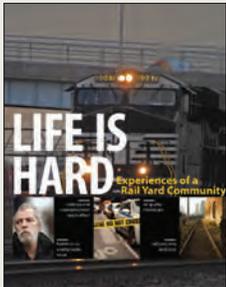


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The people who live near San Bernardino Rail-yard (SBR) in San Bernardino, California, struggle with a myriad of issues. As our cover points out, crime, lack of employ-

ment opportunities, and air pollution as well as noise are major challenges for the people who live near SBR, a busy transportation hub due to its proximity to Los Angeles ports. The noise and air pollution caused by SBR are environmental justice issues and the authors of our cover feature, "Experiences of a Rail Yard Community: Life Is Hard," interviewed residents to understand their challenges more specifically and explore possible solutions. See page 8.

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