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**RE: TR-121467 – Petition of Behalf of the City of Pasco to Construct a Highway-Rail Grade Crossing at Road 40 E in Pasco, Washington**

Mr Pratt,

BNSF opposes the City of Pasco grade crossing petition for the following reasons:

- There is no current industrial development nor customers requiring the RR crossing, and
- In the event that a RR crossing is needed upon development of the Heritage industrial site the City has not shown why a grade separation is impractical or unwarranted for this location.

Further discussion may or may not require a hearing.

Regards,

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