Kim Rose

From: Jason Trottier

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To: Kim Rose

Subject: FW: Rail Safety Week 2025 | Proclamation request

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From: Janet Drysdale < janet.drysdale@cn.ca>

Date: 2025-07-14 1:57 p.m. (GMT-05:00)

To: Jason Trottier < jason.trottier@eastferris.ca>

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Dear Mr. Trottier,

Rail Safety Week will take place across Canada from September 15 to 21, 2025.

For more than 20 years, CN has partnered with Operation Lifesaver Canada (OL) to raise public awareness about the dangers of crossing and trespassing on railway property. In recent years, we have seen disturbing spikes in deaths and serious injuries related to both. Inattention and distraction at crossings, risky behaviours on and around trains, the rise of homeless encampments along rail corridors, and mental health crises are all factors driving the recent, negative reversal in trendlines.

As valued neighbours and partners in promoting community safety, CN and OL together would like to ask your council to join us in raising awareness about the critical issue of rail safety by adopting the enclosed <u>proclamation</u>.

Your leadership plays a vital role in educating the public about the risks associated with inattention at railway crossings and trespassing on train tracks and other rail infastructure. Rail Safety is a shared responsibility, everyone has a role to play. By signing the proclamation and encouraging public engagement, your municipality will help foster a culture of safety and prevention and we would be honoured to publicly acknowledge your commitment to this cause.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Daniel Salvatore, your local CN Public Affairs representative, at daniel.salvatore@cn.ca.

For more information:

- Questions or concerns about rail safety in your community, contact our Public Inquiry Line at 1-888-888-5909
- For additional information about Rail Safety Week 2025 visit <u>cn.ca/RailSafety</u> or <u>operationlifesaver.ca</u>
- Let us know how you promote rail safety in your community by posting on cn.ca/RSW2025
- For any questions about this proclamation, please email RSW@cn.ca
- Visit <u>cn.ca/RSW-toolkit</u> to access the Rail Safety Week toolkit which includes resources to help you further promote rail safety education in your community

Thank you in advance for your support.

Janet Drysdale

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