

Memo

To: Docketing Division
From: Jill Henry, Rail Specialist, Rail Division
Cc: PUCO Legal Department
Date: 12/11/17

Re: PUCO Case No. 17-682-RR-FED- In the Matter of a Request for the Installation of Active Warning Devices at the RJ Corman Railroad Crossing, S. Copus Road/TR 146 DOT#261-647S in Allen County, Ohio.

On September 14, 2016, the Ohio Rail Development Commission (ORDC) authorized funding for RJ Corman Railroad to install lights and gates and a new crossing surface at S. Copus Road/TR 146 DOT#261-647S in Allen County, Ohio. The crossing was surveyed on April 4, 2016 and found to warrant the upgrades.

On April 12, 2017, the Commission approved the project and ordered completion by January 12, 2018.

On December 8, 2017, RJ Corman filed for a six month extension (see attached). In the request, RJ Corman states that there are delays in getting the project materials from the manufacturer. Additionally, they will need time to complete the site work.

ORDC has indicated to Staff that they are supportive of the extension request. Staff recommends that the Commission grant the extension request.



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Re: Allen County, Lima, OH – South Copus Road – DOT# 261647S - Case # 17-682-RR-FED – PID 103521

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

Please extend the project deadline from January 12, 2018 to July 12, 2018.

This project had manufacturer specific materials per project design that are key components to the project. The SCX-1 (Alstom) and Gate Mechanisms (WCH) were both expected to be shipped to RJ Corman by the second week of November 2017, but have been delayed. Due to the delays in material, we don't expect to have the materials ready for construction to commence until after the January project deadline. The revised project material ship dates currently are:

Item	Description	New Arrival Date
800-087051-007	SCX-1	by December 22 nd , 2017
M-10-RJC-32-2-BL	3593 Gate Assy.	by December 29 th , 2017

Once key components are received, we can complete wiring/testing and schedule installation. Additionally, weather will need to be above freezing to perform required track welds and install underground signal cable and conduit.

Please advise if this extension will be granted.

Sincerely,

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Summary: Response In the Matter of an Extension Request for the Installation of Active Warning Devices at the RJ Corman Railroad Crossing, S. Copus Road/TR 146 DOT#261-647S in Allen County, Ohio. electronically filed by Mrs. Jill A Henry on behalf of PUCO/Rail Division