



## Memorandum

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From: Vicki Elliott, Policy Specialist

Subject: Docket TR-170412, Petition by US Fish and Wildlife to close an at-grade railroad crossing, USDOT 092425R, and construct an overcrossing on SR-124 in Walla Walla, WA, USDOT 97559M

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In Docket TR-170412, the Commission approved closure of an at-grade crossing and construction of a new overcrossing by Order 01, effective June 17, 2017. The Order, in §12(3) states:

The Petitioner must notify the Commission Staff within 30 days upon completion of the construction. The crossing is subject to inspection by Commission Staff, to verify that it is in full compliance with applicable laws and regulations.

US Fish and Wildlife did not inform the Commission of completion of the project. However, a review of Commission records shows that Rail Safety staff inspected the both the at-grade and overcrossing in August 2020. Records and photographs confirm that the at-grade crossing is closed (USDOT 092425R), and construction of the overcrossing (USDOT 97559M) is complete and in compliance with Order 01 in TR-170236.

This matter is now closed.