

Memo

To: Docketing Division

From: Thomas Persinger, Rail Project Specialist, Rail Division

Date: 2-5-2024

Re: PUCO Case No. 19-180-RR-UNC- In the Matter of a Joint Petition of Norfolk Southern Railway Company and CSX Transportation, Inc. to Close the Franklin Street Crossings (DOT#481-482D & 518-257V) in Orange Township, Delaware County, Ohio.

BACKGROUND

On January 28, 2019, Norfolk Southern Railway and CSX Transportation, Inc. filed a joint petition to close their respective crossings to vehicle and pedestrian traffic in Delaware County, Ohio. On November 30, 2022, the Commission granted the joint petition. The crossings to be closed are:

Franklin Street	NS	481-482D
Franklin Street	CSX	518-257V

FINDINGS

Our local field inspector visited the crossings on January 30, 2024, and verified the crossing surface and warning devices were removed (See attached pictures).

SUMMARY AND CONCLUSIONS

NS and CSX have complied with the Commission Order for closing the crossings by removing the surface and warning devices. Accordingly, the case should be closed.

Franklin Street Crossing NS (USDOT# 481-482D)
Delaware County, Ohio

Looking West from the East side of the crossing.



Looking North from the South side of the crossing.



Franklin Street Crossing CSX (USDOT# 518-257V)
Delaware County, Ohio

Looking West from East Side of the Crossing



Looking South from the North Side of the Crossing



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Summary: Memorandum Memo regarding completion of the Joint Petition of Norfolk Southern Railway Company and CSX Transportation, Inc. to Close the Franklin Street Crossings (DOT#481-482D & 518-257V) in Orange Township, Delaware County, Ohio, filed by Tom Persinger, Rail Project Specialist. electronically filed by Mr. Thomas Persinger on behalf of PUCO/Rail Division.