

**COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
AGENDA ITEM TRANSMITTAL**

(1) DEPARTMENT Public Works	(2) MEETING DATE 2/28/2012	(3) CONTACT/PHONE Mark Hutchinson Environmental Programs Manager (805) 781-5458	
(4) SUBJECT Request adoption of the Mitigated Negative Declaration for the Wineman Road Culvert Repair Project (ED10-216; 245R12B501).			
(5) RECOMMENDED ACTION It is our recommendation that your Honorable Board adopt the Mitigated Negative Declaration for a project by the Department of Public Works to replace existing culverts on Wineman Road, an unnamed tributary to Nipomo Creek located southeast of the community of Nipomo.			
(6) FUNDING SOURCE(S) Road Fund	(7) CURRENT YEAR FINANCIAL IMPACT \$50,000.00	(8) ANNUAL FINANCIAL IMPACT \$0.00	(9) BUDGETED? Yes
(10) AGENDA PLACEMENT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consent <input type="checkbox"/> Presentation <input type="checkbox"/> Hearing (Time Est. _____) <input type="checkbox"/> Board Business (Time Est. _____)			
(11) EXECUTED DOCUMENTS <input type="checkbox"/> Resolutions <input type="checkbox"/> Contracts <input type="checkbox"/> Ordinances <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A		(12) BUDGET ADJUSTMENT REQUIRED? BAR ID Number: N/A <input type="checkbox"/> 4/5th's Vote Required <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A	
(13) OUTLINE AGREEMENT REQUISITION NUMBER (OAR) N/A		(14) W-9 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	
(15) LOCATION MAP Attached	(16) BUSINESS IMPACT STATEMENT? No	(17) AGENDA ITEM HISTORY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A Date _____	
(18) ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE REVIEW <i>Nikki J. Schmidt</i>			
(19) SUPERVISOR DISTRICT(S) District 4 -			

Reference: 12FEB28-C-8

County of San Luis Obispo



TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Public Works
Mark Hutchinson, Environmental Programs Manager

VIA: Dave Flynn, Deputy Director of Public Works

DATE: 2/28/2012

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RECOMMENDATION

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DISCUSSION

The Wineman Road Culvert Repair Project is a proposal by the Department of Public Works to repair a washed out section of roadway and damaged culverts along Wineman Road by replacing the existing culverts with two new 40-foot long by 60-inch diameter pipes. Unusually heavy flows along an unnamed tributary to Nipomo Creek have incrementally damaged the culverts and crossing in 2002 and again in 2010. Repair of the roadway over the culverts will require 125 cubic yards of imported borrow material, with an additional 50 cubic yards of rock slope protection, resulting in the permanent disturbance of approximately 525 square feet. The project site is on Wineman Road approximately 0.6 miles north of State Highway 166, southeast of the community of Nipomo in San Luis Obispo County, in the South County planning area.

The proposed Negative Declaration identified impacts and mitigations in the following issue areas: Biological Resources, Cultural Resources, Geology and Soils, and Water. Mitigation will include best management practices for noise, water pollution, and erosion control. No impacts to federally listed or sensitive species are anticipated.

Construction is anticipated to occur between May and October of 2012 as a maintenance activity of Public Works crews; taking approximately 5 working days. It is anticipated that the project will take approximately 2 weeks. Work will occur during the dry season within County right of way. Incursion onto the adjacent agricultural property, if necessary, would be limited in duration (less than two weeks) and involve less than 1/4 acre of land. All staging will occur within County right-of-way.

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT/IMPACT

The project will require permits or involvement from the California Department of Fish and Game, Army Corps of Engineers, and the Regional Water Quality Control Board. The Initial Study was prepared by staff of the Department of Public Works Environmental Division, with review and approval by the Environmental Coordinator in the Department of Planning and Building. The Environmental Coordinator recommends adoption of the Mitigated Negative Declaration. The proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration was noticed for public comment for a 30-day review period ending February 10, 2012. No comments were received during the comment period.

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

The total construction cost is estimated to be \$50,000. The project is budgeted within the Public Works Department Roads Fund.

RESULTS

Approval of this Mitigated Negative Declaration will complete the environmental review phase and allow the project to move into the environmental permitting compliance phase. Completion of the project will stabilize a roadway and creek bank leading to a more safe and livable community.

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File: Road 1066

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ATTACHMENTS

1. Vicinity Map
2. Mitigated Negative Declaration