I already checked that all
11 Commissioners are with us and can hear.

12 We have a quorum.

13 Under our Transportation Agenda there
14 are edits to the August 12th, 2020, and
15 August 19th, 2020, Transportation Agenda Open
16 Meeting Minutes.

17 Are there any objections to approving
18 the minutes as edited?

19 (No response.)

20 CHAIRWOMAN ZALEWSKI: Hearing none, the
21 minutes are approved.

22 Under Railroad Items.

1 Item RR-1 through RR-3 concern
2 various public safety improvement projects at
3 railway crossings. The orders authorize the
4 projects construction or extend project deadlines
5 and approve project costs apportionment.

6 Are there any objections to
7 considering these items together and approving the
8 Orders?

9 (No response.)

10 CHAIRWOMAN ZALEWSKI: Hearing none, the Orders
11 are approved.

12 Item RR-4 concerns the Village of
13 Bensenville's petition requesting Canadian Pacific
14 and Chicago Terminal railway companies to repair
15 railroad crossings in Bensenville. The owner of
16 the tracks, Soo Line Railroad, has made repairs
17 determined to be appropriate by the parties in the
18 case and the staff of the Commission. The Village
19 of Bensenville and Soo Line Railroad company filed
20 a joint stipulation to dismiss, agreeing that the
21 deficiencies in the rail crossings have been
22 satisfactorily addressed. The Order dismisses the

1 proceeding.

2 Are there any objections to approving
3 the Order?

4 (No response.)

5 CHAIRWOMAN ZALEWSKI: Hearing none, the Order
6 is approved.

7 Item RR-5 concerns a citation against
8 Union Pacific Railroad company for failure to
9 maintain various highway-rail crossings compliant
10 with the minimum safety standards. The Commission
11 staff has now filed a motion to dismiss the
12 citation, finding that Union Pacific has completed
13 all surface repairs at all 13 crossings at issue
14 and that there is no need for further Commission
15 action. The Order dismisses the proceeding.

16 Are there any objections to approving
17 the Order?

18 (No response.)

19 CHAIRWOMAN ZALEWSKI: Hearing none, the Order
20 is approved.

21 There are no Motor Carrier Items.

22 This concludes our Transportation

1 Agenda .

2 (Whereupon, the above-entitled
3 matter was adjourned.)

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