

# NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY

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To W. C. Kimberly,

General Superintendent.

I respectfully recommend the improvement described below, and request special appropriation to cover cost of same:

1. Location (with regard to nearest station): **Walbridge**. East head block **1/4 West of N. P. 18**
2. Title. (Side Tracks and Spurs to be named)
3. Description. (Give description of proposed New Work. If siding or spur, make sketch below showing points of compass; if Standard Building, no description is necessary, but give Plan Nos.)

**Lowering main line grade.**

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4. New Work, Additions or Repairs **No.**
5. Necessity for proposed Work: (If increase of business, give particulars.)

To reduce grade to eight-tenths (0.8) basis.

6. Is Improvement on Right-of-way or Land owned by this Company **Yes.**  
If not, what can be done to secure Title

7. Estimate of Cost: Material (as itemized on next page) Labor: **\$2500.00** Total: **\$2500.00**

8. Work should be commenced **At once.** in order to..

9. Length of Time required to complete Work **30 days.**

10. Remarks: (Note here if any Material or Labor is to be furnished by outside parties, and whether work should be done in contact or with Company force.)

**All work to be done by Company force.**

Chief Engineers Office.

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*W. C. Kimberly* 7/7

Division Engineer.

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Superintendent.