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**Federal Railroad  
Administration**

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Mr. Joshua Hartford  
International Association of Machinists  
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Dear Mr. Hartford:

On behalf of the U.S. Department of Transportation, I extend my deepest gratitude to you for your dedicated service on the Railroad Safety Advisory Committee (RSAC).

The Committee has addressed some of the most complex challenges facing the railroad industry. Through your expert insights, collaborative spirit, and unwavering commitment, the Committee has provided outputs that have informed policy and helped advance practical solutions to complex challenges.

As of the date of this letter, your appointment has been terminated. Undoubtably, your role on the RSAC has likely contributed to improved safety in the railroad industry. Please accept my deepest appreciation for your dedication to the public and support for the mission of the Department.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Drew Feeley".

Drew Feeley  
Acting Administrator