

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO**

PROCEEDING NO. 14A-0203R

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF WASHINGTON COUNTY FOR AUTHORITY TO CONVERT AN AT GRADE PRIVATE CROSSING TO AN AT GRADE PUBLIC CROSSING OF THE BURLINGTON NORTHERN SANTA FE RAILWAY LOCATED IN WASHINGTON COUNTY, COLORADO ON A SECTION LINE BETWEEN SECTIONS 8 & 9, TOWNSHIP 2 NORTH, RANGE 51 WEST AT OR NEAR AKRON, COLORADO.

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**INTERIM DECISION GRANTING UNOPPOSED MOTION**

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Mailed Date: June 11, 2014

Adopted Date: June 11, 2014

**I. BY THE COMMISSION**

**A. Statement**

1. This matter comes before the Commission for consideration of an Unopposed Motion for Further Extension of Time to Oppose Application and Request Hearing (Unopposed Motion), filed on May 29, 2014 by BNSF Railway Company (BNSF).

2. By Decision No. C14-0377-I, mailed April 11, 2014, the Commission extended the notice and intervention period until May 1, 2014. By Decision No. C14-0485-I, mailed May 8, 2014, the Commission granted a further extension until May 29, 2014. In the latest motion, BNSF requests an additional two weeks within which to oppose the Application of Washington County and request a hearing. BNSF states this extension is necessary to determine whether the crossing should be a wood plank crossing or a concrete crossing. BNSF represents this request is unopposed.

3. We find good cause to grant the Unopposed Motion and waive response time. The notice and intervention period is extended for two weeks from the mailed date of this

Decision, or until **June 25, 2014**. This extension will apply to all potential parties, including Commission Staff. This will be the last extension granted in this matter.

## **II. ORDER**

### **A. It Is Ordered That:**

1. The Unopposed Motion for Further Extension of Time to Oppose Application and
2. Request Hearing, filed on May 29, 2014 by BNSF Railway Company is granted and response time is waived.
3. The notice and intervention period in this proceeding is extended until **June 25, 2014**.
4. This Decision is effective upon its Mailed Date.

### **B. ADOPTED IN COMMISSIONERS' WEEKLY MEETING June 11, 2014.**

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ATTEST: A TRUE COPY

Doug Dean,  
Director

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