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**CPUC  
TO HOLD PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED CLOSURE  
OF RAIL CROSSING IN  
GLENDALE**

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FRANCISCO,

June 15, 2010 – The California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) today said it will hold two Public Participation Hearings on the proposed closure of the West Doran

Street highway-rail at-grade crossing on the border of Glendale, Calif., and Los Angeles.

**WHEN:** June

24, 2010, 2 p.m. AND 6 p.m.

**WHERE:** The  
City of Glendale, Municipal Services Building, Room  
105

633 E. Broadway,  
Glendale

**WHY:** To provide local businesses  
and residents an opportunity to comment on the  
proposed closure of the existing highway-rail at-grade crossing at West Doran St.,  
south of the  
134 freeway between San Fernando Rd. and West San Fernando Rd., on the border  
of  
Glendale and Los Angeles.

The CPUC's Consumer Protection and Safety  
Division is seeking CPUC approval for closure of the crossing because they say  
it is redundant and unsafe, primarily because it is immediately adjacent to a  
propane and industrial gas truck loading and storage facility. This hazard is  
compounded by the high frequency and speed of passenger and freight trains, the  
constricted intersection and crossing, the nature of the motor vehicle traffic,  
the proximity of a major state route, and other factors. The City of Glendale and the  
Southern  
California Regional Rail Authority (Metrolink) support closure of the  
crossing.

Comments from the public can help the CPUC reach an informed  
decision and members of the public are encouraged to attend the hearing.

If special arrangements are needed, such as sign and foreign language  
interpreters, please contact the CPUC Public Advisor's Office at 213-576-7055 or  
toll free 1-866-849-8391 or TTY 415- 703-5282 or 1-866-836-7825, or by e-mail at  
[public.advisor.la@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:public.advisor.la@cpuc.ca.gov) at least three business days in advance of the

hearing.

For those who are unable to attend the hearing, written comments may be submitted through July 1, 2010, to the CPUC Public Advisor's Office, 320 West 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 500, Los Angeles, CA 90013. Or, comments may be sent via e-mail to [public.advisor.la@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:public.advisor.la@cpuc.ca.gov) . Please refer to proceeding number I.10-02-020.

The CPUC will take all comments received, both at the hearing and in writing, into account in reaching its decision.

Certain documents pertaining to this proceeding are available at <http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/published/proceedings/I1002020.htm>.

For more information on the CPUC, please visit [www.cpuc.ca.gov](http://www.cpuc.ca.gov).

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