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Dear Sir / Madam:

Rail Safety Week is coming soon!

This year, Rail Safety Week will be held from September 23 - 29 in Canada. At CN, we are committed to keeping communities safe throughout the year by collaborating on efforts to raise rail safety awareness and to ensure everyone's safety.

We want to remind you of this great opportunity to join safety efforts, along with many other municipalities, by adopting a resolution in support of Rail Safety Week. Rail safety is everyone's responsibility and by looking out for each other and working together, we can help keep our communities safe and prevent fatalities and injuries on or near railway property.

By adopting the attached resolution, your council becomes a powerful ally in rail safety efforts to help save lives. Please send a copy of your resolution by mail to the address below or e-mail to Sandra.orsini@cn.ca and let us know about your plans to promote rail safety in your community this year.

CN – Sandra Orsini 935 de la Gauchetière Street West 11th floor Montreal, Quebec H3B 2M9

For additional information about Rail Safety Week 2019, please consult cn.ca/railsafety or operationlifesaver.ca.

Yours sincerely,

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(Draft Resolution)

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF RAIL SAFETY WEEK

Whereas Rail Safety Week is to be held across Canada from September 23 to 29, 2019;

Whereas it is in the public's interest to raise citizens' awareness of the dangers of ignoring safety warnings at level crossings and trespassing on rail property to reduce avoidable deaths, injuries and damage caused by incidents involving trains and citizens;

Whereas Operation Lifesaver is a public/private partnership whose aim is to work with the public, rail industry, governments, police services, media and others to raise rail safety awareness;

Whereas CN has requested City Council adopt this resolution in support of its ongoing efforts to raise awareness, save lives and prevent injuries in communities, including our municipality;

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seconded by Councillor	<u> </u>	

It is hereby **RESOLVED** to support national *Rail Safety Week* to be held from September 23 to 29, 2019.