CITY COUNCIL 808 W. Spokane Falls Blvd. Spokane, WA 99201-3335

Cherie Rodgers Council Member District 3

January 28, 2003

Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, WA 98507-7250

REGARDING: Docket # TR-021465

I am requesting to be noted as an interested person, as a matter of public record and would like to be notified of any and all public meetings, in a timely fashion as to be a person considered to present public witness in writing on the matter regarding Docket # TR-021465. I would respectfully encourage the Commission to codify Federal Railroad Administration recommendations into state regulation. I fully support the hearing process that would allow all stakeholders being permitted the opportunity to present their comments to the commission. I am a Council Member from Spokane, representing District Three, and would like to see this matter fully satisfied in the interest of public safety for all citizens of Spokane.

Sincerely,

Cherie Rodgers

Spokane City Council

Cherie Roobers