

January 25, 2010

Terrel Anderson, Manager of Industry & Public Projects
Union Pacific Railroad
9451 Atkinson Street
Roseville, CA 95747

**RE: TR-100098 Petition from the City of Fife to
Construct a Pedestrian Only At-Grade Crossing at 54th Avenue East**

Dear Mr. Anderson:

On January 13, 2010, the City of Fife (City) filed a petition with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission), seeking approval to construct a pedestrian only at-grade railroad crossing, adjacent to the existing railroad crossing at 54th Avenue East in the City of Fife, Washington. The Commission has assigned Docket No. TR-100098 to this petition.

Please review the attached petition and engineering plans and respond by February 16, 2010. Your response options include:

- Support the petition – Complete the Respondent's Waiver of Hearing form, which serves as your consent for the Commission to issue an order without further notice or hearing.
- Do not support the petition – Reply with your position and include whether you feel a hearing is necessary to resolve the issues or suggest other courses of action, such as further discussion prior to going to hearing.

If you do not respond within 20 days of the date of this letter, we will assume you do not support the petition and will set the matter for hearing. You will be required to attend the hearing and respond to the commission.

If you have any questions, please contact Kathy Hunter at (360) 664-1257 or khunter@utc.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

David Pratt
Assistant Director, Transportation Safety

Enclosure

cc: Russell Blount, City of Fife