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CSX Corporation

PRICING TERM SHEET

November 7, 2018

\$350,000,000 4.250% Notes due 2029 (the 2029 Notes)

\$650,000,000 4.750% Notes due 2048 (the 2048 Notes)

Issuer: CSX Corporation

Expected Ratings*: Baa1 / BBB+

Security: 4.250% Notes due 2029

4.750% Notes due 2048

Size: 2029 Notes: \$350,000,000

2048 Notes: \$650,000,000

Maturity Dates: 2029 Notes: March 15, 2029

2048 Notes: November 15, 2048

Coupon: 2029 Notes: 4.250%

2048 Notes: 4.750%

Interest Payment Dates: 2029 Notes: March 15 and September 15, commencing March 15, 2019

(short first coupon)

2048 Notes: May 15 and November 15, commencing May 15, 2019

Price to Public: 2029 Notes: 99.641%

2048 Notes: 99.068%

Benchmark Treasury: 2029 Notes: 2.875% due August 15, 2028

2048 Notes: 3.125% due May 15, 2048

Benchmark Treasury Price and

Yield:

2029 Notes: 97-05+; 3.214%

2048 Notes: 94-12; 3.429%

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Spread to Benchmark Treasury: 2029 Notes: + 108 bps

2048 Notes: + 138 bps

Yield to Maturity: 2029 Notes: 4.294%

2048 Notes: 4.809%

Make-Whole Call: 2029 Notes: T + 20 bps

2048 Notes: T + 25 bps

Par Call: 2029 Notes: Within three months prior to the maturity date

2048 Notes: Within six months prior to the maturity date

Expected Settlement Date:** November 15, 2018 (T+5)

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CUSIP / ISIN: 2029 Notes: 126408 HM8 / US126408HM81

2048 Notes: 126408 HN6 / US126408HN64

Joint Book-Running Managers: Citigroup Global Markets Inc.

Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC

UBS Securities LLC

Senior Co-Managers: Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC

J.P. Morgan Securities LLC

Mizuho Securities USA LLC

Co-Managers: MUFG Securities Americas Inc.

PNC Capital Markets LLC

The Williams Capital Group, L.P.

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