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I would just like to say that while this could have happened while I was leading this, I don't believe it would have. I have no confidence in the way this ballooned to more than 30 billion. The shutdown of the station for repairs last summer was a blunder because there was a path to do the work without doing that. And the recent (what seems like) a shutdown of communication and care for customers or stakeholders has really exacted a toll of lack of confidence I'm sorry to say. The arrogance of this Board and leadership team has damaged the true "public service " mission of this company bad enough that it may no longer be viable in its current form. Joe

Nov 30, 2018, 9:46 PM

It's sad Joe. And really feel for all the people who poured their heart and soul into the organization only to have it dismantled by the people who were entrusted to lead. I hope to see you soon. It's never over until it's over.

Dec 14, 2018, 12:35 AM

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Let me change one word. I will take out Godless and substitute the word iniquitous. So it reads:

I believe the transition of the leadership of Amtrak is now nearly complete. Now lead by those who are not only Iniquitous but who have rejected the value and contribution of employees, customers, and investors. Instead seeing only the value of their own self righteousness, myopic beliefs and arrogant desire for recognition as savior. But those who believe the end justifies the means they are using leave many lives and families in ruins and can never be considered successful.

Dec 14, 2018, 10:28 AM

I'm just venting. I will go promptly back into retirement 😂

I was crafting a lengthy response---

All in agreement and empathy

There is a virus in the whole system

Not just with Amtrak

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