

Date:

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Applicant:

Union Pacific Railroad
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Project Name:

Union Pacific Railroad - Milepost (MP) 675.06 Improvement Project, WDID No. 7A133123001

Receiving Water:

Ephemeral, unnamed drainage, tributary to the Salton Sea.

Location:

City or area: Niland, Imperial County, California
Longitude/ Latitude: 33°11'28"N/ 115°23'43"W
Township/Range: T 11 S/ R 15 E/Section 22

Project Description:

Union Pacific Railroad (UPRR) plans to remove a bridge and install five culverts near the town of Niland in Imperial County, California. The replacement culverts have been sized to meet or exceed the current structure's 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 mainline track.

UPRR will remove the existing timber pile trestle bridge and install five culverts at the channel at MP 675.06. The replacement culverts will be 84 inches in diameter to accommodate future storm events and uphold the existing mainline and a future second mainline track. The culverts will be a corrugated steel pipe (CSP). The culverts will fill the width of the existing drainage channel under the mainline and proposed second mainline within the ordinary high water mark at this crossing and a portion of the channel will be slightly realigned. Riprap will be placed at the culvert inlets and outlets.

Action:

Pending

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