

## PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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Los Angeles, CA 90013



July 5, 2016

File Number: XREQ2013050001

George R. Hicks  
Director of Public Works  
City of Fairfield  
1000 Webster Street  
Fairfield, CA 94533

**SENT VIA E-MAIL**

**RE: General Order 88-B Authority Time Extension Request to Alter Peabody Road At-Grade Highway-Rail Crossing, CPUC Crossing No. 001A-53.70 and DOT No. 751292W, in the City of Fairfield, Solano County.**

Dear Mr. Hicks:

This refers to your letter dated June 6, 2016, requesting a time extension to comply with the provisions of the California Public Utilities Commission (Commission) General Order (GO) 88-B approval letter issued on June 7, 2013. The letter authorized the alteration of Peabody Road at-grade highway-rail crossing of Union Pacific Railroad (UPRR) tracks in the City of Fairfield (City) in Solano County. The crossing is identified as CPUC Crossing No. 001A-53.70 and DOT No. 751292W.

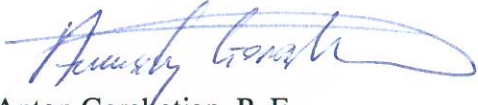
The Commission's Rail Crossings and Engineering Branch (RCEB) **denies and does not grant** City the requested time extension to June 1, 2017, to complete the alterations of the crossing based on the following objections:

1. RCEB XREQ2013050001 letter dated June 7, 2013, states, "Upon written request to this office, the time to complete the project may be extended. Any written request for a time extension must include concurrence letters by involved parties in support of the time extension." Your time extension request letter does not include concurrence letter from UPRR in support of the time extension.
2. RCEB investigated City's time extension request and finds that the required fencing installation, along UPRR property boundary, not being installed until next summer is a safety hazard and substantial change in the submitted design from granting the original authority.

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If you have any questions, please contact Daniellia Fristoe at (916) 928-2108 or [daniellia.fristoe@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:daniellia.fristoe@cpuc.ca.gov) .

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Anton Garabetian", with a large, sweeping flourish at the end.

Anton Garabetian, P. E.  
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Rail Crossings and Engineering Branch  
Safety and Enforcement Division

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