

Notice of Section 401 Application Reception

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Project Name: State Route 60/Moreno Beach Drive Interchange Project, Phase 2

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Project City: Moreno Valley

Project County: Riverside

Applicant Organization: City of Moreno Valley

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Brief Description of Project:

Project Description: The purpose of this project is to provide operational improvements to facilitate traffic movement at and near the SR-60/Moreno Beach Drive interchange, alleviate existing traffic congestion, increase storage capacity at the SR-60/Moreno Beach Drive interchange, and address the existing roadway and bridge deficiencies at this interchange. This project is needed to improve safety, bring the roadway and bridge features up to current standards, and provide acceptable levels of service.

Project Activities: The SR-60/Moreno Project Phase 2 is proposing to provide a westbound (WB) off-ramp to Moreno Beach Drive, north of SR-60. At Moreno Beach Drive, a loop on-ramp with auxiliary lane for northbound (NB) traffic and a direct on-ramp for southbound (SB) traffic are proposed for vehicles to complete the SB Moreno Beach Drive to WB SR-60 movement. A traffic signal would be provided at the intersection of these ramps with Moreno Beach Drive. Ramp meters would be provided for the WB on-ramps. The existing two-lane bridge would be replaced with a new overcrossing that would provide additional through lanes plus a dedicated left-turn lane with standard lane widths and sidewalks, as well as minimum shoulders that would accommodate bicycles in each direction. A minimum standard vertical clearance to SR-60 would be provided for the proposed bridge structure. In addition, SR-60 would be widened in the WB direction to provide an auxiliary lane.