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Project Title: Walker Creek F	Road Bridge Replacement Pr	oject		
Lead Agency: Inyo County			Contact Person: Ashley Helms	
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City: Independence, CA		Zip: 93526	County: Inyo	
Project Location: County: Inyo		City/Nearest Com	munity: Olancha,	
Cross Streets: US 395 & Walker				Zip Code: 93549
Longitude/Latitude (degrees, minutes and seconds): 36 • 15		<u>′ 37.76″ N / -117</u> °	59 ′44.08″ W	Total Acres: 2.34
Assessor's Parcel No.:		Section: 20	Гwp.: 19 S	Range: 37 E Base:
Within 2 Miles: State Hwy #: US 395		Waterways: Los Angeles Aqueduct		
Airports:		Railways:		Schools:
Document Type: CEQA: NOP Early Cons Neg Dec () Mit Neg Dec C	☐ Draft EIR ☐ Supplement/Subsequent EIR Prior SCH No.) Other:		NOI Otho EA Draft EIS FONSI	er:
Local Action Type:				
General Plan Update General Plan Amendment General Plan Element Community Plan	☐ Specific Plan ☐ Master Plan ☐ Planned Unit Developmer ☐ Site Plan		t sion (Subdivision,	Annexation Redevelopment Coastal Permit etc.) Other:Bridge Replace
Development Type:				
Commercial: Sq.ft Industrial: Sq.ft	Acres Employees Employees Employees	☐ Mining: ☐ Power: ☐ Waste Tr	Mineral_ Type reatment:Type is Waste:Type	dge and road realignment MW MGD
Project Issues Discussed in Document:				
Aesthetic/Visual Agricultural Land Air Quality Archeological/Historical Biological Resources Coastal Zone Drainage/Absorption Economic/Jobs	☐ Fiscal ☐ Flood Plain/Flooding ☐ Forest Land/Fire Hazard ☐ Geologic/Seismic ☐ Minerals ☐ Noise ☐ Population/Housing Balan ☐ Public Services/Facilities	□ Recreation/Pa □ Schools/Univ □ Septic System □ Sewer Capaci □ Soil Erosion/0 □ Solid Waste □ Toxic/Hazard □ Traffic/Circul	ersities is ty Compaction/Gradi ous	 X Vegetation X Water Quality X Water Supply/Groundwater X Wetland/Riparian ing X Growth Inducement X Land Use X Cumulative Effects X Other: Tribal Resources
Present Land Hag/Zaning/Co	nord Blon Decignation			

Present Land Use/Zoning/General Plan Designation:

Open Space and Rural Residential

Project Description: (please use a separate page if necessary)

The Inyo County Public Works Department proposes the Walker Creek Road Bridge Replacement Project, which would involve the replacement of County Bridge 48C0039 with a new bridge and would close the existing bridge to public vehicular traffic. The proposed project would also include the realignment of Walker Creek Road as it approaches the bridge in either direction. The proposed project is needed to improve bridge functionality and public safety. The existing bridge has been evaluated under the Federal Highway Administration's Highway Bridge Program and was classified as functionally obsolete according to the National Bridge Inspection Standards. The new bridge is structurally sound, meets modern structural and safety codes, and provides adequate vehicle access between U.S. Highway 395 and destinations west of the Los Angeles Aqueduct.

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Authority cited: Section 21083, Public Resources Code. Reference: Section 21161, Public Resources Code.