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January 5, 2016

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Project ID 0814000116

ACNHP-P395(257)E

Addendum No. 1

Dear Contractor:

This addendum is being issued to the contract for CONSTRUCTION ON STATE HIGHWAY IN SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY NEAR KRAMER JUNCTION FROM 0.1 MILE NORTH OF ROUTE 58 TO KERN COUNTY LINE to revise the project plans and the *Notice to Bidders and Special Provisions*.

Submit bids for this work with the understanding and full consideration of this addendum. The revisions declared in this addendum are an essential part of the contract.

Bids for this work will be opened on Wednesday, January 13, 2016.

Project plan sheet 13 is replaced and attached for substitution for the like-numbered sheet.

In the Special Provisions, DIVISION II "GENERAL CONSTRUCTION," Section 13, "WATER POLLUTION CONTROL," is deleted.

In the Special Provisions, Section 14, "14-6.02," is replaced as attached.

To *Bid* book holders:

Inquiries or questions in regard to this addendum must be communicated as a bidder inquiry and must be made as noted in the *Notice to Bidders* section of the *Notice to Bidders and Special Provisions*.

Submit the *Bid* book as described in the *Electronic Bidding Guide* at the Bidders' Exchange website.

**[http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/esc/oe/electronic\\_bidding/electronic\\_bidding.html](http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/esc/oe/electronic_bidding/electronic_bidding.html)**

Inform subcontractors and suppliers as necessary.

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This addendum and the attachments are available for the Contractors' download on the Web site:

**[http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/esc/oe/project\\_ads\\_addenda/08/08-1E8704](http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/esc/oe/project_ads_addenda/08/08-1E8704)**

If you are not a *Bid* book holder, but request a book to bid on this project, you must comply with the requirements of this letter before submitting your bid.

Sincerely,



JOHN BULINSKI  
District 8 Director

*"Provide a safe, sustainable, integrated and efficient transportation system  
to enhance California's economy and livability"*

**Replace section 14-6.02 with:**

**14-6.02 SPECIES PROTECTION**

**14-6.02A General**

Section 14-6.02 includes specifications for protecting regulated species or their habitat.

This project is within or near habitat for regulated species shown in the following table:

Species Name
Xerospermophilus mohavensis (Mohave ground squirrel)
Gopherus agassizii (Desert tortoise)

**14-6.02B Material**

Not Used

**14-6.02C Construction**

**14-6.02C(1) General**

Not Used

**14-6.02C(2) Protective Radius**

Upon discovery of a regulated species, stop construction activities within a 100 foot radius of the discovery. Immediately notify the Engineer. Do not resume activities until receiving notification from the Engineer.

**14-6.02C(3) Protection Measures**

Within species protection area 1, implement the following protection measures:

1. All personnel involved in the construction project shall receive Desert Tortoise and Mojave ground squirrel protection training by a Contractor Supplied Biologist. Training shall include discussion of the fragility of desert habitats, the importance of the Desert tortoise and Mohave ground squirrel by the California Endangered Species Act, and the correct protocol to follow should Desert tortoise or Mohave ground squirrel be encountered.
2. Pre-construction surveys will be conducted by a Contractor Supplied Biologist to locate and avoid Desert tortoise and Mohave Ground Squirrel burrows that may be present within the project area.
3. Contractor Supplied biologist will conduct on-site monitoring when required. The biologist will be present during all activities in which desert tortoise may be encountered.
4. Temporary Desert tortoise fencing will be installed at designated pull out areas where the biologist deems necessary.
5. Designated pull out areas, as shown on the plans, will be located away from undisturbed Desert Tortoise habitat. Should the contractor require an undisturbed location, a pre-construction survey, conducted for Desert tortoise and Mojave ground squirrel would be required. If the survey positively located a potential burrow, the plans will be revisited to avoid impact to wildlife.
6. No firearms or pets shall be allowed at the work area. Firearms carried by authorized security and law enforcement personnel are exempt from this term and condition.
7. Litter control measures will be implemented. All litter should be contained in containers with secure lids to prevent attracting common ravens or other potential predators of the desert tortoise.

**14-6.02C(4) Monitoring Schedule**

Not Used

**14-6.02D Payment**

Not Used

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REPLACED PER ADDENDUM NO.1 DATED JANUARY 5, 2016