Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

Memo

To: Docketing Division

From: Thomas Persinger, Rail Project Specialist, Rail Division

Cc: PUCO Legal Department

Date: 9-26-2023

Re: PUCO Case No. 22-762-RR-STP- In the Matter of a Request for the Installation of Active Warning Devices at the Ohio Central Railroad Grade Crossing, DOT#474-173Y, at CR 273 in Coshocton County, Ohio.

On September 23, 2021, the Public Utilities Commission authorized funding for Ohio Central Railroad (OHCR) to install lights and gates with at the CR 273, DOT# 474-173Y, grade crossing in Coshocton County, Ohio.

On August 24, 2022, the Commission approved the project and ordered completion by August 24, 2023.

On September 22, 2023, OHCR filed for an extension until October 31, 2023. In the request, OHCR stated that the project has been delayed due to material supply issues and has now been given a construction start date by Progress Rail of September 26, 2023, for this and another project. OHCR believes an extension until October 31, 2023, will provide the contractor with sufficient time to finish the project.

Staff notes that OHCR has kept staff apprised of the supply issues. Staff finds that OHCR is working to complete this project. Staff recommends the extension request be approved.

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Summary: Staff Review and Recommendation In the Matter of an Extension Request for the Installation of Active Warning Devices at the Ohio Central Railroad Grade Crossing, DOT#474-173Y, at CR 273 in Coshocton County, Ohio. electronically filed by Mr. Thomas Persinger on behalf of PUCO/Rail Division.