

STATE OF ILLINOIS

ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION

Village of Oak Lawn, an Illinois municipal corporation, Petitioner	:	
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v.	:	T07-0099
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Norfolk Southern Railway Company, and Northeast Illinois Regional Commuter Railroad Corporation (Metra), Respondents	:	
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Petition for an Order of the Illinois Commerce Commission converting the existing Cook Avenue highway-rail grade crossing of the Norfolk Southern Railway Company/Northeast Illinois Regional Commuter Railroad Corporation tracks (AAR/DOT 478 758M, railroad milepost 14.84-WB) located in the Village of Oak Lawn, Cook County, to a pedestrian only crossing.	:	

EXTENSION OF TIME REQUEST - LESS THAN 30 DAYS

NOW COMES the Petitioner, VILLAGE OF OAK LAWN, Cook County, Illinois (hereinafter "Village") respectfully represents that:

1. On September 10, 2009, the Commission entered its Order requiring the Village and Northeast Illinois Regional Commuter Railroad Corporation (Metra) to remove the crossing surface on the tracks and ballast; remove the roadway portion of the Cook Avenue crossing; remove existing sidewalks; install the new pedestrian rubber crossing surface; install new curb and gutter along 96th Avenue; install new sidewalk and relocate the warning devices per Exhibit A of the Amended Petition filed by the Village on July 23, 2009. The Order required this work to be completed by December 10, 2009.
2. Northeast Illinois Regional Commuter Railroad Corporation (Metra) has removed the crossing surface on the tracks and ballast.
3. Northeast Illinois Regional Commuter Railroad Corporation (Metra) needs to relocate the warning devices per Exhibit A of the Amended Petition and to complete the installation of the new pedestrian rubber crossing surface.
4. Northeast Illinois Regional Commuter Railroad Corporation (Metra) has stated that they would complete their portion of the work by December 25, 2009.

5. The Village has completed removing the crossing approach pavement and sidewalks outside the tracks and ballast.
6. The Village has installed new curb and gutter along 96th Avenue and most of the new sidewalk but cannot complete this until Northeast Illinois Regional Commuter Railroad Corporation (Metra) relocates the warning devices.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner respectfully requests of the Commission an extension less than 30 days be granted until December 31, 2009 to complete the work required per the Order entered September 10, 2009.

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