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December 1, 2016

Christopher Nagle
Cascade and Columbia River Railroad Company
1710 Midway Court
Centralia, WA 98531

RE: TR-161160 - Grade Crossing Protective Fund Application

Dear Mr. Nagle:

On October 25, 2016, Cascade and Columbia River Railroad Company (CSCD) filed a Grade Crossing Protective Fund (GCPF) application with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (commission). The commission assigned docket number TR-161160 to the application.

CSCD requested \$40,000 in grant funds to upgrade the existing train detection system at the 4th Street crossing in Tonasket, identified as USDOT 096355S. Currently, the commission does not have available funding to consider additional GCPF applications. Your GCPF application will be kept on file and considered in July 2017, if the commission's GCPF program receives funding for the 2017-2019 biennium. If no funds are allocated to the Commission for the GCPF program, commission staff will notify you and the application will be closed.

If you have any further questions, please contact Betty Young, Transportation Planning Specialist, at (360) 664-1202 or at byoung@utc.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

David Pratt
Assistant Director, Transportation Safety

cc: Mayor Patrick Plumb, City of Tonasket
Jon Rolufs, Manager of Signals, Genesee & Wyoming Pacific Region