

**Date:**

January 24, 2012

**Applicant:**

Union Pacific Railroad  
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**Applicant's Representative:**

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**Project Name:**

Union Pacific Railroad - Milepost (MP) 661.16 Improvement Project, WDID No. 7A133115001

**Receiving Water:**

Ephemeral, unnamed drainage, tributary to the Salton Sea.

**Location:**

City or area: Wister, Imperial County, California  
Longitude/ Latitude: 33°18'04"N/ 115°35'28"W  
Township/Range: T 10 S/ R 13 E/Section 14

**Project Description:**

Union Pacific Railroad (UPRR) plans to remove a bridge and install a new bridge near the town of Wister in Imperial County, California. The replacement bridge has been sized to meet or exceed the required conveyance capacity, based on a review of the 50-year and 100-year flood events, and will accommodate the existing mainline track and a future second track.

UPRR will remove the existing timber pile trestle bridge and install one prestressed concrete box (PCB) bridge at the channel at MP 661.16. The replacement bridge will be 30 feet in length to accommodate future storm events and uphold a future second mainline track. Riprap will be placed upstream and downstream of the new bridge. Engineering drawings are attached to this application.

**Action:**

Pending

**Water Board Contact:**

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