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March 7, 1994

The Honorable David A. Weiser  
Mayor, City of Marysville  
514 Delta Avenue  
Marysville, Washington 98270

Re: Request for increase in rail speed  
Docket No. TR-940309

Dear Mayor Weiser:

The Washington State Department of Transportation (WSDOT), Burlington Northern Railroad Company (Burlington Northern), and the National Railroad Passenger Corporation (Amtrak) have filed a letter with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) requesting changes in rail speed limits in your community. The letter has been assigned Docket No. TR-940309. We are enclosing a copy, without the attachments, for your reference.

The Commission's Transportation Division staff will be conducting an investigation of the proposed rail speed changes, focusing in part, on local safety conditions. The participation of local authorities in such an evaluation is very important. The staff will be contacting your city in the near future to discuss the issues raised by this request. Please provide us with the name and phone number of the city employee with whom we should work on this matter as soon as possible.

Correspondence with the Commission should be directed to the Secretary of the Commission, attention to Mr. Alan Scott, Transportation Operations Manager. Mr. Scott may also be reached by telephone at (206) 753-6410 or SCAN 234-6410.

Sincerely,

Steve McLellan  
Secretary

Enclosure

