

# Memo

**To:** Docketing Division  
**From:** Jill Henry, Rail Specialist, Rail Division  
**Cc:** PUCO Legal Department  
**Date:** 1/14/2020

**Re:** PUCO Case No. 18-1615-RR-FED- In the Matter of a Request for the Installation of Active Warning Devices at the Norfolk Southern Railway Crossing, Norwood Avenue DOT#508-925U, in Lucas County, Ohio.

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On February 12, 2018, the Ohio Rail Development Commission (ORDC) authorized funding for Norfolk Southern Railway to install active warning devices at Norwood Avenue DOT#508-925U, in Lucas County, Ohio. The crossing was surveyed, on October 17, 2017, and found to warrant the upgrade.

On November 28, 2018, the Commission approved the project and ordered completion by November 28, 2019.

On November 20, 2019, NS filed for an extension until December 28, 2019. In the request, NS states construction commenced on November 11, 2019. Crews will need 28 gang days to complete construction. On December 16, 2019, the Commission granted a 30-day extension.

On December 27, 2019, NS filed for an extension until January 27, 2020. In the request, NS states that due to holiday related work stoppage an extension of time is needed.

Staff believes that NS has failed to show that good cause exists to grant additional time for completion of the project. Staff does not recommend a project extension.

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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In the Matter of the Authorization  
of Norfolk Southern Railway to  
Install Active Warning Devices in  
the City of Toledo, in Lucas County.

: Case No. 18-1615-RR-FED

: **REQUEST TO EXTEND**

: **CONSTRUCTION DEADLINE**

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Norfolk Southern Railway Company (“NSRC”) respectfully requests an additional extension of time of thirty (30) days – through January 27, 2020 – within which to complete the involved construction project at the Norwood Avenue grade crossing (DOT #508925U) in Toledo, Lucas County.

**PROOF OF SERVICE**

A copy of the foregoing **Request to Extend Construction Deadline** was filed electronically with the Commission this 27<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2019. Notice of this filing will be sent by operation of the Court's electronic filing system to all parties indicated on the electronic filing receipt. Parties may access this filing through the Court's system.

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Summary: Memorandum In the Matter of an Extension Request for the Installation of Active Warning Devices at the Norfolk Southern Railway Crossing, Norwood Avenue DOT#508-925U, in Lucas County, Ohio. electronically filed by Mrs. Jill A Henry on behalf of PUCO/Rail Division