

# Memo

**To:** Docketing Division  
**From:** Thomas Persinger, Rail Project Specialist, Rail Division  
**Cc:** PUCO Legal Department  
**Date:** 9-11-2023  
**Re:** PUCO Case No. 22-276-RR-STP- In the Matter of a Request for the Installation of Active Warning Devices at the Wheeling & Lake Erie Railway Company Crossing at 15<sup>th</sup> Street SE and Allen SE (DOT# 474-359M) located in Stark County, Ohio.

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On March 30, 2022, Commission Staff (PUCO), Ohio Rail Development Commission (ORDC), Wheeling & Lake Erie Railway Company (WE) and the City of Canton (City) entered into a stipulation agreement whereby upgraded warning devices would be installed at the following:

Street	DOT#	County	Project
15 <sup>th</sup> Street SE and Allen SE	474-359M	Stark County	Lights and Gates

On April 20, 2022, the Commission issued a Finding and Order approving the project, requiring plans and estimates by July 20, 2022, and ordering project completion by April 20, 2023. Initial plans were submitted on June 13, 2022. These initial plans involved 3 gates around the intersection the crossing went through. Follow-up discussions were held with all parties, to discuss changing the scope of the project where 15<sup>th</sup> Street would be rerouted to not form an intersection where the railroad crossing is located. On August 28<sup>th</sup>, 2023, all four parties agreed to a new agreement where the relocation of 15<sup>th</sup> Street will take place along with new warning devices.

This case will be closed, and the modified project will be listed under PUCO Case Number 23-861-RR-STP.

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Summary: Memorandum Memo regarding the cancellation of the project for Installation of Active Warning Devices at the Wheeling & Lake Erie Railway Company Crossing at 15th Street SE and Allen SE (DOT# 474-359M) located in Stark County, Ohio, filed by Tom Persinger, Rail Project Specialist. electronically filed by Mr. Thomas Persinger on behalf of PUCO/Rail Division.