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September 2, 2014

File Number: XREQ 2011070001 (G.11-07-001)
Avenue 416
City of Dinuba, County of Tulare

Mr. Dean K. Uota
City Engineer
City of Dinuba
405 E. El Monte Way
Dinuba, CA 93618

SENT VIA EMAIL

Re: Time Extension Request for XREQ 2011070001 (G.11-07-001) to Modify the Avenue 416 At-Grade Highway-Rail Crossing, Identified as CPUC Crossing No. 103BC-234.40 and DOT No. 756843U, in the City of Dinuba, Tulare County.

Dear Mr. Uota,

This refers to your letter dated July 30, 2014, received by us on June 31, 2014, requesting a time extension to modify the Avenue 416 at-grade highway-rail crossing (crossing) of the San Joaquin Valley Railroad (SJVR) and Union Pacific Railroad Company (UPRR) Exeter Subdivision track in the City of Dinuba (City), Tulare County. The crossing is identified as CPUC No. 103BC-234.40 and DOT No. 756843U.

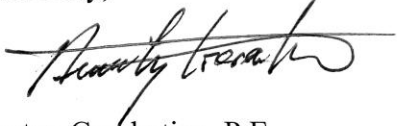
The original authorization was granted on August 3, 2011, and expired on August 3, 2014. The project was not completed due to the environmental and utility delays in previous phases. The City expects the project to be completed in spring of 2015 and is requesting additional time. SJVR and UPRR provided concurrence to the time extension request.

The California Public Utilities Commission's (Commission) Rail Crossings Engineering Branch (RCEB) investigated the request by the City and finds that there has been no substantial change in circumstances since granting the original authority. Since the City, SJVR, and UPRR are in agreement and have no objection to the requested time extension, you may proceed with the modifications as previously authorized by the Commission on August 3, 2011, with a three-year time extension. This authorization shall expire on August 3, 2017.

Within 30 days after completion of this project, the City shall notify RCEB that the authorized work is completed, by submitting a Commission Standard Form G titled *Report of Changes at Highway Grade Crossings and Separations*. Form G requirements and forms can be obtained at the Commission web site Form G page at <http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUC/safety/Rail/Crossings/formg>. This report may be submitted electronically to rces@cpuc.ca.gov as outlined on the web page.

In all other respects, the original authorization for improvements remains in full force and effect. Should the work not be completed by August 3, 2017, RCEB may require a new GO 88-B application for the crossing modifications. If you have any questions, please contact Oliver Garcia at (213) 576-7077 or at og1@cpuc.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Anton Garabetian", written over a horizontal line.

Anton Garabetian, P.E.
Program and Project Supervisor
Rail Crossings Safety Section
Safety and Enforcement Division

cc: **(SENT VIA EMAIL)**
Chris Keckeisen (UPRR)
Marc Bader (SJVR)