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Bridge Scour Mitigation****Responsible Agencies, Review Agencies,
Organizations, and Individuals interested in
the Interstate 405 at San Gabriel River
Bridge Scour Mitigation Project****Notice of Availability of Draft Initial Study with Proposed Negative Declaration / Environmental Assessment [IS/EA] and Notice of Opportunity for Public Hearing**

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) proposes a bridge scour maintenance project at the Interstate 405 (I-405) / Interstate 605 (I-605) interchange – a complex of three (3) bridges that traverse the San Gabriel River at the Los Angeles County/Orange County line. The scope of work for all three bridges includes:

- Retrofit of bridge substructure foundation by constructing pier footing extensions at Pier 3 and Pier 4 at each bridge
- Reinforcement of new footing extensions through placement of new Cast-In-Drilled-Hole (CIDH) piles
- Armoring of substructure retrofit through placement of rip-rap/rock protection around each pier

Caltrans is the lead agency under the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) under Caltrans' assumption of responsibility pursuant to 23 U.S.C. 327, and the lead agency under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). Caltrans has studied the effects that the proposed project may have on the environment and community. The results of these studies are contained in an environmental document known as a Draft Initial Study with Proposed Negative Declaration/Environmental Assessment [IS/EA]. The purpose of this notice is to inform the public of its completion and availability to any interested individuals, and to provide the public an opportunity to comment and/or request a public hearing. The Draft IS/EA is available for viewing and download at:

<https://tinyurl.com/l405-SGR>

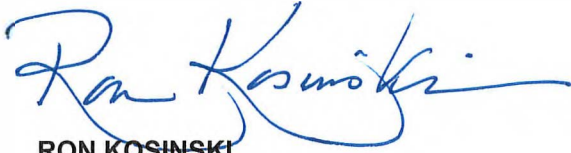
The Draft IS/EA is also available for review and reproduction at the Caltrans District 7, Division of Environmental Planning offices (100 S. Main Street, Los Angeles, CA 90012) on weekdays from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Additionally, the IS/EA will be available for review at the Los Altos Neighborhood Library (5614 Britton Drive, Long Beach, CA 90815). Please submit any written comments no later than May 5, 2020 to:

Mr. Ron Kosinski, Deputy District Director
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If there are no substantial comments (or requests for a public hearing), Caltrans will proceed with the proposed project design. For additional information, or to request a public hearing, please contact Mr. Eduardo Aguilar at (213) 897-8492, or via e-mail at eduardo.aguilar@dot.ca.gov. Thank you for your interest in this transportation project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Ron Kosinski". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

RON KOSINSKI
Deputy District Director