

Summary Form for Electronic Document Submittal

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SCH #: _____

Project Title: Alamo River Trail Trestle Bridge

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Project Location: Holtville
City

Imperial
County

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

The Alamo River Trail Trestle Bridge will demolish and replace damaged portions of the bridge (approximately 1,000 square feet), install 3,500 square feet of bridge decking, 350 linear feet of Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) compliant bridge railings, and 350 square feet of bridge landing for the transition between the bridge and the existing Alamo River Trail. The damaged structures will use timber, when feasible, to match the nondamaged portion of the bridge. The project will also include trail improvements consisting of an 8-foot wide, 12 inch deep, class 2 base trail continuation section from the east edge of the Alamo River Bridge to the existing 8-foot-wide plain cement concrete trail. Additional improvements include trail side amenities consisting of 45,000 square feet of mulch, fifteen (15) trees from fifteen (15) gallon containers, thirty-five (35) each of bushes, shrubs, and grasses, six (6) benches, two (2) informational kiosks, four (4) "No Motor Vehicles" signs, and one (1) funding acknowledgement sign. All proposed landscaping will comply with the State Model Water Efficient Landscape Ordinance (MWELO) and have its own irrigation consisting of drip fittings and tree bubblers.

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

1) Air Quality - AQ-1: Dust Control Plan, AQ-2: Air Quality Measures

2) Biological Resources - BIO-1: Nesting Bird Survey, BIO-2: Buffers, BIO-3: Noise Mitigation Program, BIO-4: Burrowing Owl

3) Cultural Resources - CR-1: Inventory of Existing Conditions, CR-2: Historic American Engineering Record, CR-3: Removal of Non-Historic Materials, CR-4: Inspection of Existing Materials for Decay and Treatment, CR-5: Repair and Replacement of Decayed or Damaged Materials, CR-6: Project Design, CR-7: Cultural Materials, CR-8: Evaluation Programs, CR-9: Archaeologist, CR-10: Discovery of Human Remains

4) Geology & Soils - GEO-1: Geotechnical Report, GEO-2: State Building Code, GEO-3: State Water Resources Control Board Permit, GEO-4: Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan, GEO-5: Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan Practitioner.

5) Mandatory Findings of Significance - AQ-1 and AQ-2, BIO-1 through BIO-4, and CR-1 through CR-10.

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

The City of Holtville Planning Commission held a public hearing for the project on December 18, 2024. Notices for the hearing were sent out in advance to surrounding properties and stakeholders, to a local newspaper for publication, and to City Hall for posting. After presenting the project and environmental document, neither the Planning Commission nor the public provided any comments nor were any concerns raised.

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

The City of Holtville is the only lead agency for the Alamo River Trail Trestle Bridge project.