

Kroll, Kari

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Sent: Wednesday, July 20, 2022 12:22 PM
To: Kroll, Kari; Jundt, Joel;
Subject: [EXT] Support-- Railroad Board Meeting

Importance: High

Greetings! I had difficulty staying on the call today and getting off mute.

Please accept this note as a strong show of support for the "Quiet Zone" funding, on behalf of the Aberdeen Development Corporation.

Aberdeen has the potential for at least 2 potential projects which would benefit greatly from the Quiet Zone process and funding.

With all of the rail lines that run in and around Aberdeen, the possibilities are limitless. Any value-added ag development in the area would be well positioned for more safety features where the rail lines cross our roads. Downtown development would be enhanced significantly as well, with the major presence of the rail lines through the middle of Aberdeen.

We will be happy to provide additional information as appropriate.

We appreciate the opportunity to offer this perspective.

Respectfully submitted,

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On Wed, Jul 20, 2022 at 10:17 AM, "Kroll, Kari" <kari.kroll@state.sd.us> wrote:

Good morning, Ms. Johnson –

I received a message that you were going to attend the Railroad Board meeting this morning remotely. Thank you for the information. To attend the meeting remotely, please use the phone number and code found at the top of the agenda that I've attached.