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SCH #: _____

Project Title: Silverado Canyon Bridge Replacement

Lead Agency: Orange County

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Project Location: Silverado (*City*) Orange County (*County*)

Project Description (Proposed actions, location, and/or consequences).

Orange County Public Works, in cooperation with the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans), is proposing to replace the Silverado Canyon Road Bridge (Bridge No. 55C-0177) over Silverado Creek. The existing bridge is a single span and crosses over Silverado Creek. The proposed Project will replace the existing substandard steel bridge; a portion of the construction funding is provided by the Highway Bridge Program (HBP).

The replacement bridge will have 12-foot wide lanes and will include a 4-foot shoulder on the north side and 6-foot shoulder on the south side, for a minimum total barrier to barrier width of 34 feet.

The narrow road and limited right of way requires the replacement structure be placed in the same location as the existing structure. There is no viable detour available. The bridge will be replaced utilizing staged construction with approximately ½ the bridge replaced in each stage.

Identify the project's significant or potentially significant effects and briefly describe any proposed mitigation measures that would reduce or avoid that effect.

Potential impacts as a result of the proposed Silverado Canyon Bridge Replacement Project include impacts to air quality, biological resources, cultural resources, geology and soils, hazardous materials, hydrology and water quality, noise, public services, transportation, tribal cultural resources, utilities, and wildfire. Avoidance, minimization, and mitigation measures would be implemented to reduce any potential impacts to less than significant. No unavoidable and significant impacts would occur as a result of the proposed Project.

If applicable, describe any of the project's areas of controversy known to the Lead Agency, including issues raised by agencies and the public.

None.

Provide a list of the responsible or trustee agencies for the project.

Orange County.