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First Stop Upon Access - Looking North Ballast appears treated/maintained



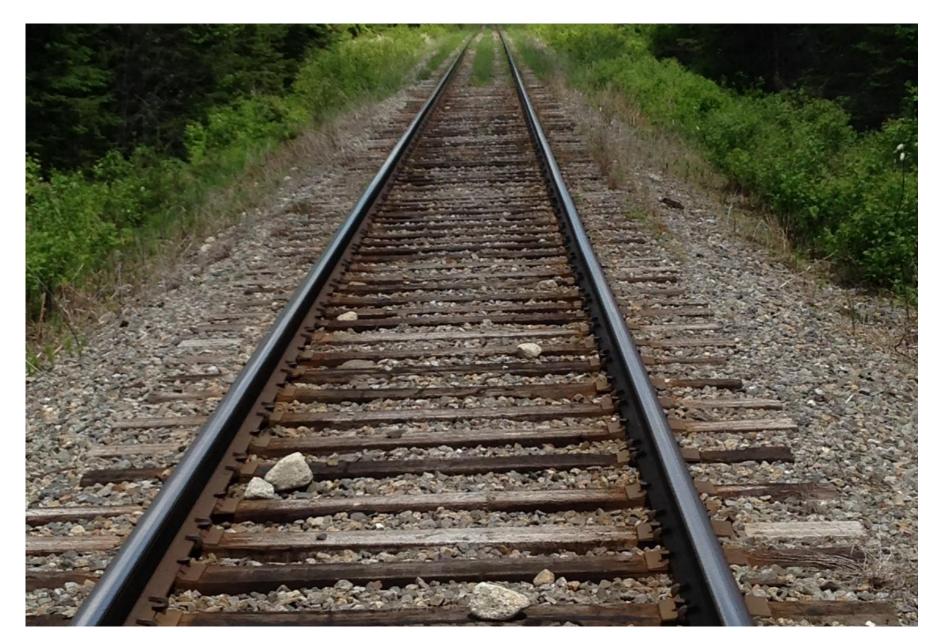
Looking North Toward area that appears unmaintained



Looking North Approaching area that appears unmaintained



Looking North Approaching area that appears untreated/unmaintained



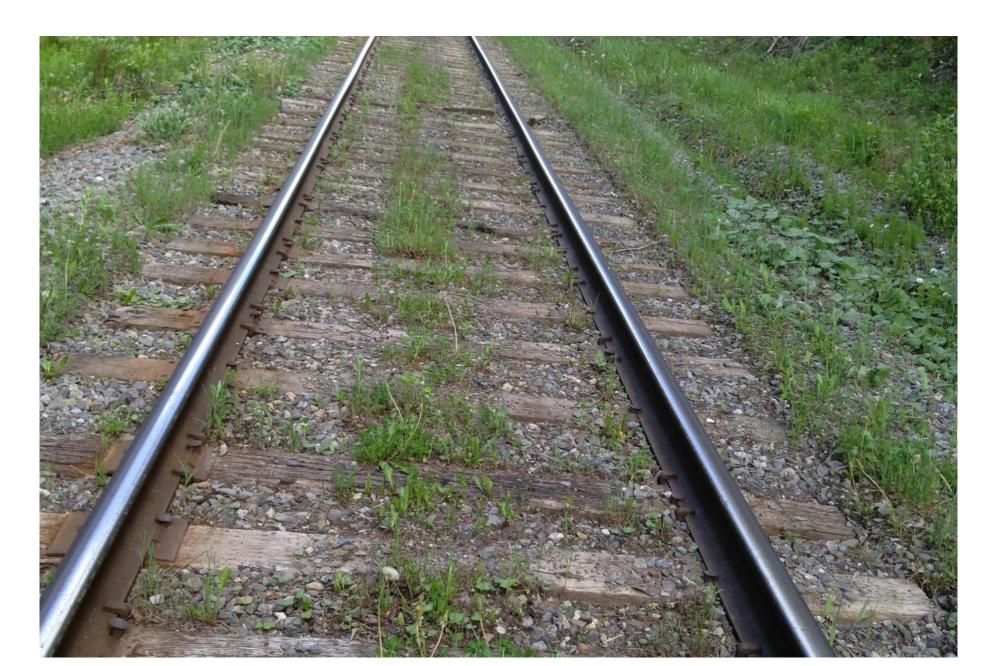
Area appears unmaintained – Vegetation encroaches and is in ballast



Continuing North Vegetation up to rails and within ballast



Continuing North into Area that Appears Untreated/Unmaintained



Continuing North Ballast further degraded, ties sinking







Continuing North Greater degradation



Continuing North Ballast essentially gone, appears to be no drainage





Vegetation, sunken ties, poor drainage→ mud build up in rail bed Runoff ditch with scummy water off edge of ties

