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# **APPENDIX B**

# SITE PHOTOGRAPHS



Photo 1. View of the proposed "New Road Location." Note the weedy vegetation and disturbed nature of the site.



Photo 2. View top the north, showing the nonnative grassland.



Photo 3. View of the southwest corner of the site, showing the small remnant patch of coastal sage scrub, dominated by California Buckwheat.



Photo 4. Another view of the nonnative grassland and previous ground disturbance, looking north from the southeastern corner of the site.



Photo 5. View along the western boundary of the site, showing the existing storm drain.



Photo 6. View east of the site, showing undeveloped open space and potential Burrowing Owl foraging habitat.

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# **APPENDIX C**

# SPECIES OBSERVED LIST

#### Vascular Plants Observed on the Southwest Justice Center Juvenile Hall Courts Relocation Project Site, Riverside County, California

4 February 2014

#### EUDICOT FLOWERING PLANTS Asteraceae Centaurea melitensis\*

Corethrogyne filaginifolia Erigeron canadensis Hemizonia sp. Heterotheca grandiflora

Boraginaceae Amsinckia intermedia

Brassicaceae Brassica nigra\* Hirschfeldia incana\*

Crassulaceae Crassula connata

Euphorbiaceae Croton setigerus

Fabaceae Acmispon glaber Medicago polymorpha\*

Geraniaceae Erodium cicutarium\*

Polygonaceae Eriogonum fasciculatum

Solanaceae Nicotiana glauca\*

#### MONOCOT FLOWERING PLANTS

Poaceae \*Bromus madritensis ssp. rubens \*Schismus barbatus

#### Sunflower Family tocalote California-aster horseweed tarplant telegraph weed

Borage Family common fiddleneck

Mustard Family black mustard shortpod mustard

Stonecrop Family pygmy-weed

Spurge Family dove weed

Pea Family deerweed burclover

Geranium Family redstem filaree

Buckwheat Family California buckwheat

Nightshade Family tree tobacco

Grass Family red brome Mediterranean schismus

\* - denotes a nonnative species

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#### <u>BIRDS</u>

Kites, Eagles, Hawks, and allies Red-tailed Hawk

Caracaras and Falcons American Kestrel

Pigeons and Doves Mourning Dove

Hummingbirds Anna's Hummingbird

Tyrant Flycatchers Say's Phoebe

Jays, Magpies, and Crows Common Raven

Thrashers and Mockingbirds Northern Mockingbird

Emberizids White-crowned Sparrow

Icterids Western Meadowlark

Fringilline and Cardueline Finches House Finch

#### MAMMALS

Rabbits and Hares Desert Cottontail

Squirrels, Chipmunks, and Marmots California ground squirrel

Pocket Gophers Botta's Pocket opher

#### <u>AVES</u>

Accipitridae Buteo jamaicensis

Falconidae Falco sparverius

Columbidae Zenaida macroura

Trochilidae Calypte anna

**Tyrannidae** Sayornis saya

**Corvidae** *Corvus corax* 

Mimidae Mimus polyglottos

Emberizidae Zonotrichia leucophrys

Icteridae Sturnella neglecta

Fringillidae Haemorhous mexicanus

#### MAMMALIA

Leporidae Sylvilagus audubonii

Sciuridae Spermophilus beecheyi

Geomyidae Thomomys bottae Southwest Justice Center Biological Habitat Assessment Report March 2014

# **APPENDIX D**

# CERTIFICATION

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I hereby certify that the statements furnished above in the attached exhibits present the data and information required for this biological evaluation, and that the facts, statements, and information presented are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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Stephen J. Myers Wildlife Biologist/Ornithologist AMEC Environment & Infrastructure, Inc.

# Memo

То

Cheryl DeGano Albert A. Webb Associates Type/Title of Project: Southwest Justice Center Juvenile Hall Courts Relocation Project

From Nathan T. Moorhatch

Project # 1455400574

Date June 4, 2014

#### Subject Southwest Justice Center Juvenile Hall Courts Relocation Project Narrow Endemic and Criteria Area Plant Species Survey

#### Introduction

On May 28, 2014 AMEC Environment & Infrastructure, Inc. (AMEC) Biologist Nathan T. Moorhatch conducted a focused survey for Narrow Endemic and Criteria Area plant species as defined by the Western Riverside County Multiple Species Habitat Conservation Plan (MSHCP) on the approximately 3-acre project site. This survey was a recommended measure to comply with the MSHCP, as proposed in the unpublished Draft Biological Habitat Assessment Report for the Southwest Justice Center Juvenile Hall Courts Relocation Project (AMEC 2014). This report is intended as an addendum to the original Biological Habitat Assessment. Project information including location, surrounding land uses, and soil types present on the project site have been previously presented in the Biological Habitat Assessment, and to avoid redundancy will not be presented again in this report.

#### **Methods**

The Draft Biological Habitat Assessment Report identified seven Criteria Area plant species known from the project area; of these seven species only two: thread-leaved brodiaea (*Brodiaea filifolia*) and round-leaved filaree (*California macrophylla*) were identified as having potential to occur on the project site. The Biological Assessment also identified six Narrow Endemic plant species known from the greater project area. Only two of these species: Munz's onion (*Allium munzii*) and many-stemmed dudleya (*Dudleya multicaulis*) were thought to have any potential for occurrence on the site. The potential for occurrence for all four plant species on the project site. The original field survey of the project site was conducted on February 4, 2014, which is before the blooming period for all four plants, and also likely too early to detect them in their vegetative (non-blooming) state.

Mr. Moorhatch performed the focused rare plant survey on the project site on May 28, 2014. Weather conditions consisted of approximately 70% cloud cover, 0-3 mph wind, and a temperature of 74°F upon arrival; to approximately 85% cloud cover, 3-7 mph wind, and a temperature of 79°F upon departure from the site. Mr. Moorhatch surveyed the entire project site on foot. All plant species observed were recorded in field notes (please see attached species list). Certain plant specimens were collected and taken to Andrew Sanders (Curator) of the University of California Riverside herbarium for identification.

#### <u>Results</u>

Mr. Moorhatch observed 27 plant species on the project site during the survey. When combined with the plants observed on the February 4, 2014 field survey performed for the aforementioned Draft Biological Habitat Assessment, a total of 31 plant species were identified on this site. There are no native plant communities present on the site, save for a small stand of California buckwheat (*Eriogonum fasciculatum*) on the southwest corner of the site. This stand of buckwheat likely represents a remnant patch of California Buckwheat Scrub (Sawyer et al 2008). The remainder of the site is dominated by non-native "weedy" plants with some native plant species sparsely distributed throughout the site. This plant community has been classified as Non-native Grassland by Holland (Holland 1986), or as "Upland Mustards" and "Yellow Star-thistle Fields" by Sawyer (Sawyer et al 2008). Apart from the southwest corner of the site, the dominant plant species on this project site are shortpod mustard (*Hirschfeldia incana*), yellow star-thistle or tocalote (*Centaurea melitensis*), and red-stemmed filaree (*Erodium*)

*cicutarium*). All of these dominant plants are non-native. Seventeen of the thirty-one plants identified on the project site are non-native, so a little over half (55%) of all plants found on the site are introduced, weedy species that are not native to California. This high percentage of weedy, introduced species is indicative of disturbed, ruderal areas throughout southern California. The project site is a vacant, disturbed lot that shows signs of having been cleared in the past (see Figure 1.)



**Figure 1**. View from northeast corner of site looking west. Showing open, disturbed ground with shortpod mustard and tocalote.

The northern ¼ of the project site has been identified as Bosanko clay soil, and the presence of this soil type is the primary reason that the four sensitive plants listed in the first paragraph of this document were thought to have some probability to occur on the site. During the May 28, 2014 survey of the site, Mr. Moorhatch observed that the most of the northern ¼ of the project site containing Bosanko clay soils was heavily disturbed, and appeared to have a significant covering of gravel/pebbles over much of it (see Figure 2). No thread-leaved brodiaea, round-leaved filaree, many-stemmed dudleya, or Munz's onion were observed on the project site during the current field survey (or during the previous survey in February). Mr. Moorhatch has observed both Munz's onion and many-stemmed dudleya in the field in the past, and is familiar with the appearance and habitat of both species and would not have missed these plants if they had been present. Apart from three species of non-native grasses, no other monocots were found on the site, not even the common blue dicks (Dichelostemma capitatum). It appears that the project site is too disturbed to support thread-leaved brodiaea, a plant that is not tolerant of discing, mowing, and similar anthropogenic impacts that commonly occur on vacant lots. Mr. Moorhatch did find two species of non-native filaree on the site: red-stemmed filaree and long-beaked filaree (Erodium botrys). Both of these filarees are widespread and common weedy introduced species. No round-leaved filaree were found on the site, which is not suprising considering the disturbed nature and small size of the project area. Mr. Moorhatch did find one "sensitive" plant species on the project site: paniculate tarplant (Deinandra paniculata). Paniculate tarplant is not a federal or state listed endangered or threatened species, and is not on the MSHCP Narrow Endemic or Criteria Area plant species lists. Paniculate tarplant has a California Native Plant Society ranking of 4.2 (basically a "watch-list" species).



Figure 2. Closeup view of the disturbed, gravel-covered Bosanko clay soils present on the northern ¼ of the site.



Figure 3. Central "plateau" portion of site, looking north. Another view of the shortpod mustard and tocalote dominated "habitat'.



Figure 4. Southwest corner of site, showing remnant California Buckwheat Scrub

#### **Discussion**

The 2012-2013 rain season totals for the general project vicinity were 7.71 inches, which represents a little over half of the average yearly rainfall of 14.53 inches for the Murrieta area (MurrietaWeatherCurrents.com 2014). 2014 is another drought year, although the Murrieta area appears to have had slightly better rainfall (8.92 inches) compared to the previous rain year (MurrietaWeatherCurrents.com 2014). Despite the drought conditions, AMEC biologists were able to identify 31 plant species on the relatively small (approximately 3 acre) project site. After having surveyed the site twice in 2014, once during the winter (February) and again in the spring (May); no MSHCP Narrow Endemic or Criteria Area rare plant species were observed on the site. It is AMEC's opinion that these plant species are not present on the Southwest Justice Center Juvenile Hall Courts Relocation site. AMEC biologists feel the reason for this absence is due to the disturbed and degraded nature of the "habitat" present on the site; an opinion supported by the fact that over half of the plants observed on the site are non-native. The site appears to have been subjected to a variety of impacts such as clearing and gravel-deposition in the past.

Sincerely,

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#### Vascular Plants Observed on the Southwest Justice Center Juvenile Hall Courts Relocation Project Site, Riverside County, California

4 February & 28 May 2014

#### EUDICOT FLOWERING PLANTS

#### Amaranthaceae

\*Amaranthus albus

#### Asteraceae

Ambrosia acanthicarpa \*Centaurea melitensis Corethrogyne filaginifolia Deinandra paniculata Erigeron canadensis Helianthus annuus Heterotheca grandiflora \*Sonchus oleraceus

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Brassicaceae \*Brassica nigra \*Hirschfeldia incana \* Sinapis arvensis

Chenopodiaceae Chenopodium berlandieri \*Salsola tragus

Crassulaceae Crassula connata

Euphorbiaceae Croton setiger Euphorbia albomarginata

Fabaceae Acmispon glaber \*Medicago polymorpha \*Melilotus indicus

Geraniaceae \*Erodium botrys \*Erodium cicutarium

Myrsinaceae \*Anagallis arvensis

Onagraceae Epilobium ciliatum Amaranth Family white pigweed

#### Sunflower Family

annual bur-sage tocalote California-aster paniculate tarplant horseweed sunflower telegraph weed common sowthistle

Borage Family common fiddleneck

Mustard Family black mustard shortpod mustard charlock

**Goosefoot Family** pitseed goosefoot Russian thistle

Stonecrop Family pygmy-weed

Spurge Family dove weed rattlesnake weed

**Pea Family** deerweed burclover sourclover

Geranium Family long-beaked filaree redstem filaree

Myrsine Family scarlet pimpernel

Evening-Primrose Family willowherb

#### Vascular Plants Observed on the Southwest Justice Center Juvenile Hall Courts Relocation Project Site, Riverside County, California (Continued)

#### Polygonaceae

Eriogonum fasciculatum \*Rumex crispus

Solanaceae \*Nicotiana glauca

MONOCOT FLOWERING PLANTS

#### Poaceae

\*Bromus madritensis ssp. rubens

\*Polypogon monspeliensis

\*Schismus barbatus

Buckwheat Family California buckwheat curly dock

Nightshade Family tree tobacco

**Grass Family** 

red brome rabbitfoot grass Mediterranean schismus

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#### 4 February & 28 May 2014

#### **REPTILES**

Spiny and Horned Lizards Great Basin Fence Lizard

#### **BIRDS**

Swans, Geese, and Ducks Mallard

Kites, Eagles, Hawks, and allies Red-tailed Hawk

Caracaras and Falcons American Kestrel

Pigeons and Doves Mourning Dove

Swifts White-throated Swift

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Emberizids Lark Sparrow White-crowned Sparrow

Icterids Western Meadowlark

**Fringilline and Cardueline Finches** House Finch American Goldfinch

#### **REPTILIA**

Phrynosomatidae Sceloporus occidentalis longipes

<u>AVES</u>

Anatidae Anas platyrhynchos

Accipitridae Buteo jamaicensis

Falconidae Falco sparverius

Columbidae Zenaida macroura

Apodidae Aeronautes saxatalis

Trochilidae Calypte anna

**Tyrannidae** Sayornis saya Tyrannus vociferans

Corvidae Corvus corax

Hirundinidae Petrochelidon pyrrhonota

Mimidae Mimus polyglottos

Emberizidae Chondestes grammacus Zonotrichia leucophrys

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#### MAMMALIA

**Leporidae** Sylvilagus audubonii

Sciuridae Spermophilus beecheyi

Geomyidae Thomomys bottae



# RIVERSIDE COUNTY PLANNING DEPARTMENT

Juan C. Perez Interim Planning Director

Memorandum

#### DATE: September 4, 2014

- TO: Laura Ballestros Facilities Project Manager III Economic Development Agency
- FROM: Michele Felix, Ecological Resource Specialist Environmental Programs Division

#### RE: Results of Burrowing Owl Focused Survey at SJWC

#### Introduction

The Riverside County Environmental Programs Division (EPD) performed a Burrowing Owl (*Athene cunicularia*) Focused Survey, prior to the commencement of new construction at the Southwest Justice Center. Construction will provide various improvements to the center and relocate the juvenile hall court. It was requested that EPD conduct focused burrowing owl surveys prior to site disturbance in order to establish whether burrowing owls are occupying the project site or adjacent areas.

#### **Project Description**

The survey area is located in the City of Murrieta at the southwest corner of Auld and Leon Road. The project site is also located within Section 7, Township 7 South, Range 2 West. An aerial view of the project site can be seen in Site Map. The property contains a courthouse, detention center and undeveloped space. The County of Riverside is planning on relocating the juvenile hall court to a currently undeveloped portion of the property. An aerial view of the site can be found below.

#### Methods

The proposed project is within the MSHCP survey area for burrowing owl and was earlier determined to contain suitable burrowing owl habitat; therefore a focused burrowing owl survey was deemed necessary. Burrowing owls can use a variety of habitats for nesting and foraging however habitats are typically characterized by wide open areas with low growing vegetation. Critical to the survival of burrowing owls is the presence of burrowing mammals. Burrowing owls do not typically dig their own burrows but rely on the abandoned burrows of animals such as the prairie dog and ground squirrel. Burrowing owls are also known to utilize rock piles and man-made structures for perching and shelter.

The Southwest Justice Center relocation lot was surveyed for burrowing owls and burrowing owl activity during the week of August 18<sup>th</sup>, 2014. See Table 1 for weather data, survey dates and times. The project site is characterized by low to moderate growing vegetation, plowed fields and manmade structures. The portion of property where construction will commence and a 500ft buffer was searched for small mammal burrows, burrowing owl individuals and sign. The project site was inspected by walking 30 foot interval transects throughout the property and buffer area. This allowed for 100% visual coverage of the ground surface. All surveys were completed in accordance with the Burrowing Owl Survey Instruction for the MSHCP, dated March 29, 2006. As described in Step II Part A of the burrowing owl survey instructions, a burrow survey was conducted on August 19, 2014. Step II Part B, focused burrowing owl surveys were completed on August 19<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> of 2014. Binoculars (10x42 optic power) and a Kestrel 3000 Pocket Weather Meter were used to conduct observations and record weather data.

#### Results

Moderate bird activity was observed on the property. The species observed included House Finch (*Carpodacus mexicanus*), Mourning Dove (*Zenaida macroura*), Lesser Goldfinch (*Spinus psaltria*), American Crow (*Corvus brachyrhynchos*), European Starling (*Sturnus vulgaris*), Western Kingbird (*Tyrannus verticalis*) and Rock Pigeon (*Columba livia*).

Several small mammal burrows were located on the project property. Burrow locations can be found below on the Burrow Map along with photo documentation. None of the burrows were found to contain sign of active nesting or occupation (feathers, white wash, pellets, ornamental decorations or egg shell fragments). No evidence of burrowing owl utilization was observed on the County of Riverside Southwest Justice Center property or adjacent 500ft buffer areas.

#### **Conclusions and Recommendations**

Relocation of the juvenile court and improvements to the Southwest Justice Center may proceed as planned. In accordance with the Burrowing Owl Survey Instructions for the MSHCP and Burrowing Owl Species Objective 6, a 30-day Preconstruction Burrowing Owl Survey shall be conducted prior to any grading, vegetation removal or site disturbance. The pre-construction survey shall be performed by a qualified biologist and conducted according to the Burrowing Owl Survey Instructions for the MSHCP. The pre-construction surveys are valid for 30 days. If site disturbance has not commenced within the 30 days then a subsequent survey must be performed. If burrowing owls are found at the time of the 30 day clearance then a Burrowing Owl Relocation and Monitoring Plan shall be generated by a qualified biologist with a current MOU with the County of Riverside. The Regional Conservation Authority (RCA) shall be consulted on whether to proceed with active or passive relocation. The RCA will also be consulted on proper procedures and protocols for relocations. The Burrowing Owl Relocation and Monitoring Plan shall be submitted to the RCA and EPD for review and approval.

If you have any questions, please contact me directly at (951) 955-0314 or via email at <u>mhfelix@rctlma.org</u>.

| Table | 1 |
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|-------------|--------------|----------|-------------|-----------------|
| Survey Date | Survey Times | Surveyor | Temperature | Weather         |
| 8/19/2014   | 0556-0750    | C. Young | Start: 66 F | Cloudy, Winds   |
|             |              |          | End: 70 F   | from the west   |
|             |              |          |             | 2mph            |
| 8/21/2014   | 0604-0726    | M. Felix | Start: 62   | Partly cloudy,  |
|             |              |          | End: 65     | light wind 0-   |
|             |              |          |             | 1mph            |
| 8/22/2014   | 0553-0800    | C. Young | Start:66 F  | Clear, Calm     |
|             |              |          | End:70 F    |                 |
| 8/28/2014   | 0602-0705    | M. Felix | Start: 64 F | Clear, Calm, No |
|             |              |          | End: 67 F   | wind            |

Site Photos





Burrows, No owl sign





Burrows, No owl sign



Views of Property



Burrow Map





# TRANSMITTAL

| To:        | Riverside County Economic<br>3133 Mission Inn Avenue<br>Riverside, California 92507 | Development Agency | April 22, 2014<br>Project No: 10625.001 |
|------------|---|--------------------|---|
| Attention: | Mr. Sergio Pena<br>Supervising Facilities Project                                   | t Manager          | 110/201100                              |
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|                     | Proposal       |              |
|                     | Other          |              |

# Subject: <u>Geotechnical Exploration</u>, <u>Southwest Justice Center (SWJC) Juvenile</u> <u>Courthouse Relocation</u>, 30755 Auld Road, Riverside County, California

LEIGHTON CONSULTING, INC.

By: Simon I. Saiid, GE

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# GEOTECHNICAL EXPLORATION SOUTHWEST JUSTICE CENTER (SWJC) JUVENILE COURTHOUSE RELOCATION 30755 AULD ROAD, RIVERSIDE COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

Prepared for

# RIVERSIDE COUNTY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

3133 Mission Inn Avenue Riverside, California 92507

Project No. 10625.001

April 22, 2014





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Riverside County Economic Development Agency 3133 Mission Inn Avenue Riverside, California 92507

Attention: Mr. Sergio Pena Supervising Facilities Project Manager

#### Subject: Geotechnical Exploration Southwest Justice Center (SWJC) Juvenile Courthouse Relocation 30755 Auld Road, Riverside County, California

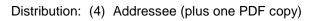
In accordance with your request, we have performed a geotechnical exploration for the subject project located southwest of the intersection of Auld Road and Leon Road in Riverside County, California (see Figure 1). This report summarizes our geotechnical findings, conclusions and recommendations regarding the design and construction of the proposed project. Based on the results of our exploration, it is our opinion that the site is suitable for the proposed project provided the recommendations included in this report are implemented during design and construction phases of development.

If you have any questions regarding this report, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned. We appreciate this opportunity to be of service on this project.

Respectfully submitted, LEIGHTON CONSULTING, INC.



Simon I. Saiid GE 2641 (Exp. 09/30/15) Principal Engineer



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Robert F. Riha



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# 1.0 INTRODUCTION

#### 1.1 Scope of Work

Our scope of services for this geotechnical exploration included the following:

- Review of available site-specific geologic information (see references) and provided site plans.
- A site reconnaissance and excavation of 7 exploratory borings. Approximate locations of these borings are depicted on Figure 4.
- Percolation testing at two selected locations at depth of 3 to 5 feet below existing ground surface (BGS) along the northern portion of the site.
- Geotechnical laboratory testing of selected soil samples obtained from this exploration. Test results are presented in Appendix B.
- Geotechnical engineering analyses performed or as directed by a California registered Geotechnical Engineer (GE) and reviewed by a California Certified Engineering Geologist (CEG).
- Preparation of this report which presents our geotechnical conclusions and recommendations for the proposed building.

This report is not intended to be used as an environmental assessment (Phase I or other), or foundation plan review.

#### **1.2** Site Location and Description

The site of the proposed project is located at the southwest intersection of Auld Road and Leon Road, Unincorporated Riverside County, California (*see Figure 1, Site Location Map*). The overall property consists of approximately 2.5 acres. The site of the proposed building is generally a ridge top with existing cut slopes descending (~10 to 20 feet) along the southern and western sides to the existing driveway. Site vegetation generally consists of annual weeds and grasses.

#### **1.3 Project Description**

Based on a provided site plan by TR Design Group, the project generally consists of a 13,425 square-foot (sq-ft) single-story building and associated site improvements including a basement area, a tunnel, and parking areas. Building pad construction will require cut and fill grading to achieve finish design grades. A cut-fill transition subgrade condition is anticipated along the south side of the building due to existing cut slope/driveway. A stormwater retention basin is planned for the northern portion of the site. Excavation for the proposed tunnel will expose footings of existing



courthouse building and extend to a depth of 8 feet below existing foundations. The excavation for the proposed basement area will require cuts in the order of 10 to 15 feet BGS into granitic bedrock.



# 2.0 FIELD EXPLORATION AND LABORATORY TESTING

### 2.1 Field Exploration

Our field exploration consisted of the excavation of seven (7) borings to provide basis for foundation design and construction of the proposed improvements. During exploration, in-situ undisturbed (Cal Ring) and disturbed/bulk samples were collected from the borings for further laboratory testing and evaluation. Approximate locations of these exploratory borings along with previous applicable borings are depicted on the *Boring Location Plan* (Figure 4). Sampling was conducted by a staff geologist/engineer from our firm. After logging and sampling, the excavations were loosely backfilled with spoils generated during excavation. The exploration logs from this exploration and adjacent borings from previous investigations are included in Appendix A.

#### 2.2 Laboratory Testing

Laboratory tests were performed on representative bulk samples to provide a basis for development of remedial earthwork and geotechnical design parameters. The laboratory testing program included maximum dry density and optimum moisture, particle size, expansion index, swell or settlement potential, in-situ moisture and density and soluble sulfate content. In addition, agricultural suitability testing was performed on two samples of onsite soils. The results of our laboratory testing are presented in Appendix B.



# 3.0 GEOTECHNICAL AND GEOLOGIC FINDINGS

#### 3.1 Regional Geology

The site is located within a prominent natural geomorphic province in southwestern California known as the Peninsular Ranges. This province is characterized by steep, elongated ranges and valleys that trend northwestward. More specifically, the site is situated near the southwestern boundary of the relatively stable Perris Block.

The Perris Block, approximately 20 miles by 50 miles in extent, is bounded by the San Jacinto Fault Zone to the northeast, the Elsinore Fault Zone to the southwest, the Cucamonga Fault Zone to the northwest, and the Temecula Basin to the southeast. The Perris Block has had a complex tectonic history, apparently undergoing relative vertical land-movements of several thousand feet in response to movement on the Elsinore and San Jacinto Fault Zones. Thin sedimentary and volcanic materials locally mantle crystalline bedrock. Very old axial-channel deposits and granitic rock underlie the site, as mapped regionally on Figure 2, *Regional Geologic Map*.

#### 3.2 Site Specific Geology

#### 3.2.1 Earth Materials

Our field exploration, observations, and review of the pertinent literature indicate that the site is underlain by existing artificial fill (associated with the existing courthouse), young to very old axial-channel deposits (or referred to hereafter as older alluvium) and cretaceous-aged granitic bedrock. In addition, more recent alluvial soils (younger alluvium) were also found overlaying the older alluvium. These units are discussed further in the following sections in order of increasing age. A more detailed description of each unit is provided on the logs of borings in Appendix A.

- Artificial Fill: Artificial fill materials were encountered in Borings LB-6 and LB-7 adjacent to existing building and appear to be associated with previous site grading. These materials are relatively dense and consist of sandy clay to clayey sand soils (SC/CL)
- Younger/Quaternary Alluvial Deposits: Younger alluvium was generally encountered in the northern portion of the site (by proposed detention basin) and mantling the bedrock in the eastern portion of the site. As encountered in the exploratory excavations, these materials consist of loose to medium dense, silty to clayey sand and sandy clay.



These materials are expected to possess medium collapse potential (up to 6 percent) and low expansion potential based on the results of laboratory testing (Appendix B).

- Older Alluvium: Older alluvial deposits were generally encountered below the younger alluvium and expected to mantle the granitic bedrock at depth. As encountered in the exploratory excavations, these materials consist of dense to very dense silty sand. These materials are expected to possess very low collapse and expansion potential based on the results of our laboratory testing.
- Granitic Bedrock: Granitic bedrock was generally encountered in the southern portion of the site and exposed along most of the cut slopes for the existing driveway. As encountered, the bedrock was completely to highly weathered, and was recovered as silty to well-graded sand with varying amounts of gravel. The granitic rock is generally covered with a thin layer of topsoil and/or colluvium. Auger refusal was encountered in two of our borings (LB-3 and LB-4) at depths of approximately 16 and 22 feet, respectively.

## 3.2.2 Rock Rippability

Based on the results of our geotechnical borings, we anticipate that the granitic bedrock to be rippable to a depth of 15 to 20 feet below existing ground surface with conventional heavy earth moving equipment in good operating conditions (Caterpillar D9L or D10 with single shank ripper and rock teeth). However, localized marginally rippable to unrippable rock may be encountered shallower, as may be indicated by exploration of Boring LB-3. Other areas may also encounter buried core stones or non-rippable rock within shallow depth or excavation depth of underground utility trenches. In addition, due to differential weathering of the granitic bedrock materials, very heavy ripping and/or other specialized excavation techniques may be required to maintain desired excavation rates. For proposed building pads and utility trenches in marginally rippable to non-rippable rock areas, it may be desirable to over-excavate at least 2 feet below the bottom of proposed utility trenches or 3 to 5 feet below pad grade to facilitate future trenching operations. Moreover, the California Building Code and County of Riverside require that no oversize rock be placed within 10 feet of the surface of a structural fill and/or building pad. The grading plan should be carefully reviewed to verify that oversized rocks are buried below 10-foot fill cap. If insufficient deep fill areas are not available, size reduction processing or offsite disposal may be required. Other uses of resistant rock may include onsite riprap or crushing/processing for aggregate base materials.



# 3.3 Groundwater and Surface Water

Groundwater was not encountered during our field exploration. Historic groundwater data, as reported by Eastern Municipal Water District's (EMWD) in the vicinity of the site reflect a groundwater depth greater than 50 feet below existing ground surface.

# 3.4 Regional Faulting and Fault Activity

The subject site, like the rest of Southern California, is located within a seismically active region as a result of being located near the active margin between the North American and Pacific tectonic plates. The principal source of seismic activity is movement along the northwest-trending regional fault systems such as the San Andreas, San Jacinto, and Elsinore Fault Zones. Based on published geologic hazard maps, this site is not located within a currently designated Alquist-Priolo Earthquake Fault Zone or County of Riverside Fault Zone. The nearest known active fault is the Elsinore-Temecula Fault Zone located approximately 6.5 miles (10.4 kilometers) southeast of the site.

## 3.5 Site-Specific Seismic Analysis

A site-specific ground motion analysis was performed in accordance with the 2013 California Building Code (CBC) and following the procedures of ASCE 7-10 Publication, Section 21.2, as presented in Appendix C.

The probabilistic seismic hazard analysis was performed using the computer program EZ-FRISK (Risk Engineering, 2011) to estimate peak horizontal ground acceleration (PHGA) that could occur at the site, and to develop design response spectra. Various probabilistic density functions were used in this analysis to assess uncertainty inherent in these calculations with respect to magnitude, distance and ground motion. An averaging of the following four next-generation attenuation relationships (NGAs) was used with equal weights to calculate site-specific PHGA and spectra:

- Abrahamson-Silva (2008)
- Boore-Atkinson (2008),
- Campbell-Bozorgnia (2008), and
- Chiou-Youngs (2007)

The design response spectrum shown on Figure C-1 is derived from a comparison of probabilistic Maximum Considered Earthquake (MCE) and the 150 percent of the



deterministic MCE as presented in Figures C-2 through C-3. In accordance with the 2013 CBC, peak ground accelerations are estimated based on maximum considered earthquake ground motion having a 2 percent probability of exceedance in 50 years) or site specific seismic hazard analysis (ASCE, 2010). Based on results of this analysis, a peak ground acceleration of 0.76g with a moment magnitude of 7.8 Mw is estimated for this site. The site-specific seismic coefficients are presented in Table 1 below.

In addition, the 2013 CBC seismic coefficients were calculated utilizing an interactive program on current United States Geological Survey (USGS) website using ASCE 7-10 procedures (referred to as USGS General Procedure). Based on our borings, the building will be underlain by dense older alluvium and/or granitic rock. Therefore, in accordance with the 2013 CBC, this site should be classified as a Class **C** site, and the site-specific seismic coefficients following this USGS general procedure are also presented in Table 1 below. We recommend the higher of the  $S_{DS}$  and  $S_{D1}$  included in table below be used in the structural design of the building.

| CBC Categorization/Coe                   | USGS General<br>Procedure (g)*    | EZ-Frisk<br>Procedure (g)* |      |
|--|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|------|
| Site Longitude (decimal degrees)         |                                   |                            |      |
| Site Latitude (decimal degrees)          | 33.5839                           |                            |      |
| Site Class Definition                    | С                                 |                            |      |
| Mapped Spectral Response Acceleration    | on at 0.2s Period, $S_s$          | 1.58                       | 1.90 |
| Mapped Spectral Response Acceleration    | on at 1s Period, S <sub>1</sub>   | 0.67                       | 0.77 |
| Short Period Site Coefficient at 0.2s Pe | riod, <i>F<sub>a</sub></i>        | 1.00                       |      |
| Long Period Site Coefficient at 1s Perio | od, $F_v$                         | 1.30                       |      |
| Adjusted Spectral Response Accelerati    | on at 0.2s Period, $S_{MS}$       | 1.58                       |      |
| Adjusted Spectral Response Accelerati    | on at 1s Period, $S_{M1}$         | 0.87                       |      |
| Design Spectral Response Acceleration    | n at 0.2s Period, S <sub>DS</sub> | 1.06                       | 1.27 |
| Design Spectral Response Acceleration    | 0.58                              | 0.54*                      |      |
| Peak Ground Acceleration adjusted for    | site class, $PGA_M$               | 0.62                       | 0.76 |

Table 1. 2013 CBC Site-Specific Seismic Coefficients

\* g- Gravity acceleration

\*\* S<sub>D1</sub> is calculated based on 2xSa at 2s



# 3.6 Secondary Seismic Hazards

Ground shaking can induce "secondary" seismic hazards such as liquefaction, dynamic densification, and differential subsidence along ground fissures, seiches and tsunamis, as discussed in the following subsections:

## 3.6.1 Dynamic Settlement (Liquefaction and Dry Settlement)

Liquefaction is the loss of soil strength or stiffness due to a buildup of porewater pressure during severe ground shaking. Liquefaction is associated primarily with loose (low density), saturated, fine- to medium-grained, cohesionless soils. Due to the dense nature of the onsite soils and lack of shallow groundwater, the potential for liquefaction is considered very low.

#### 3.6.2 Ground Rupture

Since no active faults are known to cross the site, the possibility of damage due to ground surface-fault-rupture at this site is considered very low.

#### 3.6.3 <u>Seiches, Tsunamis, Inundation Due to Large Water Storage Facilities</u>

Due to the great distance to large bodies of water, the possibility of seiches and tsunamis impacting the site is considered remote. This report does not address conventional flood hazard risk.

#### 3.6.4 Slope Stability and Landslides

Due to the relatively modest relief across the site and dense nature of subsurface soils, the risk of deep-seated slope failure on this site is considered very low. The site is not considered susceptible to seismically induced landslides.



# 4.0 CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

### 4.1 General

The proposed improvements appear feasible from a geotechnical viewpoint provided that the following recommendations are incorporated into the design and construction phases of development. The main geotechnical concerns associated with the proposed improvements are the proposed cuts into granitic rock and tunnel construction along the west side of the existing building. As indicated in Section 3.2.2, localized marginally rippable to unrippable rock may be encountered within the depth of proposed excavation for the basement and hence special excavation techniques may be required. The excavation for the proposed tunnel will extend up to 8 feet below bottom of exiting footings and special excavation procedures should be implemented as discussed further in Section 4.7 to minimize disturbance or undermining of adjacent foundations.

# 4.2 Earthwork Considerations

Earthwork should be performed in accordance with the following recommendations and the *Earthwork and Grading Specifications* included in Appendix D of this report. In case of conflict, the following recommendations should supersede those in Appendix D. The contract between the Owner and the earthwork contractor should be worded such that it is the responsibility of the contractor to place fill properly and in accordance with recommendations presented in this report, including the guide specifications in Appendix D, notwithstanding the testing and observation of the geotechnical consultant.

## 4.2.1 Site Preparation and Remedial Grading

Prior to grading, the proposed structural improvement areas (i.e. allstructural fill areas, pavement areas, buildings, etc.) should be cleared of surface and subsurface obstructions or organic materials. Heavy vegetation, roots and debris should be disposed of offsite. Although not anticipated, water wells, septic tanks and cesspools, if encountered, should be removed or abandoned in accordance with the Riverside County Department of Health Services guidelines. Voids created by removal of buried material should be backfilled with properly compacted soil in general accordance with the recommendations of this report. Area specific remedial grading recommendations are provided as follows:

The near surface soils (including topsoil/colluvium and younger alluvium) are potentially compressible in their present state and may settle under the



surcharge of fills or foundation loads. As such, these materials should be removed in all settlement-sensitive areas including building pads, pavement, and slopes. These materials are conditionally suitable for use as compacted fill as further described in Section 4.2.4. The depth of removal should extend into underlying dense older alluvium or granitic bedrock, but not expected to exceed a maximum depth of 10 feet as per Boring LB-5. Dense/competent older alluvium should possess a minimum of 85 percent relative compaction (based on ASTM D1557). Acceptability of all removal bottoms should be reviewed by an engineering geologist or geotechnical engineer and documented in the as-graded geotechnical report. The removal limit should be established by a 1:1 (horizontal:vertical) projection from the edge of fill soils supporting settlement-sensitive structures downward and outward to competent material identified by the geotechnical consultant. Removal will also include benching into competent material as the fills rise.

However, proposed excavations should not encroach within the influence zone of any existing foundations or underground utilities. The outside limit of this influence zone is defined by an imaginary line sloping down and away at 45 degrees from the outside bottom edge of footings. If any excavation is to encroach to within this zone (i.e. tunnel excavation), proper shoring or slot cutting procedures should be implemented to prevent undermining of existing foundations.

# 4.2.2 Cut/Fill Transition Subgrade

In order to mitigate the impact of underlying cut/fill transition subgrade and potential differential fill settlement (especially where proposed building spans over existing cut slope/driveway), the cut portion should be over-excavated (OX) to a minimum depth of 2 feet below the bottom of the proposed footings or one-half of the maximum fill thickness between two adjacent footings. Over-excavation does not necessarily need to encompass the entire building pad as long as the maximum differential fill between two adjacent footings is restricted to a maximum of 5 feet. The OX should extend laterally beyond the outside edge of foundations a horizontal distance equal to the depth of OX or to a minimum distance of 5 feet, whichever is greater.

In areas of proposed concrete flatwork or pavement, a minimum remedial removal and recompaction of 18-inches below existing grade or 12-inch below proposed subgrade elevation, whichever is deeper, should be performed. Geotechnical observation of removal bottoms should be performed during grading to confirm the competency of the materials being left in place. After completion of the recommended removal of unsuitable soils and prior to fill placement, the exposed surface should be scarified to a minimum depth of 8-inches, moisture conditioned as necessary to near



optimum moisture content and recompacted using heavy compaction equipment to an unyielding condition.

# 4.2.3 Structural Fills

Areas to receive structural fill and/or other surface improvements should be scarified to a minimum depth of 8 inches, conditioned to at least optimum moisture content, and recompacted. Fill soils should be placed at a minimum of 90 percent relative compaction (based on ASTM D1557) and near or above optimum moisture content. However, if differential fill exceeds 5 feet in depth between two adjacent footings, such fill should be compacted to 95 percent relative compaction. Placement and compaction of fill should be performed in accordance with local grading ordinances under the observation and testing of the geotechnical consultant. The optimum lift thickness to produce a uniformly compacted fill will depend on the type and size of compaction equipment used. In general, fill should be placed in uniform lifts not exceeding 8 inches in thickness.

Fill slope keyways will be necessary at the toe of all fill slopes and at fillover-cut contacts. Keyway schematics, including dimensions and subdrain recommendations, are provided in Appendix D. All keyways should be excavated into dense bedrock or dense alluvium as determined by the geotechnical engineer. The cut portions of all slope and keyway excavations should be geologically mapped and approved by a geologist prior to fill placement.

Fills placed on slopes steeper than 5:1 (horizontal:vertical) should be benched into dense soils (see Appendix D for benching detail). Benching should be of sufficient depth to remove all loose material. A minimum bench height of 2 feet into approved material should be maintained.

## 4.2.4 <u>Suitability of Site Soils for Fills</u>

Topsoil and vegetation layers, root zones, and similar surface materials should be striped and stockpiled for either reuse in landscape surface areas or removed from the site. Site alluvium possessing high clay content and relatively low R-value should not be used in building or pavement subgrade. Older alluvium and granitic rock possessing very low expansion potential (EI<21) are considered suitable for re-use as compacted fills provided the recommendations contained herein are followed. If cobbles and boulders larger than 6-inches in largest diameter are encountered or produced during grading, these oversized cobbles and boulders should be reduced to less than 6 inches or placed in structural fill as outlined in Appendix D.



# 4.2.5 Oversized Rock

Based on our observations, we anticipate that grading of the subject site may produce oversized rock (greater than 6 inches in maximum dimension). Oversized rock may be placed in the deeper fill portions of the site (>10 feet, if any) in accordance with the following guidelines and the specifications contained in Appendix D.

Within the upper 5 feet of finish grade, fill soils should not contain rock greater than 6 inches in maximum dimension in order to facilitate foundation and utility trench excavation. For fill soils between 5 and 10 feet below finish grade, the fill may contain rock up to 12 inches in maximum dimension and should be mixed with sufficient soil to eliminate voids. Below a depth of 10 feet, rocks up to a maximum dimension of 36 inches may be incorporated into the fill provided adequate fines to fill all voids are present. Rocks greater than 36 inches in diameter may be placed on a case-by-case basis.

## 4.2.6 Import Soils

Import soils and/or borrow sites, if needed, should be evaluated by us prior to import. Import soils should be uncontaminated, granular in nature, free of organic material (loss on ignition less-than 2 percent), have very low expansion potential (with an Expansion Index less than 21) and have a low corrosion impact to the proposed improvements.

## 4.2.7 Utility Trenches

Utility trenches should be backfilled with compacted fill in accordance with utility Agency standard requirements and the *Standard Specifications for Public Works Construction*, ("Greenbook"), 2012 Edition. Fill material above the pipe zone should be placed in lifts not exceeding 8 inches in uncompacted thickness and should be compacted to at least 90 percent relative compaction (ASTM D 1557) by mechanical means only. Site soils may generally be suitable as trench backfill provided these soils are screened of rocks over 1½ inches in diameter and organic matter. If imported sand is used as backfill, the upper 3 feet in building and pavement areas should be compacted to at least 95 percent relative compaction.

Where granular backfill is used in utility trenches adjacent moisture sensitive subgrades and foundation soils, we recommend that a cut-off "plug" of impermeable material be placed in these trenches at the perimeter of buildings, and at pavement edges adjacent to irrigated landscaped areas. A "plug" can consist of a 5-foot long section of clayey soils with more than 35-



percent passing the No. 200 sieve, or a Controlled Low Strength Material (CLSM) consisting of one sack of Portland-cement plus one sack of bentonite per cubic-yard of sand. CLSM should generally conform to requirements of the "Greenbook". This is intended to reduce the likelihood of water permeating trenches from landscaped areas, then seeping along permeable trench backfill into the building and pavement subgrades, resulting in wetting of moisture sensitive subgrade earth materials under buildings and pavements.

Excavation of utility trenches should be performed in accordance with the project plans, specifications and the *California Construction Safety Orders* (2006 Edition or more current). The contractor should be responsible for providing a "competent person" as defined in Article 6 of the *California Construction Safety Orders*. Contractors should be advised that sandy soils (such as fills generated from the onsite alluvium) could make excavations particularly unsafe if all safety precautions are not properly implemented. In addition, excavations at or near the toe of slopes and/or parallel to slopes may be highly unstable due to the increased driving force and load on the trench wall. Spoil piles from the excavation(s) and construction equipment should be kept away from the sides of the trenches. Leighton Consulting, Inc. does not consult in the area of safety engineering.

# 4.2.8 Shrinkage

The volume change of excavated onsite soils upon recompaction is expected to vary with materials, density, insitu moisture content, and location and compaction effort. The in-place and compacted densities of soil materials vary and accurate overall determination of shrinkage and bulking cannot be made. Therefore, we recommend site grading include, if possible, a balance area or ability to adjust grades slightly to accommodate some variation. Based on our geotechnical laboratory results, we expect recompaction shrinkage (when recompacted to an average 92 percent of ASTM D1557) of 10- to 15-percent by volume for the younger alluvium and 0- to 5-percent for the older alluvium. Bulking of 0- to 10- percent may result in the granitic rock depending on depth. In addition, we recommend that a surface subsidence value of 0.15 foot be applied to topographic elevations in most areas underlain by topsoil/granite bedrock.

## 4.2.9 Drainage

All drainage should be directed away from structures and pavements by means of approved permanent/temporary drainage devices. Adequate storm drainage of any proposed pad should be provided to avoid wetting of foundation soils. Irrigation adjacent to buildings should be avoided when possible. As an option, sealed-bottom planter boxes and/or drought resistant vegetation should be used within 5-feet of buildings.



# 4.2.10 Slope Design and Construction

We expect that all fill and cut slopes will be designed and constructed at 2:1 (horizontal:vertical) to a maximum height of 20 feet. These slopes are considered grossly stable for static and pseudostatic conditions. Higher or steeper slopes (up to 1.5:1) in the granitic rock may be considered subject to further review and evaluation. Such slopes should be observed by an engineering geologist during grading to verify jointing or fracture patterns and recommend remedial measures, if needed.

The outer portion of fill slopes should be either overbuilt by 2 feet (minimum) and trimmed back to the finished slope configuration or compacted in vertical increments of 5 feet (maximum) by a weighted sheeps foot roller as the fill is placed. The slope face should then be track-walked by dozers of appropriate weight to achieve the final slope configuration and compaction to the slope face.

Slope faces are inherently subject to erosion, particularly if exposed to rainfall and irrigation. Landscaping and slope maintenance should be conducted as soon as possible in order to increase long-term surficial stability. Berms should be provided at the top of fill slopes. Drainage should be directed such that surface runoff on the slope face is minimized.

# 4.2.11 Slot Cutting Excavation

As described in Section 1.3, tunnel construction will require temporary excavation along the west side of the existing courthouse building. The proposed excavation will expose existing footings and extend to a depth of 8 feet below bottom of footings. As such, existing foundations should be properly shored/braced (i.e. tiebacks, cast-in-place concrete piles, etc.) prior to excavation or an 'ABC' slot cut method should be implemented as further described below.

To maintain the structural integrity of the existing building, we recommend that excavation for the tunnel immediately adjacent to the existing foundations proceeds by making a series of adjacent slot cut excavations perpendicular to the existing buildings in a sequential 'ABC' method. All of the 'A' slots (every third slot cut) should be excavated and then backfilled/compacted prior to the 'B' slots. Similarly, the 'C' slots are excavated after the 'B' slots are backfilled/completed. This will limit the width of excavation adjacent to the existing building/foundations at any given time, thus reducing the potential for undermining the existing foundations. The maximum width of the slot cuts should be initially 6 feet. If 6-foot-wide slot cuts are excavated without evidence of distress to foundation or caving of exposed soils, and field conditions indicate suitable



soils, it may be possible to increase the slot cut width to 8 feet pending approval of the geotechnical consultant. The bottom of each slot cut should extend a minimum of 8 feet laterally from the existing building so cut slopes of adjacent excavation is no steeper than 1:1. If isolated column footings exist, the proposed excavations should not expose more than half of the existing footing at any given time.

The excavations should be left open for as short of a period as feasible and be avoided when rain and potential construction delays are anticipated. Prior to excavation, it is recommended that the depth of existing footings and subgrade soils conditions be further verified by excavating additional potholes.

The above recommendations for slot cutting technique are presented based on anticipated soil conditions, dense existing compacted fill (clayey sand to sandy clay) underlain by granitic rock. Variations in soil conditions may occur and require modifications to the recommendations presented above. If non-cohesive soils are encountered (i.e. cohesionless sands: SM, SW, SP), vertical excavations will be difficult to achieve without prior shoring. In the event supporting, subgrade soils for existing foundations become disturbed or collapse, underpinning will be required to extend footings into undisturbed soils founded at same elevation as new foundations for tunnel structure. If underpinning is not required, the structural engineer should incorporate the added loads from the existing foundations into the design of the retaining wall/footings of the tunnel structure.

The contractor is responsible for all temporary excavations at the site and the design of any required temporary shoring. Shoring, bracing and benching should be performed by the contractor in accordance with the current edition of the *California Construction Safety Orders*, see: http://www.dir.ca.gov/title8/sb4a6.html

During construction, exposed earth material conditions should be regularly evaluated to verify that conditions are as anticipated. The contractor is responsible for providing the "competent person" required by OSHA standards to evaluate soil conditions. Close coordination between the competent person and geotechnical consultant should be maintained to facilitate construction while providing safe excavations. In general, onsite alluvial soils are classified as OSHA soil Type C. Therefore, unshored temporary cut slopes should be no steeper than  $1\frac{1}{2}$ :1 (horizontal:vertical), for a height no-greater-than ( $\leq$ ) 20 feet (*California Construction Safety Orders*, Appendix B to Section 1541.1, Table B-1). These recommended temporary cut slopes assume a level ground surface for a distance equal to one-and-a-half (x1.5) the depth of excavation. For steeper temporary



slopes, deeper excavations, and/or where slopes terrain exists within close proximity to excavation (<1.5xdepth), appropriate shoring methods or flatter slopes may be required to protect the workers in the excavation and adjacent improvements. Such methods should be implemented by the contractor and approved by the geotechnical consultant.

# 4.3 Foundation Design

Shallow spread or continuous footings bearing on a newly placed properly compacted fill are anticipated for the proposed structures.

# 4.3.1 Design Parameters – Spread/Continuous Shallow Footings

Conventional spread/continuous shallow footings appear to be feasible to support the proposed structures. Footings should be embedded at least 12-inches below lowest adjacent grade for the proposed structure. Footing embedment should be measured from lowest adjacent finished grade, considered as the top of interior slabs-on-grade or the finished exterior grade, excluding landscape topsoil, whichever is lower. Footings located adjacent to utility trenches or vaults should be embedded below an imaginary 1:1 (horizontal:vertical) plane projected upward and outward from the bottom edge of the trench or vault, up towards the footing.

- Bearing Capacity: A net allowable bearing capacity of 2,000 pounds per square foot (psf) may be used for design assuming that footings have a minimum base width of 18 inches for continuous wall footings and a minimum bearing area of 3 square feet (1.75-ft by 1.75-ft) for pad foundations. The bearing pressure value may be increased by 250 psf for each additional foot of embedment or each additional foot of width to a maximum vertical bearing value of 3,000 psf. These bearing values may also be increased by one-third when considering short-term seismic or wind loads. A net allowable bearing capacity of 4,000 psf may be used if footings are founded directly into granitic rock.
- Lateral loads: Lateral loads may be resisted by friction between the footings and the supporting subgrade. A maximum allowable frictional resistance of 0.35 may be used for design. In addition, lateral resistance may be provided by passive pressures acting against foundations poured neat against properly compacted granular fill. We recommend that an allowable passive pressure based on an equivalent fluid pressure of 300 pounds-per-cubic-foot (pcf) be used in design. These friction and passive values have already been reduced by a factor-of-safety of 1.5.



# 4.3.2 <u>Settlement Estimates</u>

For settlement estimates, we assumed that column loads will be no larger than 90 kips, with bearing wall loads not exceeding 5 kips per foot of wall. If greater column or wall loads are required, we should re-evaluate our foundation recommendation, and re-calculate settlement estimates.

Buildings located on compacted fill soils (as recommended in Section 4.2) should be designed in anticipation of 0.75 inch of total static settlement and 0.25-inch of static differential settlement within a 30 foot horizontal distance. The majority of this settlement is anticipated to occur during construction as the load is applied. These settlement estimates should be reevaluated by this firm when foundation plans and actual loads for the proposed structure(s) become available.

# 4.4 Retaining Walls

Retaining wall earth pressures are a function of the amount of wall yielding horizontally under load. If the wall can yield enough to mobilize full shear strength of backfill soils, then the wall can be designed for "active" pressure. If the wall cannot yield under the applied load, the shear strength of the soil cannot be mobilized and the earth pressure will be higher. Such walls should be designed for "at rest" conditions. If a structure moves toward the soils, the resulting resistance developed by the soil is the "passive" resistance. Retaining walls backfilled with non-expansive soils should be designed using the following equivalent fluid pressures:

| Loading    | Equivalent Fluid Density (pcf) |                         |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Conditions | Level Backfill                 | 2:1 Backfill            |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Active     | 35                             | 50                      |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| At-Rest    | 50                             | 85                      |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Passive*   | 300                            | 150 (2:1, sloping down) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Table 2. Retaining Wall Design Earth Pressures (Static, Drained)

\* This assumes level condition in front of the wall will remain for the duration of the project, not to exceed 3,500 psf at depth.

Unrestrained (yielding) cantilever walls should be designed for the active equivalent-fluid weight value provided above for very low to low expansive soils that are free draining. In the design of walls restrained from movement at the top (non-yielding) such as basement or elevator pit/utility vaults, the at-rest equivalent fluid weight value should be used. Total depth of retained earth for design of cantilever walls should be measured as the vertical distance below the ground



surface measured at the wall face for stem design, or measured at the heel of the footing for overturning and sliding calculations. Should a sloping backfill other than a 2:1 (horizontal:vertical) be constructed above the wall (or a backfill is loaded by an adjacent surcharge load), the equivalent fluid weight values provided above should be re-evaluated on an individual case basis by us. Non-standard wall designs should also be reviewed by us prior to construction to check that the proper soil parameters have been incorporated into the wall design.

All retaining walls should be provided with appropriate drainage. The outlet pipe should be sloped to drain to a suitable outlet. Wall backfill should be non-expansive (EI  $\leq$  21) sands compacted by mechanical methods to a minimum of 90 percent relative compaction (ASTM D 1557). Clayey site soils should not be used as wall backfill. Walls should not be backfilled until wall concrete attains the 28-day compressive strength and/or as determined by the Structural Engineer that the wall is structurally capable of supporting backfill. Lightweight compaction equipment should be used, unless otherwise approved by the Structural Engineer.

# 4.5 Vapor Retarder

It has been a standard of care to install a moisture-vapor retarder underneath all slabs where moisture condensation is undesirable. Moisture vapor retarders may retard but not totally eliminate moisture vapor movement from the underlying soils up through the slabs. Moisture vapor transmission may be additionally reduced by use of concrete additives. Leighton Consulting, Inc. does not practice in the field of moisture vapor transmission evaluation/mitigation. Therefore, we recommend that a qualified person/firm be engaged/consulted with to evaluate the general and specific moisture vapor transmission paths and any impact on the proposed construction. This person/firm should provide recommendations for mitigation of potential adverse impact of moisture vapor transmission on various components of the structure as deemed appropriate.

# 4.6 Soil Corrosivity

Corrosion testing should be performed on representative finish grade soils at the completion of site grading. Leighton Consulting, Inc. is not a corrosion consultant. A corrosion consultant should be consulted to review the results of our limited laboratory tests and provide specific recommendations if corrosion sensitive materials, such as buried metal conduits or strap-type tie downs, are to be used.



Table below summarizes current standards for concrete exposed to sulfatecontaining solutions.

| Sulfate In Water<br>(parts-per-million) | Water-Soluble Sulfate (SO4) in soil (percentage by weight) | Sulfate Exposure    |
|---|--|---------------------|
| 0-150                                   | 0.00 - 0.10  | Negligible          |
| 150-1,500                               | 0.10 - 0.20  | Moderate (Seawater) |
| 1,500-10,000                            | 0.20 - 2.00  | Severe              |
| >10,000                                 | Over 2.00  | Very Severe         |

Table 3. Sulfate Concentration and Sulfate Exposure

The sulfate content was determined in the laboratory for representative onsite soil sample. The results indicate that the water soluble sulfate range is less than 0.2 percent by weight, which is considered moderate per Table 4 above. Based on the test results, Type II cement or equivalent may be used.

Many factors can affect corrosion potential of soil including soil moisture content, resistivity, permeability and pH, as well as chloride and sulfate concentration. In general, soil resistivity, which is a measure of how easily electrical current flows through soils, is the most influential factor. Based on the findings of studies presented in ASTM STP 1013 titled "Effects of Soil Characteristics on Corrosion" (February, 1989), the approximate relationship between soil resistivity and soil corrosiveness was developed as shown in Table below.

| Soil Resistivity<br>(ohm-cm) | Classification of<br>Soil Corrosiveness |
|------------------------------|---|
| 0 to 900                     | Very Severely Corrosive                 |
| 900 to 2,300                 | Severely Corrosive                      |
| 2,300 to 5,000               | Moderately Corrosive                    |
| 5,000 to 10,000              | Mildly Corrosive                        |
| 10,000 to >100,000           | Very Mildly Corrosive                   |

Table 4. Relationship between Soil Resistivity and Soil Corrosivity

Acidity is an important factor of soil corrosivity. The lower the pH (the more acidic the environment), the higher the soil corrosivity will be with respect to buried metallic structures and utilities. As soil pH increases above 7 (the neutral value), the soil is increasingly more alkaline and less corrosive to buried steel structures, due to protective surface films, which form on steel in high pH environments. The



pH of representative onsite soil samples is 7.7 which is generally considered less active from a corrosion standpoint. Chloride and sulfate ion concentrations, and pH appear to play secondary roles in affecting corrosion potential. High chloride levels tend to reduce soil resistivity and break down otherwise protective surface deposits, which can result in corrosion of buried steel or reinforced concrete structures.

Based on laboratory testing results of soil resistivity, the onsite soil is considered very severely corrosive. Ferrous pipe can be protected by polyethylene bags, tape or coatings, di-electric fittings, concrete encasement or other means to separate the pipe from wet onsite soils. Further testing of import and possibly site soil corrosivity could be performed and specific recommendations for corrosion protection may need to be provided by a qualified corrosion engineer.

# 4.7 Preliminary Pavement Design

Our preliminary pavement design is based on an R-value of 35 for subgrade soils (derived from onsite older alluvium and granitic rock) and the Caltrans Highway Design Manual. For planning and estimating purposes, the pavement sections are calculated based on Traffic Indexes (TI) as indicated in Table below:

| General Traffic<br>Condition | Design<br>Traffic<br>Index (TI) | Asphalt<br>Concrete<br>(inches) | Aggregate<br>Base*<br>(inches) |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Automobile                   | 4.5                             | 3.0                             | 4.0                            |
| Parking Lanes                | 5.0                             | 3.0                             | 5.0                            |
| Truck Access &               | 6.0                             | 3.5                             | 7.0                            |
| Driveways                    | 6.5                             | 3.5                             | 8.0                            |

 Table 5. Asphalt Pavement Sections

Appropriate Traffic Index (TI) should be selected or verified by the project civil engineer and actual R-value of the subgrade soils will need to be verified after completion of site grading to finalize the pavement design. Pavement design and construction should also conform to applicable local, county and industry standards. The Caltrans pavement section design calculations were based on a pavement life of approximately 20 years with a normal amount of flexible pavement maintenance

Where applicable, we recommend that a minimum of 6 inches of PCC pavement be used, in high impact load areas or if to be subjected to truck traffic. The PCC pavement should be placed on a minimum 4-inch aggregate base. The PCC



pavement may be placed directly on a compacted subgrade with an R-Value of 40 or higher. The PCC pavement should have a minimum of 28-day flexural strength of 650 psi. Other requirements of Caltrans Standard Specifications regarding mixing and placing of concrete should be followed.

The upper 8 inches of the subgrade soils should be moisture-conditioned to near optimum moisture content, compacted to at least 95 percent relative compaction (ASTM D1557) and kept in this condition until the pavement section is constructed. Minimum relative compaction requirements for aggregate base should be 95 percent of the maximum laboratory density as determined by ASTM D1557. If applicable, aggregate base should conform to the "Standard Specifications for Public Works Construction" (green book) current edition <u>or</u> Caltrans Class 2 aggregate base.

If pavement areas are adjacent to heavily watered landscape areas, some deterioration of the subgrade load bearing capacity may result. Moisture control measures such as deepened curbs or other moisture barrier materials may be used to prevent the subgrade soils from becoming saturated. The use of concrete cutoff or edge barriers should be considered when pavement is planned adjacent to either open (unfinished) or irrigated landscaped areas.

# 4.8 Infiltration Rates

Percolation testing at two selected locations at depth of 3 to 5 feet below existing ground surface (BGS) was performed in the northern portion of the site (see Figure 4). The percolation tests were performed in accordance with the procedures of Section 2.3 of the RCFC&WCD Design Handbook. Results reported below are the readings in minutes per inch drop (MPI) and converted to infiltration rates (in/hr) using the Prochet Method.

| Test<br>Hole # | Depth BGS<br>(ft) | Percolation Rate<br>(MPI) | Infiltration Rate<br>(in/hr) | Soil Description |
|----------------|-------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|------------------|
| P-1            | 3.0               | 120                       | 0.05                         | Clayey Sand      |
| P-2            | 7.0               | 60                        | 0.10                         | Clayey Sand      |

#### Table 6. Summary of Percolation/Infiltration Test Results



# 5.0 GEOTECHNICAL CONSTRUCTION SERVICES

Geotechnical review is of paramount importance in engineering practice. Poor performances of many foundation and earthwork projects have been attributed to inadequate construction review. We recommend that Leighton Consulting, Inc. be provided the opportunity to review the grading plan and foundation plan(s) prior to bid.

Reasonably-continuous construction observation and review during site grading and foundation installation allows for evaluation of the actual soil conditions and the ability to provide appropriate revisions where required during construction. Geotechnical conclusions and preliminary recommendations should be reviewed and verified by Leighton Consulting, Inc. during construction, and revised accordingly if geotechnical conditions encountered vary from our findings and interpretations. Geotechnical observation and testing should be provided:

- After completion of site demolition and clearing,
- During over-excavation of compressible soil,
- During compaction of all fill materials,
- After excavation of all footings and prior to placement of concrete,
- During utility trench backfilling and compaction, and
- When any unusual conditions are encountered.

Additional geotechnical exploration and analysis may be required based on final development plans, for reasons such as significant changes in proposed structure locations/footprints. We should review grading (civil) and foundation (structural) plans, and comment further on geotechnical aspects of this project.



# 6.0 LIMITATIONS

This report was based in part on data obtained from a limited number of observations, site visits, soil excavations, samples and tests. Such information is, by necessity, incomplete. The nature of many sites is such that differing soil or geologic conditions can be present within small distances and under varying climatic conditions. Changes in subsurface conditions can and do occur over time. Therefore, our findings, conclusions and recommendations presented in this report are based on the assumption that we (Leighton Consulting, Inc.) will provide geotechnical observation and testing during construction as the Geotechnical Engineer of Record for this project. Please refer to Appendix E, ASFE's *Important Information About Your Geotechnical Report*, prepared by the Associated Soil and Foundation Engineers (ASFE) presenting additional information and limitations regarding geotechnical engineering studies and reports.

This report was prepared for the sole use of Client and their design team, for application to design of the proposed Southwest Justice Center (SWJC) Juvenile Courthouse Relocation, in accordance with generally accepted geotechnical engineering practices at this time in California. In addition, if our report is subject to review by the California Geological Survey (CGS) and/or the California Division of the State Architect (DSA), we recommend that geologic/geotechnical data in this report be only used in the design of this project after review and approval by CGS. Any premature (before CGS approval) or unauthorized use of or reliance on this report constitutes an agreement to defend and indemnify Leighton Consulting, Inc. from and against any liability which may arise as a result of such use or reliance, regardless of any fault, negligence, or strict liability of Leighton Consulting, Inc.



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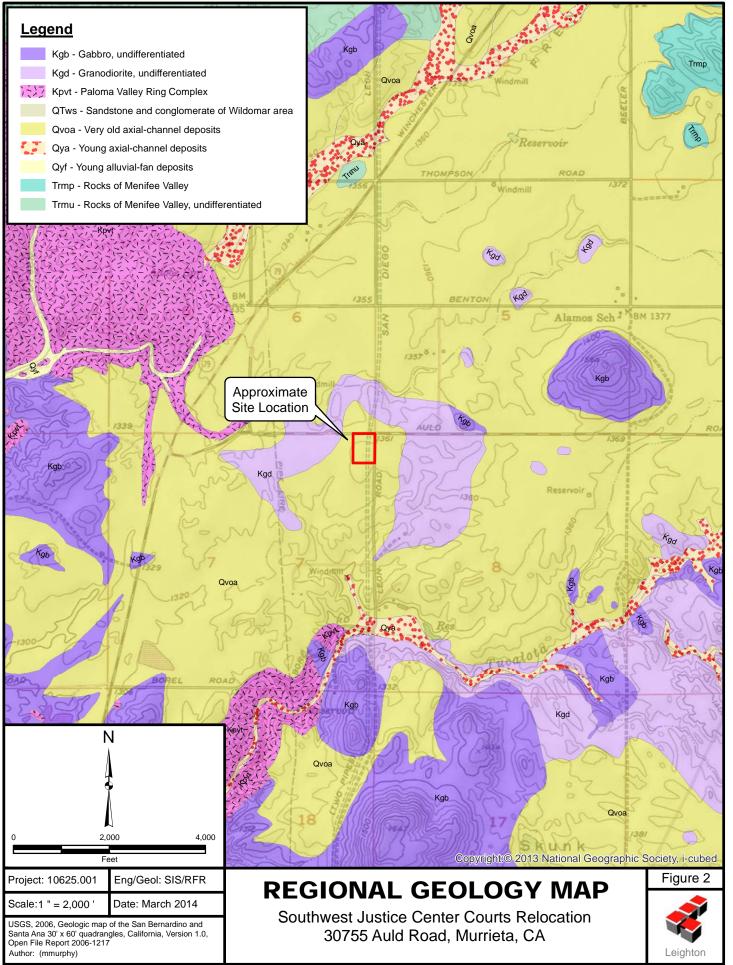


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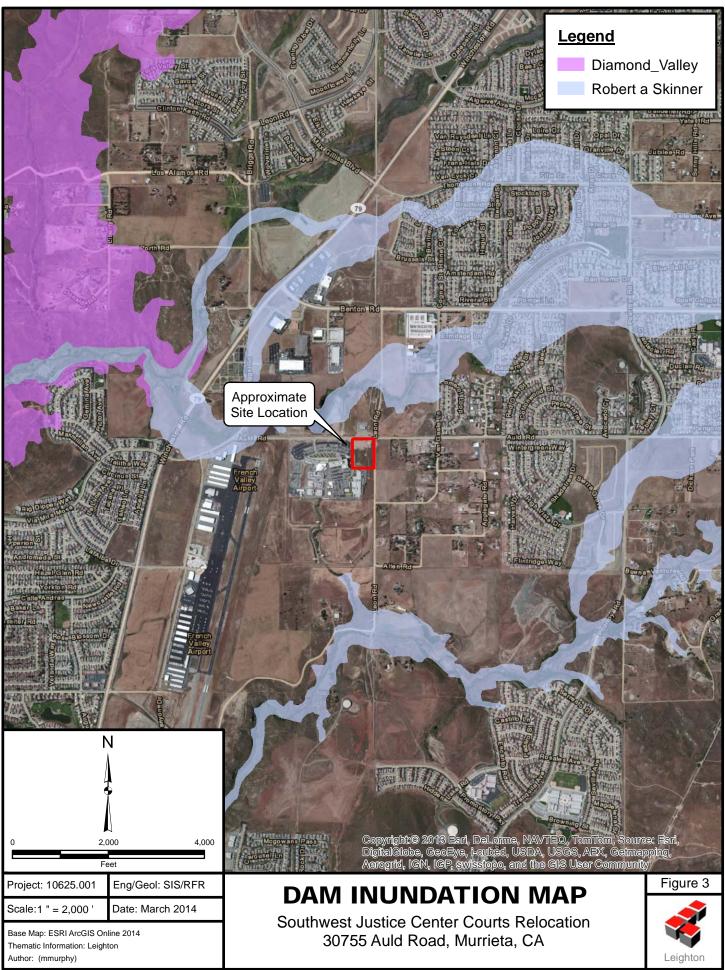




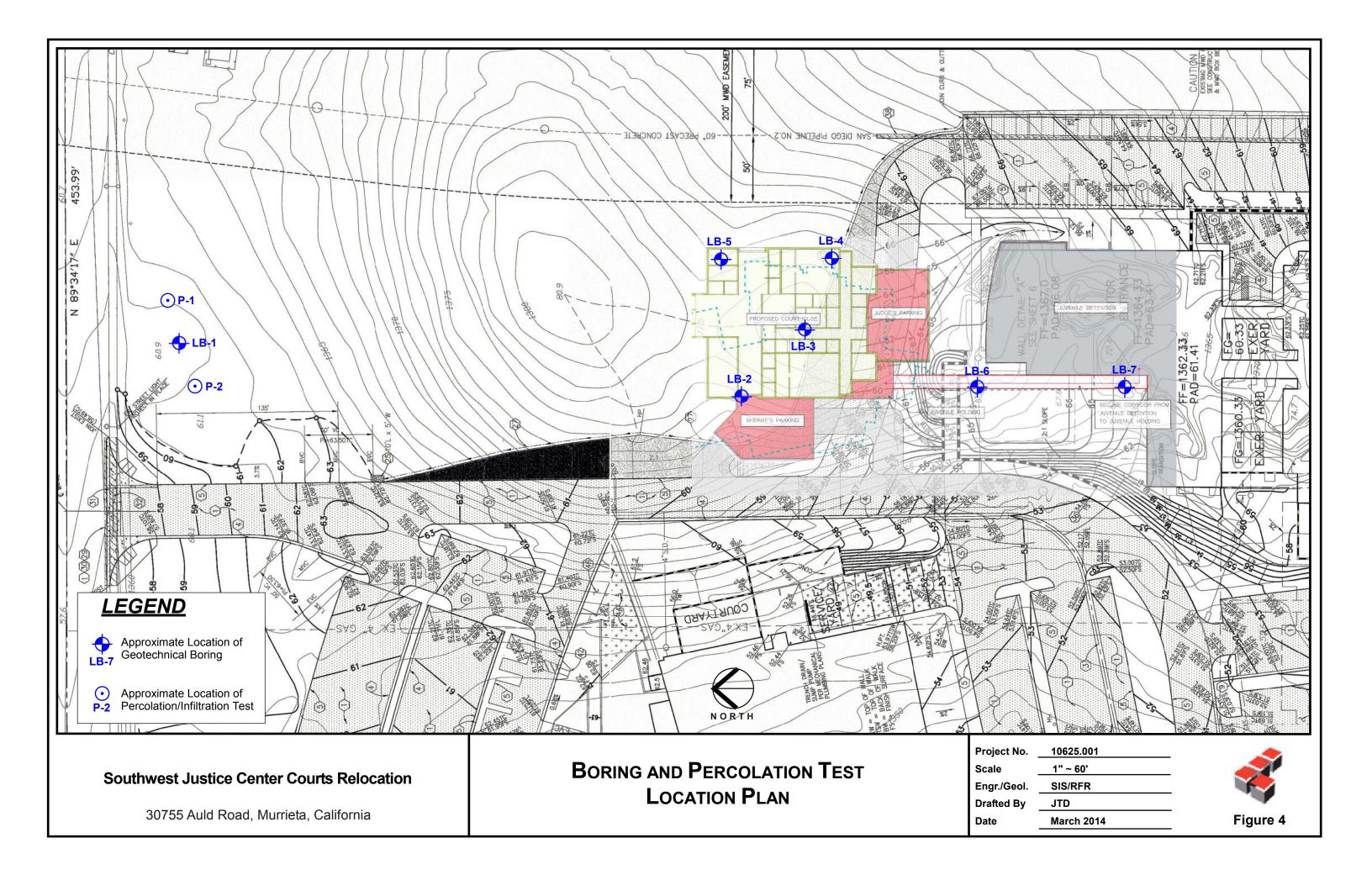
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# APPENDIX A

# LOGS OF EXPLORATORY BORINGS / FIELD EXPLORATION

Encountered earth materials were continuously logged and sampled in the field by our representative and described in accordance with the Unified Soil Classification System (ASTM D 2488). During drilling, bulk and relatively undisturbed ring-lined split-barrel driven earth material samples were obtained from our borings for geotechnical laboratory testing and classification. Drive-samples were driven with a 140-pound auto-hammer falling 30-inches. Samples were transported to our in-house Temecula laboratory for geotechnical testing. After logging and sampling, our borings were backfilled with spoils generated during drilling.

The attached subsurface exploration logs and related information depict subsurface conditions only at the locations indicated and at the particular date designated on these logs. Subsurface conditions at other locations may differ from conditions occurring at these logged locations. Passage of time may result in altered subsurface conditions due to environmental changes. In addition, any stratification lines on these logs represent an approximate boundary between sampling intervals and soil types; and transitions may be gradual.

| Proj<br>Drill<br>Drill | ject No<br>ect<br>ing Co<br>ing Mo<br>ation                     | ).  | Cal P<br>Hollov | 5.001<br>west Jus<br>ac Drilling<br>w Stem A<br>Boring Log | g<br>luger -                                      | 140lb              | - Auto                 | Date Drilled<br>Logged By<br>Hole Diameter<br>Drop Ground Elevation<br>Sampled By | 3-10-14<br>JTD<br>8"<br>~1361'<br>JTD  |                          |               |
|------------------------|---|---|-----------------|--|---|--------------------|------------------------|---|--|--------------------------|---------------|
| Elevation<br>Feet      | Depth<br>Feet   | z<br>Graphic<br>« Log                           | Attitudes       | Sample No.   | Blows<br>Per 6 Inches                             | Dry Density<br>pcf | Moisture<br>Content, % | Soil Class.<br>(U.S.C.S.)   | <b>SOIL DESCRIPTION</b><br>This Soil Description applies only to a location of the explore<br>time of sampling. Subsurface conditions may differ at other<br>and may change with time. The description is a simplificative<br>actual conditions encountered. Transitions between soil type<br>gradual. | r locations<br>on of the | Type of Tests |
|                        | 0   |   |                 |  | -   |                    |                        | SW-SM   | Quaternary Alluvium (Qal); Well-graded SAND with SILT<br>GRAVEL, light brownish gray, dry to moist, fine to coa<br>grained sand with gravel to 1"  | arse                     |               |
|                        | 5   |   |                 |  | 3   |                    |                        | CL  | SILTY SAND with GRAVEL, brown, moist, fine to coarse<br>sand with fine gravel, gravel and cobble to 4"<br>SANDY Lean CLAY, medium stiff, very dark brown, mois   |                          |               |
|                        |   |   |                 | -  | 3   |                    |                        |   | to medium grained sand<br>SANDY Lean CLAY, dark brown, moist, fine to coarse gr<br>sand  | ained                    |               |
|                        | <br>10<br>  |   |                 | S-2  | 14<br>25<br>46                                    |                    |                        | SM  | <u>Older Alluvium (Qalo)</u> ; SILTY SAND, dark yellowish brow<br>moist, fine to medium grained sand   | wn,                      |               |
|                        | 15  | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·           |                 | S-3  | 8<br>16<br>25                                     |                    |                        |   | SILTY SAND, medium dense, dark yellowish brown, moi to medium grained sand   | st, fine                 |               |
|                        | 20  |   |                 |  |   |                    |                        |   | Drilled to 16.5' Sampled to 16.5' Groundwater not<br>encountered Backfilled with Cuttings  |                          |               |
| B<br>C<br>G<br>R<br>S  | 30<br>BULK S<br>CORE S<br>GRAB S<br>RING S<br>SPLIT S<br>TUBE S | SAMPLE<br>SAMPLE<br>SAMPLE<br>AMPLE<br>SPOON SA | MPLE            | CO COL   | INES PAS<br>ERBERG<br>NSOLIDA<br>LAPSE<br>RROSION | LIMITS<br>TION     | EI<br>H<br>MD<br>PP    | HYDRO<br>MAXIMI   | SION INDEX SE SAND EQUIVALENT<br>METER SG SPECIFIC GRAVITY<br>JM DENSITY UC UNCONFINED COMPRESSIVE STRENG<br>T PENETROMETER  | ітн                      | <b>X</b>      |

| Proj<br>Drill         | ject No<br>ect<br>ing Co<br>ing Mo | -<br>D.   | Cal P     | 5.001<br>west Jus<br>ac Drilling<br>w Stem A                             | g   |                    | - Auto                 | o - 30"                   | Date Drilled Logged By Hole Diameter Drop Ground Elevation   | 3-10-14<br>JTD<br>8"<br>~1376' |                    |  |
|-----------------------|------------------------------------|---|-----------|--|---|--------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|--|--------------------------------|--------------------|--|
| Loc                   | ation                              |   | See E     | Boring Lo  | cation I  | Plan               |                        |                           | Sampled By   | JTD                            |                    |  |
| Elevation<br>Feet     | Depth<br>Feet                      | z<br>Graphic<br>۷                               | Attitudes | Sample No.   | Blows<br>Per 6 Inches                             | Dry Density<br>pcf | Moisture<br>Content, % | Soil Class.<br>(U.S.C.S.) | <b>SOIL DESCRIPTION</b><br>This Soil Description applies only to a location of the exploratime of sampling. Subsurface conditions may differ at other and may change with time. The description is a simplification actual conditions encountered. Transitions between soil typ gradual. | locations<br>on of the         | Type of Tests      |  |
|                       | 0                                  |   |           | B-1  |   |                    |                        | SM                        | Quaternary Alluvium (Qal); SILTY SAND with GRAVEL,<br>brown, moist, fine to coarse grained sand with gravel a<br>cobble to 6"  |                                |                    |  |
|                       |                                    |   |           |  | -<br>   |                    |                        | SC-SM                     | SILTY, CLAYEY SAND, brown, dry to moist, fine to coars<br>grained sand   | <br>Se                         | MD, RV,<br>EI, AG* |  |
|                       | 5—<br>—<br>—                       |   |           | R-1  | 23<br>39<br>39                                    | 109                | 19                     | SM                        | <u>Older Alluvium (Qalo)</u> ; SILTY SAND with GRAVEL, dens<br>light reddish brown, moist, fine to coarse grained sand<br>angular gravel to 1"   | l with                         |                    |  |
|                       | <br>10                             |   |           | -  | -   |                    |                        |                           | SILTY SAND, reddish brown, moist, fine to medium grain sand  |                                |                    |  |
|                       | -                                  |   |           | R-2  | 16<br>27<br>50/3"                                 | 115                | 11                     |                           | SILTY SAND, dense, olive gray, moist, fine to medium gr<br>sand  | ained                          |                    |  |
|                       | <br>15<br>                         |   |           | S-1 2  | <sup>3</sup> 50/3"                                |                    |                        | SW                        | Granitic Bedrock (Kgr); Moderately weathered, recovered<br>Well-graded SAND with GRAVEL, light brownish gray,<br>moist, fine to coarse graiend sand with fine gravel<br>Well-graded SAND with GRAVEL, dense, light brownish<br>dry to moist, fine to coarse grained sand with fine grave | , dry to<br>gray,              |                    |  |
|                       | <br>20                             |   |           | S-2  | 17<br>19<br>50/3"                                 |                    |                        |                           | Well-graded SAND with GRAVEL, dense, light brownish<br>dry to moist, fine to coarse grained sand with fine grav  |                                |                    |  |
|                       | <br>25<br><br>                     |   |           |  | -   |                    |                        |                           | Drilled to 21.25' Sampled to 21.25' Groundwater not<br>encountered Backfilled with Cuttings<br>* AG - Agricultural Suitability   |                                |                    |  |
| B<br>C<br>G<br>R<br>S | GRAB S                             | Sample<br>Sample<br>Sample<br>Ample<br>Spoon Sa | MPLE      | TYPE OF TI<br>-200 % F<br>AL ATT<br>CN CON<br>CO COU<br>CR CON<br>CU UND | INES PAS<br>ERBERG<br>NSOLIDA<br>LAPSE<br>RROSION | ELIMITS<br>TION    | EI<br>H<br>MD<br>PP    | HYDRO<br>MAXIMI           | SION INDEX SE SAND EQUIVALENT<br>METER SG SPECIFIC GRAVITY<br>JM DENSITY UC UNCONFINED COMPRESSIVE STRENG<br>T PENETROMETER  | тн                             | Ż                  |  |

| Proj<br>Drill<br>Drill | ing Co   | -                          | Cal Pa<br>Hollov | 5.001<br>west Jus<br>ac Drillin<br>v Stem A<br>soring Lo | ig<br>Auger -  | 140lb              | - Auto                 | o - 30"                          | Logged By JTE Hole Diameter 8"  | 81'       |               |
|------------------------|--|----------------------------|------------------|--|--|--------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|---|-----------|---------------|
| Elevation<br>Feet      | Depth<br>Feet  | z<br>Graphic<br>« Log      | Attitudes        | Sample No.   | Blows<br>Per 6 Inches  | Dry Density<br>pcf | Moisture<br>Content, % | Soil Class.<br>(U.S.C.S.)        | <b>SOIL DESCRIPTION</b><br>This Soil Description applies only to a location of the exploration a<br>time of sampling. Subsurface conditions may differ at other locatio<br>and may change with time. The description is a simplification of the<br>actual conditions encountered. Transitions between soil types may<br>gradual.  | ons<br>ne | Type of Tests |
|                        | 0<br><br>5<br><br>10<br><br>15<br><br><br>20<br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br> |                            |                  | R-1  | 50/3"<br>50/2"<br>50/2"  | 98                 | 7                      | SW-SM<br>SW-SM<br>SW-SM<br>SW-SM | Quaternary Colluvium (Qcol); Well-graded SAND with SILT and GRAVEL, brown, dry to moist, fine to coarse grained sand with gravel, cobble and boulders to 12"         Granitic Bedrock (Kgr); Severely Weathered, Recovered as: Well-graded SAND with SILT, olive gray, dry to moist, fine to medium grained sand         Well-graded SAND with GRAVEL, dense, light brownish gray, dry to moist, fine to coarse grained sand with fine gravel |           | F             |
| B<br>C<br>G<br>R<br>S  | CORE S<br>GRAB S<br>RING S<br>SPLIT S  | Sample<br>Sample<br>Sample | MPLE             | AL AT<br>CN CO<br>CO CO<br>CR CO                         | ESTS:<br>FINES PAS<br>TERBERG<br>NSOLIDA<br>LLAPSE<br>RROSION<br>DRAINED | LIMITS<br>TION     | EI<br>H<br>MD<br>PP    | HYDRO<br>MAXIM                   | SION INDEX SE SAND EQUIVALENT<br>METER SG SPECIFIC GRAVITY<br>UM DENSITY UC UNCONFINED COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH<br>T PENETROMETER   |           | <b>X</b>      |

| Proj<br>Drill         | ling Co       | -<br>D.   |           | .001<br>west Jus<br>ic Drilling  |   | enter              |                        | Logged By                     | 3-10-14<br>JTD<br>8"   |                    |                |
|-----------------------|---------------|---|-----------|--|---|--------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|--|--------------------|----------------|
|                       | ling Mo       | ethod   |           | <u>/ Stem A</u>  |   |                    | - Auto                 | o - 30"                       |  | ~1377'             |                |
| LOC                   | ation         | -   | See Bo    | oring Lo   | cation  | Plan               |                        |                               | Sampled By   | JTD                |                |
| Elevation<br>Feet     | Depth<br>Feet | z<br>Graphic<br>v                               | Attitudes | Sample No.   | Blows<br>Per 6 Inches                             | Dry Density<br>pcf | Moisture<br>Content, % | Soil Class.<br>(U.S.C.S.)     | <b>SOIL DESCRIPTION</b><br>This Soil Description applies only to a location of the exploration<br>time of sampling. Subsurface conditions may differ at other loc<br>and may change with time. The description is a simplification<br>actual conditions encountered. Transitions between soil types<br>gradual.  | ocations<br>of the | Type of Tests  |
|                       | 0             |   |           | B-1  | 50/2"<br>50/4"<br>50/2"<br>50/3"                  |                    |                        | SW-SM<br>SW-SM<br>SW<br>SW-SM | Quatermary Colluvium (Qcol): Well-graded SAND with SIL and GRAVEL, brown, dry to moist, fine to coarse graine sand with gravel cobble and boulders to 12"         Granitic Bedrock (Kqr): Highly Weathered, Recovered as: Well-graded SAND with SILT, light gray, dry to moist, fir medium grained sand         Moderately Weathered, Recovered as: Well-graded SAND GRAVEL, dense, grayish brown, dry to moist, fine to coar grained sand with fine gravel         Well-graded SAND with SILT, light gray, dry to moist, fine to coar grained sand         Well-graded SAND with SILT, light gray, dry to moist, fine to medium grained sand         Well-graded SAND with GRAVEL, dense, light gray, dry to moist, fine to coarse grained sand         Well-graded SAND with GRAVEL, dense, light gray, dry to moist, fine to coarse grained sand with fine gravel         Slightly Weathered to Fresh, Recovered as: Well-graded S with GRAVEL, dense, light gray, dry to moist, fine to coarse grained sand with fine gravel         Norderately weathered to Fresh, Recovered as: Well-graded S with GRAVEL, dense, light gray, dry to moist, fine to coar grained sand with fine gravel         Slightly Weathered to Fresh, Recovered as: Well-graded S with GRAVEL, dense, light gray, dry to moist, fine to coar grained sand with fine gravel         no recovery         Drilled to 22' Sampled to 22' Groundwater not encounte Backfilled with Cuttings Auger Refusal @ 22' *AG - Agricultural Suitability | ed                 | SE, SA,<br>AG* |
| B<br>C<br>G<br>R<br>S | GRAB S        | SAMPLE<br>SAMPLE<br>SAMPLE<br>AMPLE<br>SPOON SA |           | TYPE OF TI<br>-200 % F<br>AL ATT<br>CN COI<br>CO COI<br>CR COI<br>CR COI<br>CU UNI | INES PAS<br>ERBERG<br>NSOLIDA<br>LAPSE<br>RROSION | LIMITS<br>TION     | EI<br>H<br>MD<br>PP    | HYDRO<br>MAXIMI               | SION INDEX SE SAND EQUIVALENT<br>METER SG SPECIFIC GRAVITY<br>JM DENSITY UC UNCONFINED COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH<br>T PENETROMETER  | 4                  | Ż              |

| Proj<br>Drill         | ject No<br>ject<br>ling Co<br>ling Mo                           | ).<br>-   | Cal Pa    | i.001<br>west Jus<br>ac Drilling<br>v Stem A                              | 9   |                    | - Auto                 | 0 - 30"                   | Date Drilled<br>Logged By<br>Hole Diameter<br>Drop Ground Elevation   | Logged ByJTDHole Diameter8" |               |
|-----------------------|---|---|-----------|---|---|--------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|---|-----------------------------|---------------|
| Loc                   | ation   | -   | See B     | oring Loo   | cation I  | Plan               |                        |                           | Sampled By  | JTD                         |               |
| Elevation<br>Feet     | Depth<br>Feet   | z<br>Graphic<br>ທ   | Attitudes | Sample No.  | Blows<br>Per 6 Inches                             | Dry Density<br>pcf | Moisture<br>Content, % | Soil Class.<br>(U.S.C.S.) | <b>SOIL DESCRIPTION</b><br>This Soil Description applies only to a location of the exploration of sampling. Subsurface conditions may differ at other and may change with time. The description is a simplification actual conditions encountered. Transitions between soil type gradual. | locations<br>on of the      | Type of Tests |
|                       | 0   |   |           | B-1   |   |                    |                        | SM                        | Quaternary Alluvium (Qal); SILTY SAND with GRAVEL,<br>brown, dry to moist, fine to coarse grained sand with g<br>cobble and boulders to 18"   | dark<br>jravel              |               |
|                       | _   |   |           | +   |   |                    |                        | SC-SM                     | SILTY, CLAYEY SAND with GRAVEL, dark brown, mois coarse grained sand with fine gravel   |                             |               |
|                       | 5   |   | +         | R-1   | 4<br>6<br>11                                      | 104                | 21                     | ML                        | SANDY SILT, stiff, light brownish gray, moist, very fine to grained sand, (CO = 6%)   |                             | СО            |
|                       |   |   | +         | +   | <br> <br>   |                    |                        | SM                        | SILTY SAND, light brownish gray, moist, very fine to mea<br>grained sand  | <br>dium                    |               |
|                       | 10—<br>—<br>—   |   |           | R-2   | 11<br>28<br>50/5"                                 | 113                | 9                      | SM                        | <u>Older Alluvium (Qalo)</u> ; SILTY SAND, dense, pale brown<br>moist, fine to medium grained sand  |                             |               |
|                       | 15<br><br>  | <td></td> <td>R-3</td> <td>16<br/>23<br/>50/5"</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>SILTY SAND, dense, dark yellowish brown, moist, fine to grained sand</td> <td>coarse</td> <td></td> |           | R-3   | 16<br>23<br>50/5"                                 |                    |                        |                           | SILTY SAND, dense, dark yellowish brown, moist, fine to grained sand  | coarse                      |               |
|                       | 20  |   |           | R-4   | 16<br>50  |                    |                        |                           | SILTY SAND, dense, dark reddish brown, moist, fine to o<br>grained sand with fine gravel, angular gravel to 1"  | coarse                      |               |
|                       |   |   |           |   |   |                    |                        |                           | Drilled to 21' Sampled to 21' Groundwater not encoun<br>Backfilled with Cuttings  | tered                       |               |
| B<br>C<br>G<br>R<br>S | 30<br>BULK S<br>CORE S<br>GRAB S<br>RING S<br>SPLIT S<br>TUBE S | AMPLE<br>AMPLE<br>AMPLE<br>AMPLE<br>POON SA   |           | TYPE OF TE<br>-200 % FI<br>AL ATT<br>CN CON<br>CO COL<br>CR COF<br>CU UND | INES PAS<br>ERBERG<br>ISOLIDA<br>LAPSE<br>RROSION | LIMITS<br>TION     | EI<br>H<br>MD<br>PP    | HYDRO                     | SION INDEX SE SAND EQUIVALENT<br>METER SG SPECIFIC GRAVITY<br>JM DENSITY UC UNCONFINED COMPRESSIVE STRENG<br>T PENETROMETER   | тн                          | Ż             |

| Proj<br>Drill<br>Drill | Depth<br>ect<br>ing Co<br>ing Mo<br>ation | -<br>D   | Leight<br>Hand | .001<br>west Jus<br>on Cons<br>Auger -<br>oring Loo                       | ulting<br>Manua                                   | Density<br>pcf | Moisture<br>Content, % | Soil Class.<br>(U.S.C.S.)        | Logged By<br>Hole Diameter<br>Ground Elevation<br>Sampled By<br>SOIL DESCRIPTION<br>This Soil Description applies only to a location of the explorati<br>time of sampling. Subsurface conditions may differ at other loc   | ocations             | Type of Tests |
|------------------------|---|--|----------------|---|---|----------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|--|----------------------|---------------|
| Eleve                  | 0<br><br><br><br><br>10<br><br><br>       |  | Attit          | R-1   |   |                | 6 Conte                | SC<br>CL<br>SW-SM                | and may change with time. The description is a simplification<br>actual conditions encountered. Transitions between soil type<br>gradual.<br><u>Artificial Fill (Af)</u> ; CLAYEY SAND, dark brown, moist, fine<br>medium grained sand (EI = 29)<br>SANDY Lean CLAY, dark brown, moist, fine to medium gra | to<br>ained<br>d as: | EI            |
| B<br>C<br>G<br>R<br>S  | GRAB S                                    | SAMPLE<br>SAMPLE<br>SAMPLE<br>AMPLE<br>SPOON SAI |                | TYPE OF TE<br>-200 % FI<br>AL ATT<br>CN CON<br>CO COL<br>CR COF<br>CU UNC | INES PAS<br>ERBERG<br>NSOLIDA<br>LAPSE<br>RROSION | LIMITS         | EI<br>H<br>MD<br>PP    | EXPAN<br>HYDRC<br>MAXIM<br>POCKE | SHEAR SA SIEVE ANALYSIS<br>SION INDEX SE SAND EQUIVALENT<br>METER SG SPECIFIC GRAVITY<br>JM DENSITY UC UNCONFINED COMPRESSIVE STRENGTI<br>FE   | 4                    | <b>X</b>      |

| -                     | ject No  | <b>).</b>                                      | 10625               | 5.001      |   |                    |                        |                           | Date Drilled  | 3-10-14                  |               |  |
|-----------------------|--|--|---------------------|------------|---|--------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|---|--------------------------|---------------|--|
| Proj                  |  |  | South               | west Jus   | tice Ce   | enter              |                        |                           | Logged By   | JTD                      |               |  |
|                       | ling Co  | -  | Leight              | ton Cons   | ulting  |                    |                        |                           | Hole Diameter   | 4"                       |               |  |
| Drill                 | ling Me  | ethod  | Hand Auger - Manual |            |   |                    |                        |                           | Ground Elevation  | ~1364'                   |               |  |
| Loc                   | ation  |  | See B               | Boring Lo  | cation I  | Plan               |                        |                           | Sampled By  | Sampled By               |               |  |
| Elevation<br>Feet     | Depth<br>Feet  | ح<br>Graphic<br>«                              | Attitudes           | Sample No. | Blows<br>Per 6 Inches                             | Dry Density<br>pcf | Moisture<br>Content, % | Soil Class.<br>(U.S.C.S.) | <b>SOIL DESCRIPTION</b><br>This Soil Description applies only to a location of the exploit<br>time of sampling. Subsurface conditions may differ at othe<br>and may change with time. The description is a simplificati<br>actual conditions encountered. Transitions between soil ty<br>gradual. | r locations<br>on of the | Type of Tests |  |
|                       | 0  |  |                     | _          | _   |                    |                        | SC-SM                     | Artificial Fill (Af); SILTY, CLAYEY SAND, dark brown, n fine to coarse grained sand   | noist,                   |               |  |
|                       |  |  |                     | +          |   |                    | ·                      | SC                        | CLAYEY SAND, dark brown, moist, fine to medium grain sand   | <br>ned                  |               |  |
|                       | 5<br>  |  |                     | R-1        |   | 98                 |                        | CL                        | Lean CLAY, dark brown, moist  | illed with               |               |  |
| B<br>C<br>G<br>R<br>S | 30<br>PLE TYPI<br>BULK S<br>CORE S<br>GRAB S<br>RING SA<br>SPLIT S<br>TUBE S | AMPLE<br>SAMPLE<br>SAMPLE<br>AMPLE<br>SPOON SA |                     |            | INES PAS<br>ERBERG<br>NSOLIDA<br>LAPSE<br>RROSION | LIMITS<br>TION     | EI<br>H<br>MD<br>PP    | HYDRO<br>MAXIM            | SION INDEX SE SAND EQUIVALENT<br>METER SG SPECIFIC GRAVITY<br>UM DENSITY UC UNCONFINED COMPRESSIVE STREN(<br>T PENETROMETER   | этн                      | ×             |  |

| Proj                  | ect No                               | ).  | 10625     | 5.001  |   |                    |                        |                           | Date Drilled   | 3-10-14                  |               |  |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|---|-----------|--|---|--------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|--|--------------------------|---------------|--|
| Proj                  | ect                                  | -   |           | west Jus                                     | stice Ce  | enter              |                        |                           | Logged By  | JTD                      |               |  |
| -                     | ing Co                               | ).  |           | ac Drillin                                   |   | -                  |                        |                           | Hole Diameter  | 8"                       |               |  |
| Drill                 | ing Me                               | thod  |           | w Stem A                                     |   | 140lb              | - Auto                 | o - <u>3</u> 0"           |  | ~1361'                   |               |  |
| Loc                   | ation                                | -   | See B     | Boring Lo                                    | cation I  | Plan               |                        |                           | Sampled By   | JTD                      |               |  |
| Elevation<br>Feet     | Depth<br>Feet                        | د<br>Graphic<br>ە                           | Attitudes | Sample No.                                   | Blows<br>Per 6 Inches   | Dry Density<br>pcf | Moisture<br>Content, % | Soil Class.<br>(U.S.C.S.) | <b>SOIL DESCRIPTION</b><br>This Soil Description applies only to a location of the explor<br>time of sampling. Subsurface conditions may differ at other<br>and may change with time. The description is a simplificati<br>actual conditions encountered. Transitions between soil typ<br>gradual. | r locations<br>on of the | Type of Tests |  |
|                       | 0                                    | △   |           |  |   |                    |                        | SC-SM                     | Quaternary Alluvium (Qal); Well-graded SAND with SIL<br>GRAVEL, dark brown, moist, fine to coarse grained s  | F and                    |               |  |
|                       |                                      |   |           | P-1  |   |                    |                        | SC                        | CLAYEY SAND with GRAVEL, dark brown, moist, fine to<br>grained sand with angular gravel to 1"  | ) coarse                 |               |  |
| SAMP                  | 5<br>                                | -54   |           |  |   |                    |                        |                           | Drilled to 3' Sampled to 3' Groundwater not encounte<br>Backfilled with  | red                      |               |  |
| B<br>C<br>G<br>R<br>S | BULK S<br>CORE S<br>GRAB S<br>RING S | AMPLE<br>AMPLE<br>AMPLE<br>AMPLE<br>POON SA |           | -200 % F<br>AL AT<br>CN CO<br>CO CO<br>CR CO | ESTS:<br>INES PAS<br>FERBERG<br>NSOLIDA<br>LLAPSE<br>RROSION<br>DRAINED | LIMITS<br>TION     | EI<br>H<br>MD<br>PP    | EXPAN<br>HYDRO<br>MAXIM   | UM DENSITY UC UNCONFINED COMPRESSIVE STRENG<br>T PENETROMETER  | атн                      | Z             |  |

| Pro                   | ject No   | <b>D</b> .                                  | 10625                    | .001       |   |                    |                        |                           | Date Drilled   | 3-10-14                  |               |
|-----------------------|---|---|--------------------------|------------|---|--------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|--|--------------------------|---------------|
| Proj                  | ect   |   |                          | west Jus   | tice Ce   | enter              |                        |                           | Logged By  | JTD                      |               |
| Drill                 | ing Co  | <b>).</b>                                   |                          | ac Drillin |   |                    |                        |                           | Hole Diameter  | 8"                       |               |
| Drill                 | ing Me  | ethod                                       |                          | / Stem A   | -   | 140lb              | - Auto                 | o - 30"                   |  | ~1361'                   |               |
| Loc                   | ation   |   | See Boring Location Plan |            |   |                    |                        | Sampled By                | JTD  |                          |               |
|                       |   |   |                          | -          |   |                    |                        |                           |  |                          | ø             |
| Elevation<br>Feet     | Depth<br>Feet   | z<br>Graphic<br>v                           | Attitudes                | Sample No. | Blows<br>Per 6 Inches                             | Dry Density<br>pcf | Moisture<br>Content, % | Soil Class.<br>(U.S.C.S.) | SOIL DESCRIPTION<br>This Soil Description applies only to a location of the explor-<br>time of sampling. Subsurface conditions may differ at other<br>and may change with time. The description is a simplificati<br>actual conditions encountered. Transitions between soil typ<br>gradual. | r locations<br>on of the | Type of Tests |
|                       | 0   |   |                          |            |   |                    |                        | SW-SM                     | Quaternary Alluvium (Qal); Well-graded SAND with SIL<br>GRAVEL, brown, dry to moist, fine to coarse grained<br>with gravel and cobble to 4"<br>SILTY SAND, dark brown, moist, fine to coarse grained   | sand                     |               |
|                       | _   |   |                          |            |   |                    |                        | SC-SM                     | SILTY, CLAYEY SAND, dark brown, moist, fine to coars grained sand  |                          |               |
|                       |   |   |                          | P-2        |   |                    |                        |                           | Drilled to 5' Sampled to 5' Groundwater not encounte<br>Backfilled with  | ed                       |               |
| B<br>C<br>G<br>R<br>S | 30<br>BULK S<br>CORE S<br>GRAB S<br>RING S<br>SPLIT S<br>TUBE S | AMPLE<br>AMPLE<br>AMPLE<br>AMPLE<br>POON SA |                          |            | INES PAS<br>ERBERG<br>NSOLIDA<br>LAPSE<br>RROSION | ELIMITS<br>TION    | EI<br>H<br>MD<br>PP    | HYDRO<br>MAXIMI           | SION INDEX SE SAND EQUIVALENT<br>METER SG SPECIFIC GRAVITY<br>JM DENSITY UC UNCONFINED COMPRESSIVE STRENG<br>T PENETROMETER  | тн                       | Z             |

# **APPENDIX B**

# **B-1: RESULTS OF GEOTECHNICAL LABORATORY TESTING**

# **B-2: RESULTS OF AGRICULTURAL SUITABILITY TESTING**



# MODIFIED PROCTOR COMPACTION TEST

ASTM D 1557

| Project Name:        | SWJC                |           |                  | Tested By :                                   | RTS          | Date: | 3/11/14 |
|----------------------|---------------------|-----------|------------------|---|--------------|-------|---------|
| Project No .:        | 10625.001           |           | _                | Input By :                                    | MRV          | Date: | 3/12/14 |
| Location:            | **                  |           | _                | Depth (ft.)                                   | 0 - 5.0      |       |         |
| Sample No. :         | LB-2, B-1           |           | _                |   |              |       |         |
| Soil Identification: | SILTY CLAYEY        | SAND WITH | TRACE GRAV       | EL (SC-SM),                                   | reddish brow | /n.   |         |
| Preparation Method   | 0.03317             | Ram V     | X<br>Veight = 10 | Mechanical<br>Manual Rar<br><i>b.; Drop =</i> | n            |       |         |
|                      | Moisture Added (ml) | -100      | -50              | 0   | 50           |       |         |
| TEST                 | NO.                 | 1         | 2                | 3   | 4            | 5     | 6       |
| Wt. Compacted S      | oil + Mold (g)      | 6052      | 6186             | 6291  | 6255         |       |         |
|                      |                     |           |                  |   |              |       |         |

| Weight of Mold         | (g)       | 4200  | 4200   | 4200  | 4200  | AS REC'D |
|------------------------|-----------|-------|--------|-------|-------|----------|
| Net Weight of Soil     | (g)       | 1852  | 1986   | 2091  | 2055  | MOISTURE |
| Wet Weight of Soil + ( | Cont. (g) | 997.6 | 1138.1 | 825.1 | 891.2 | 179.1    |
| Dry Weight of Soil + C | Cont. (g) | 946.2 | 1065.9 | 754.4 | 807.1 | 165.8    |
| Weight of Container    | (g)       | 142.6 | 214.7  | 81.2  | 136.3 | 38.9     |
| Moisture Content       | (%)       | 6.4   | 8.5    | 10.5  | 12.5  | 10.5     |
| Wet Density            | (pcf)     | 123.1 | 132.0  | 138.9 | 136.6 |          |
| Dry Density            | (pcf)     | 115.7 | 121.7  | 125.7 | 121.4 |          |

# Maximum Dry Density (pcf) 126.0 Optimum Moisture Content (%) 10.5

#### **PROCEDURE USED**

# Procedure ASoil Passing No. 4 (4.75 mm) SieveMold : 4 in. (101.6 mm) diameterLayers : 5 (Five)Blows per layer : 25 (twenty-five)May be used if +#4 is 20% or less

**Procedure B** Soil Passing 3/8 in. (9.5 mm) Sieve Mold : 4 in. (101.6 mm) diameter Layers : 5 (Five) Blows per layer : 25 (twenty-five) Use if +#4 is >20% and +3/8 in. is 20% or less

#### Procedure C

 Soil Passing 3/4 in. (19.0 mm) Sieve

 Mold : 6 in. (152.4 mm) diameter

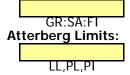
 Layers : 5 (Five)

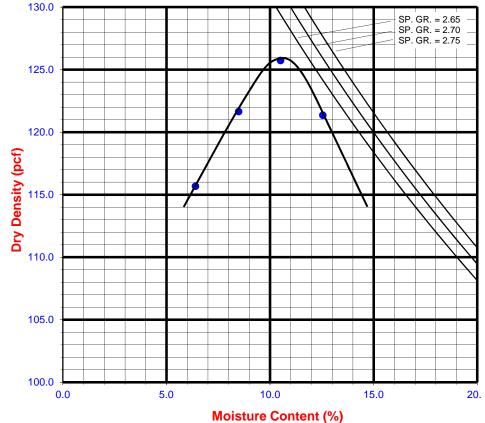
 Blows per layer : 56 (fifty-six)

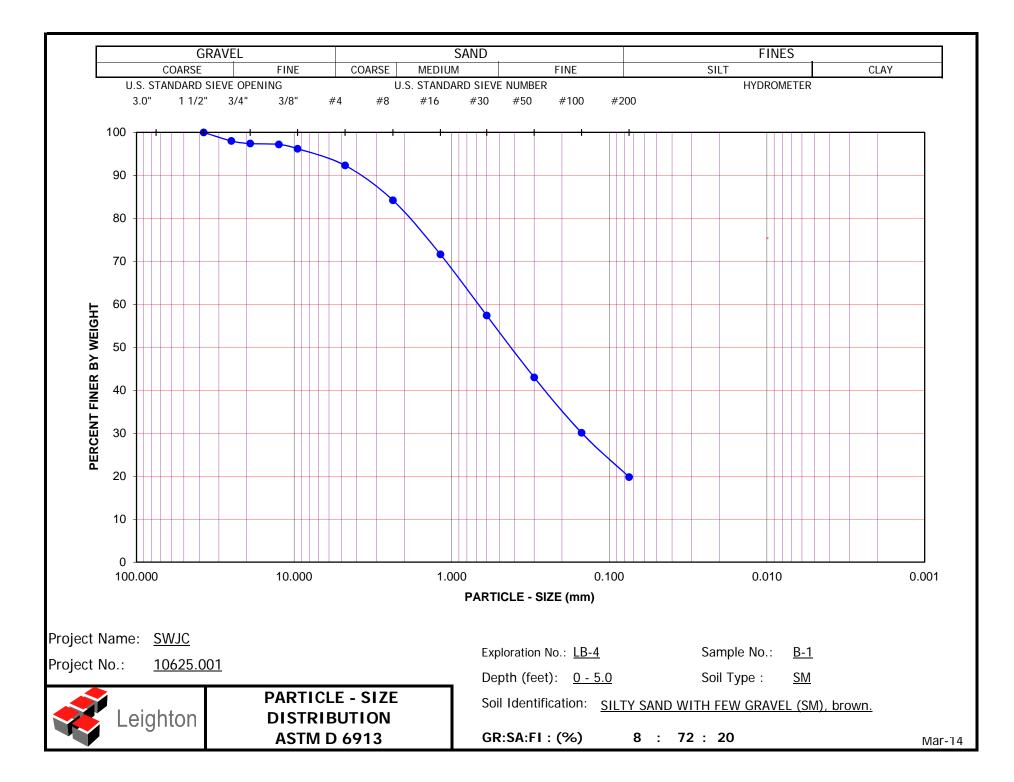
 Use if +3/8 in. is >20% and +3/4 in.

 is <30%</td>

## Particle-Size Distribution:









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| Dry Wt. of Soil         (gm.)<br>Weight Soil Retained on #4 Sieve         1542.3           Percent Passing # 4         6.7           99.6         99.6   | Project Name:<br>Project No. :<br>Boring No.:<br>Sample No. :<br>Sample Description: | SWJC<br>10625.001<br>LB-6,7<br>R-1<br>CLAYEY SAND WITH TRACE GRA<br>Dry Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)<br>Wt. of Container No. (gm.) | Location<br>AVEL (SC), dark brown. | : <u>JHW</u><br>) <u>1.5 - 3.0</u> | Date: <u>3/17/14</u><br>Date: <u>3/19/14</u> |
|--|--|---|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|
| Percent Passing # 4         99.6           MOLDED SPECIMEN         Before Test         After Test           Specimen Diameter         (in.)         4.01         4.01           Specimen Height         (in.)         1.0000         1.0290           Wt. Comp. Soil + Mold (gm.)         558.5         597.7           Wt. of Mold         (gm.)         189.5         189.5           Specific Gravity (Assumed)         2.70         2.70           Container No.         5         5           Wet Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)         349.6         597.7           Dry Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)         312.8         323.7           Wt. of Container (gm.)         49.6         189.5           Moisture Content (%)         14.0         26.1           Wet Density (pcf)         111.3         123.0           Dry Density (pcf)         97.6         97.5           Void Ratio         0.727         0.777           Total Porosity         0.421         0.437           Pore Volume (cc)         87.1         93.1 |  | (0)   |                                    |                                    |  |
| MOLDED SPECIMEN         Before Test         After Test           Specimen Diameter (in.)         4.01         4.01           Specimen Height (in.)         1.0000         1.0290           Wt. Comp. Soil + Mold (gm.)         558.5         597.7           Wt. of Mold (gm.)         189.5         189.5           Specific Gravity (Assumed)         2.70         2.70           Container No.         5         5           Wet Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)         349.6         597.7           Dry Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)         312.8         323.7           Wt. of Container (gm.)         49.6         189.5           Moisture Content (%)         14.0         26.1           Wet Density (pcf)         111.3         123.0           Dry Density (pcf)         97.6         97.5           Void Ratio         0.727         0.777           Total Porosity         0.421         0.437           Pore Volume (cc)         87.1         93.1  |  | Weight Soil Retained on #4 Sieve  | 6                                  | 5.7                                |  |
| Specimen Diameter         (in.)         4.01         4.01           Specimen Height         (in.)         1.0000         1.0290           Wt. Comp. Soil + Mold (gm.)         558.5         597.7           Wt. of Mold         (gm.)         189.5         189.5           Specific Gravity (Assumed)         2.70         2.70           Container No.         5         5           Wet Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)         349.6         597.7           Dry Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)         312.8         323.7           Wt. of Container (gm.)         49.6         189.5           Moisture Content (%)         14.0         26.1           Wet Density (pcf)         97.6         97.5           Void Ratio         0.727         0.777           Total Porosity         0.421         0.437           Pore Volume (cc)         87.1         93.1   |  | Percent Passing # 4   | 99                                 | 9.6                                |  |
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| Void Ratio         0.727         0.777           Total Porosity         0.421         0.437           Pore Volume (cc)         87.1         93.1   | Wet Den  | sity (pcf)  | 111.3                              | 123.0                              |  |
| Total Porosity         0.421         0.437           Pore Volume (cc)         87.1         93.1  | Dry Dens   | ity (pcf)   | 97.6                               | 97.5                               |  |
| Pore Volume (cc) 87.1 93.1   | Void Rati  | 0   | 0.727                              | 0.777                              |  |
|  | Total Por  | osity   | 0.421                              | 0.437                              |  |
| Degree of Saturation (%) [S meas] 52.0 90.8  | Pore Volu  | ume (cc)  | 87.1                               | 93.1                               |  |
|  | Degree o   | f Saturation (%) [ S meas]  | 52.0                               | 90.8                               |  |

**SPECIMEN INUNDATION** in distilled water for the period of 24 h or expansion rate < 0.0002 in./h.

| Date    | Time    | Pressure<br>(psi) | Elapsed Time<br>(min.) | Dial Readings<br>(in.) |
|---------|---------|-------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
|         |         |                   |                        | T                      |
| 3/17/14 | 8:41    | 1.0               | 0                      | 0.5000                 |
| 3/17/14 | 8:51    | 1.0               | 10                     | 0.5000                 |
|         | pecimen |                   |                        |                        |
| 3/18/14 |         | 1.0               | 909                    | 0.5290                 |
| 3/18/14 | 1:00    | 1.0               | 969                    | 0.5290                 |

| Expansion Index (EI meas) = ((Final Rdg - Initial Rdg) / Initial Thick.) x 1000                      | 29.0 |  |
|--|------|--|
| Expansion Index (Report) = Nearest Whole Number or Zero (0) if Initial Height is > than Final Height | 29   |  |



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| Dry Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)         1647.3           Wt. of Container No. (gm.)         0.0           Dry Wt. of Soil (gm.)         1647.3           Weight Soil Retained on #4 Sieve         4.1           Percent Passing # 4         99.8           MOLDED SPECIMEN         Before Test         After Test           Specimen Diameter (in.)         4.01         4.01           Specimen Height (in.)         1.0000         1.0467           Wt. Comp. Soil + Mold (gm.)         577.6         611.3           Wt. of Mold (gm.)         181.2         181.2           Specific Gravity (Assumed)         2.70         2.70           Container No.         4         4           Wet Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)         338.9         611.3           Dry Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)         38.9         181.2           Moisture Container (gm.)         38.9         181.2           Moisture Content (%)         10.5         19.9           Wet Density (pcf)         119.6         129.6           Dry Density (pcf)         0.358         0.631           Void Ratio         0.558         0.631           Total Porosity         0.358         0.387           Pore Volume (cc)         74.1 <td< th=""><th>Project Name:<br/>Project No. :<br/>Boring No.:<br/>Sample No. :<br/>Sample Description:</th><th></th><th colspan="3">Tested By: <u>MRV</u><br/>Checked By: <u>JHW</u><br/>Depth (ft.) <u>0 - 5.0</u><br/>Location: <u>**</u><br/>ACE GRAVEL (SC-SM), reddish brown.</th><th>Date: <u>3/17/14</u><br/>Date: <u>3/19/14</u></th></td<> | Project Name:<br>Project No. :<br>Boring No.:<br>Sample No. :<br>Sample Description: |                            | Tested By: <u>MRV</u><br>Checked By: <u>JHW</u><br>Depth (ft.) <u>0 - 5.0</u><br>Location: <u>**</u><br>ACE GRAVEL (SC-SM), reddish brown. |         |         | Date: <u>3/17/14</u><br>Date: <u>3/19/14</u> |
|---|--|----------------------------|--|---------|---------|--|
| Dry Wt. of Soil         (gm.)<br>Weight Soil Retained on #4 Sieve         1647.3           Percent Passing # 4         99.8           MOLDED SPECIMEN         Before Test         After Test           Specimen Diameter         (in.)         4.01         4.01           Specimen Diameter         (in.)         1.0000         1.0467           Wt. Comp. Soil + Mold (gm.)         577.6         611.3           Wt. of Mold         (gm.)         181.2         181.2           Specific Gravity (Assumed)         2.70         2.70           Container No.         4         4           Wet Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)         338.9         611.3           Dry Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)         38.9         181.2           Moisture Content (%)         10.5         19.9           Wet Density (pcf)         119.6         129.6           Dry Density (pcf)         108.2         108.1           Void Ratio         0.558         0.631           Total Porosity         0.3358         0.387  |  |                            |  |         |         |  |
| Weight Soil Retained on #4 Sieve         4.1           Percent Passing # 4         99.8           MOLDED SPECIMEN         Before Test         After Test           Specimen Diameter         (in.)         4.01         4.01           Specimen Height         (in.)         1.0000         1.0467           Wt. Comp. Soil + Mold (gm.)         577.6         611.3           Wt. of Mold         (gm.)         181.2         181.2           Specific Gravity (Assumed)         2.70         2.70           Container No.         4         4           Wet Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)         338.9         611.3           Dry Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)         310.4         358.7           Wt. of Container (gm.)         38.9         181.2           Moisture Content (%)         10.5         19.9           Wet Density (pcf)         119.6         129.6           Dry Density (pcf)         108.2         108.1           Void Ratio         0.558         0.631           Total Porosity         0.358         0.387  |  | (8)                        |  |         |         |  |
| Percent Passing # 4         99.8           MOLDED SPECIMEN         Before Test         After Test           Specimen Diameter (in.)         4.01         4.01           Specimen Height (in.)         1.0000         1.0467           Wt. Corp. Soil + Mold (gm.)         577.6         611.3           Wt. of Mold (gm.)         181.2         181.2           Specific Gravity (Assumed)         2.70         2.70           Container No.         4         4           Wet Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)         338.9         611.3           Dry Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)         310.4         358.7           Wt. of Container (gm.)         38.9         181.2           Moisture Content (%)         10.5         19.9           Wet Density (pcf)         119.6         129.6           Dry Density (pcf)         108.2         108.1           Void Ratio         0.558         0.631           Total Porosity         0.358         0.387   |  |                            |  |         |         |  |
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| Specimen Diameter         (in.)         4.01         4.01           Specimen Height         (in.)         1.0000         1.0467           Wt. Comp. Soil + Mold (gm.)         577.6         611.3           Wt. of Mold         (gm.)         181.2         181.2           Specific Gravity (Assumed)         2.70         2.70           Container No.         4         4           Wet Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)         338.9         611.3           Dry Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)         330.4         358.7           Wt. of Container (gm.)         38.9         181.2           Moisture Content (%)         10.5         19.9           Wet Density (pcf)         119.6         129.6           Dry Density (pcf)         0.558         0.631           Void Ratio         0.558         0.631           Total Porosity         0.358         0.387   |  | Percent Passing # 4        |  | 99.8    | 3       |  |
| Specimen Diameter         (in.)         4.01         4.01           Specimen Height         (in.)         1.0000         1.0467           Wt. Comp. Soil + Mold (gm.)         577.6         611.3           Wt. of Mold         (gm.)         181.2         181.2           Specific Gravity (Assumed)         2.70         2.70           Container No.         4         4           Wet Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)         338.9         611.3           Dry Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)         330.4         358.7           Wt. of Container (gm.)         38.9         181.2           Moisture Content (%)         10.5         19.9           Wet Density (pcf)         119.6         129.6           Dry Density (pcf)         0.558         0.631           Void Ratio         0.558         0.631           Total Porosity         0.358         0.387   |  |                            |  |         |         |  |
| Specimen Height         (in.)         1.0000         1.0467           Wt. Comp. Soil + Mold (gm.)         577.6         611.3           Wt. of Mold         (gm.)         181.2         181.2           Specific Gravity (Assumed)         2.70         2.70           Container No.         4         4           Wet Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)         338.9         611.3           Dry Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)         310.4         358.7           Wt. of Container         (gm.)         38.9         181.2           Moisture Content (%)         10.5         19.9         19.9           Wet Density (pcf)         119.6         129.6         108.1           Void Ratio         0.558         0.631         0.631           Total Porosity         0.358         0.387         0.387  |  | MOLDED SPECIMEN            | Befor  | re Test | After 7 | 「est   |
| Wt. Comp. Soil + Mold (gm.)       577.6       611.3         Wt. of Mold       (gm.)       181.2       181.2         Specific Gravity (Assumed)       2.70       2.70         Container No.       4       4         Wet Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)       338.9       611.3         Dry Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)       310.4       358.7         Wt. of Container       (gm.)       310.4       358.7         Wt. of Container       (gm.)       10.5       19.9         Wet Density (pcf)       119.6       129.6         Dry Density (pcf)       108.2       108.1         Void Ratio       0.558       0.631         Total Porosity       0.358       0.387  | Specimer   | n Diameter (in.)           | 4  | .01     | 4.0     | 1  |
| Wt. of Mold       (gm.)       181.2       181.2         Specific Gravity (Assumed)       2.70       2.70         Container No.       4       4         Wet Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)       338.9       611.3         Dry Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)       310.4       358.7         Wt. of Container       (gm.)       38.9       181.2         Moisture Content (%)       10.5       19.9         Wet Density (pcf)       119.6       129.6         Dry Density (pcf)       108.2       108.1         Void Ratio       0.558       0.631         Total Porosity       0.358       0.387   | Specimer   | n Height (in.)             | 1.0  | 0000    | 1.040   | 67   |
| Specific Gravity (Assumed)         2.70         2.70           Container No.         4         4           Wet Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)         338.9         611.3           Dry Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)         310.4         358.7           Wt. of Container (gm.)         38.9         181.2           Moisture Content (%)         10.5         19.9           Wet Density (pcf)         119.6         129.6           Dry Density (pcf)         0.558         0.631           Void Ratio         0.558         0.631           Total Porosity         0.358         0.387   | Wt. Com  | o. Soil + Mold (gm.)       | 57   | 7.6     | 611.    | .3   |
| Container No.44Wet Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)338.9611.3Dry Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)310.4358.7Wt. of Container (gm.)38.9181.2Moisture Content (%)10.519.9Wet Density (pcf)119.6129.6Dry Density (pcf)108.2108.1Void Ratio0.5580.631Total Porosity0.3580.387  |  |                            | 18   | 31.2    | 181.    | .2   |
| Wet Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)       338.9       611.3         Dry Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)       310.4       358.7         Wt. of Container (gm.)       38.9       181.2         Moisture Content (%)       10.5       19.9         Wet Density (pcf)       119.6       129.6         Dry Density (pcf)       108.2       108.1         Void Ratio       0.558       0.631         Total Porosity       0.358       0.387  | Specific (   | Gravity (Assumed)          | 2  | .70     | 2.70    | 0  |
| Dry Wt. of Soil + Cont. (gm.)       310.4       358.7         Wt. of Container       (gm.)       38.9       181.2         Moisture Content (%)       10.5       19.9         Wet Density (pcf)       119.6       129.6         Dry Density (pcf)       108.2       108.1         Void Ratio       0.558       0.631         Total Porosity       0.358       0.387  | Containe   | r No.                      |  | 4       | 4       |  |
| Wt. of Container         (gm.)         38.9         181.2           Moisture Content (%)         10.5         19.9           Wet Density (pcf)         119.6         129.6           Dry Density (pcf)         108.2         108.1           Void Ratio         0.558         0.631           Total Porosity         0.358         0.387  | Wet Wt. o  | of Soil + Cont. (gm.)      | 33   | 88.9    | 611.    | .3   |
| Moisture Content (%)         10.5         19.9           Wet Density (pcf)         119.6         129.6           Dry Density (pcf)         108.2         108.1           Void Ratio         0.558         0.631           Total Porosity         0.358         0.387  | Dry Wt. o  | f Soil + Cont. (gm.)       | 31   | 0.4     | 358.    | .7   |
| Wet Density (pcf)         119.6         129.6           Dry Density (pcf)         108.2         108.1           Void Ratio         0.558         0.631           Total Porosity         0.358         0.387   | Wt. of Co  | ontainer (gm.)             | 3  | 8.9     | 181.    | .2   |
| Dry Density (pcf)         108.2         108.1           Void Ratio         0.558         0.631           Total Porosity         0.358         0.387   | Moisture   | Content (%)                | 1  | 0.5     | 19.9    | 9  |
| Void Ratio         0.558         0.631           Total Porosity         0.358         0.387   | Wet Dens   | sity (pcf)                 | 11   | 9.6     | 129.    | .6   |
| Total Porosity 0.358 0.387  | Dry Dens   | ity (pcf)                  | 10   | 8.2     | 108.    | .1   |
|   | Void Rati  | 0                          | 0.   | 558     | 0.63    | 51   |
| Pore Volume (cc) 74.1 83.8  | Total Por  | osity                      | 0.   | 358     | 0.38    | 57   |
|   | Pore Volu  | ume (cc)                   | 7  | 4.1     | 83.8    | 8  |
| Degree of Saturation (%) [ S meas] 50.8 85.2  | Degree o   | f Saturation (%) [ S meas] | 5  | 0.8     | 85.2    | 2  |

**SPECIMEN INUNDATION** in distilled water for the period of 24 h or expansion rate < 0.0002 in./h.

| Date    | Time    | Pressure<br>(psi) | Elapsed Time<br>(min.) | Dial Readings<br>(in.) |
|---------|---------|-------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
|         |         |                   |                        | 1                      |
| 3/17/14 | 7:35    | 1.0               | 0                      | 0.5000                 |
| 3/17/14 | 7:45    | 1.0               | 10                     | 0.4994                 |
|         | pecimen |                   |                        |                        |
| 3/18/14 |         | 1.0               | 975                    | 0.5467                 |
| 3/18/14 | 1:00    | 1.0               | 1035                   | 0.5467                 |

| Expansion Index (EI meas) = ((Final Rdg - Initial Rdg) / Initial Thick.) x 1000                      | 47.3 |
|--|------|
| Expansion Index (Report) = Nearest Whole Number or Zero (0) if Initial Height is > than Final Height | 47   |



# SAND EQUIVALENT TEST ASTM D 2419 / DOT CA Test 217

| Project Name: | SWJC      | Tested By:   | MRV | Date: | 3/12/14 |  |
|---------------|-----------|--------------|-----|-------|---------|--|
| Project No. : | 10625.001 | Computed By: | MRV | Date: | 3/12/14 |  |
| Client:       | **        | Checked By:  | JHW | Date: | 3/19/14 |  |

| Boring No. | Sample No. | Depth (ft.) | Soil Description | T1    | T2    | Т3    | T4    | R1   | R2  | SE | Average<br>SE |
|------------|------------|-------------|------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|-----|----|---------------|
| LB-4       | B-1        | 0- 5.0      | SM, brown        | 08:00 | 08:10 | 08:12 | 08:32 | 8.0  | 2.1 | 27 | 26            |
|            |            | 0 0.0       | OW, Brown        | 08:02 | 08:12 | 08:14 | 08:34 | 10.5 | 2.5 | 24 | 20            |

T1 = Starting Time

T3 = Settlement Starting Time

Sand Equivalent = R2 / R1 \* 100

T2 = (T1 + 10 min) Begin Agitation

T4 = (T3 + 20 min) Take Clay Reading (R1)

Record SE as Next Higher Integer



#### One-Dimensional Swell or Settlement Potential of Cohesive Soils (ASTM D 4546) -- Method 'B'

| Project Name:       | SWJC             |                         | Tested By:   | MRV     | Date: | 3/13/14 |
|---------------------|------------------|-------------------------|--------------|---------|-------|---------|
| Project No.:        | 10625.0          | 001                     | Checked By:  | JHW     | Date: | 3/19/14 |
| Boring No.:         | LB-5             | _                       | Sample Type: | IN SITU |       |         |
| Sample No.:         | <mark>R-1</mark> | ~                       | Depth (ft.)  | 5.0     |       |         |
| Sample Description: |                  | SILT (ML), pale yellow. | <br>         |         |       |         |

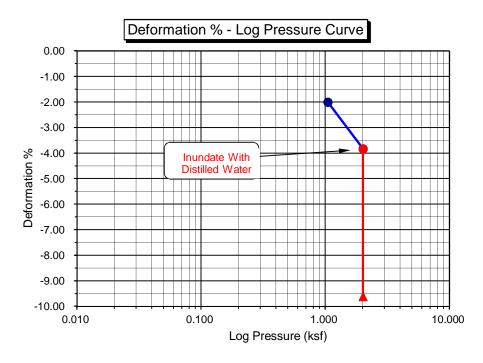
Source and Type of Water Used for Inundation: Arrowhead (Distilled)

\*\* Note: Loading After Wetting (Inundation) not Performed Using this Test Method.

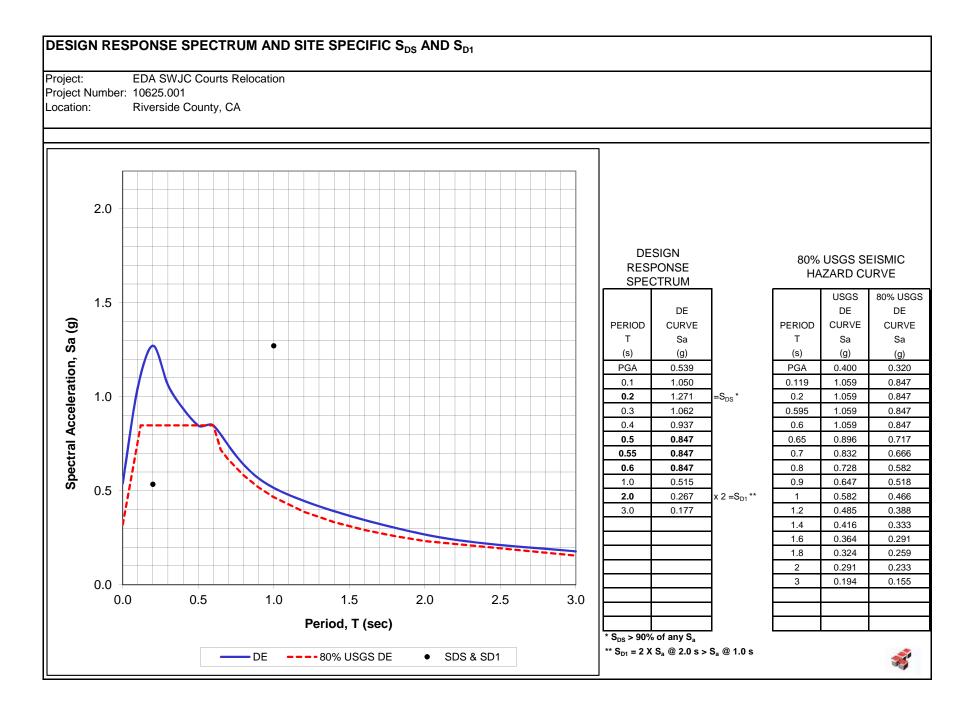
| Initial Dry Density (pcf):    | 65.5   | Final Dry Density (pcf):          | 73.9   |
|-------------------------------|--------|-----------------------------------|--------|
| Initial Moisture (%):         | 16.3   | Final Moisture (%) :              | 45.7   |
| Initial Height (in.):         | 0.9940 | Initial Void ratio:               | 1.5741 |
| Initial Dial Reading (in):    | 0.0500 | Specific Gravity (assumed):       | 2.70   |
| Inside Diameter of Ring (in): | 2.407  | Initial Degree of Saturation (%): | 28.0   |

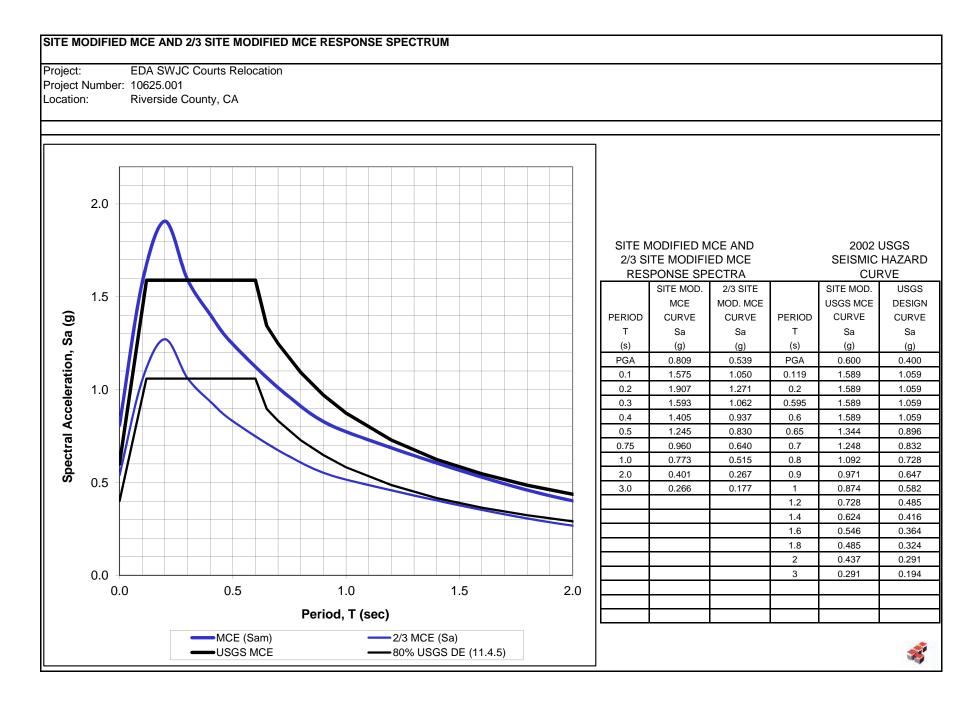
| Pressure (p)<br>(ksf) | Final Reading<br>(in) | Apparent<br>Thickness<br>(in) | Load<br>Compliance<br>(%) | Swell (+)<br>Settlement (-)<br>% of Sample<br>Thickness | Void Ratio | Corrected<br>Deformation<br>(%) |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|---|------------|---------------------------------|
| 1.050                 | 0.0759                | 0.9741                        | 0.00                      | -2.00   | 1.5226     | -2.00                           |
| 2.013                 | 0.0941                | 0.9559                        | 0.00                      | -3.83   | 1.4755     | -3.83                           |
| H2O                   | 0.1515                | 0.8985                        | 0.00                      | -9.61   | 1.3268     | -9.61                           |

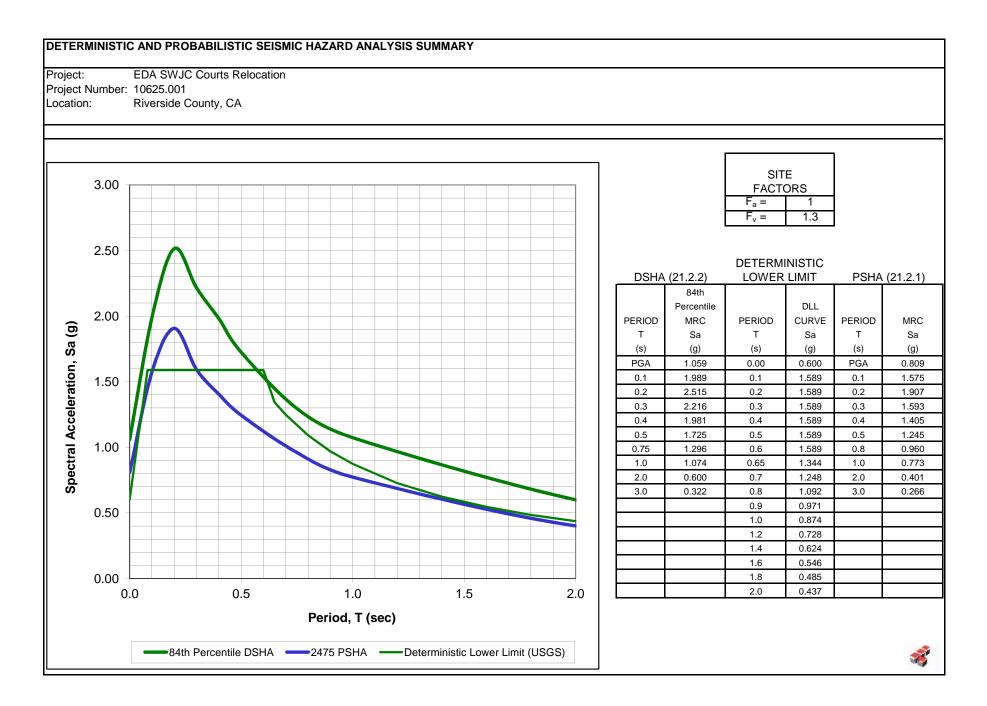
# Percent Swell / Settlement After Inundation = -6.00



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Deterministic Spectra Results using EZ-FRISK 7.62 Build 001 Largest Amplitudes of Ground Motions Considering All Sources Calculated using Weighted Mean of Attenuation Equations Amplitude Units: Acceleration (g) Fractile: 0.5 Period Amplitude Magnitude Closest Region Controlling Source Distance(km) PGA 5.844e-001 7.00 Mw 5.00 USGS 2008 California California Gridded 0.05 7.557e-001 7.00 Mw 5.00 USGS 2008 California California Gridded 0.1 1.095e+000 7.00 Mw 5.00 USGS 2008 California California Gridded 0.2 1.386e+000 7.00 Mw 5.00 USGS 2008 California California Gridded 0.3 1.210e+000 7.00 Mw 5.00 USGS 2008 California California Gridded 7.00 Mw USGS 2008 California 0.4 1.083e+000 5.00 California Gridded 0.5 9.357e-001 7.00 Mw 5.00 USGS 2008 California California Gridded 0.75 7.85 Mw 3.95 USGS 2008 California 6.916e-001 Elsinore 1 5.681e-001 7.85 Mw 3.95 USGS 2008 California Elsinore 2 3.062e-001 7.85 Mw 3.95 USGS 2008 California Elsinore USGS 2008 California 3 2.163e-001 7.85 Mw 3.95 Elsinore USGS 2008 California 4 1.618e-001 7.85 Mw 3.95 Elsinore Fractile: 0.84 Period Amplitude Magnitude Closest Region Controlling Source Distance(km) PGA 1.059e+000 7.00 Mw 5.00 USGS 2008 California California Gridded 0.05 1.369e+000 7.00 Mw 5.00 USGS 2008 California California Gridded 0.1 1.989e+000 7.00 Mw 5.00 USGS 2008 California California Gridded

| 0                  | .2    | 2.515e+000 | 7.00 Mw | 5.00 | USGS | 2008 | California |  |
|--------------------|-------|------------|---------|------|------|------|------------|--|
| California Gridded |       |            |         |      |      |      |            |  |
| 0                  | .3    | 2.216e+000 | 7.00 Mw | 5.00 | USGS | 2008 | California |  |
| California Gridded |       |            |         |      |      |      |            |  |
| 0                  | .4    | 1.981e+000 | 7.00 Mw | 5.00 | USGS | 2008 | California |  |
| California         | Gridd | ed         |         |      |      |      |            |  |
| 0                  | .5    | 1.725e+000 | 7.00 Mw | 5.00 | USGS | 2008 | California |  |
| California         | Gridd | ed         |         |      |      |      |            |  |
| 0.                 | 75    | 1.296e+000 | 7.85 Mw | 3.95 | USGS | 2008 | California |  |
| Elsinore           |       |            |         |      |      |      |            |  |
|                    | 1     | 1.074e+000 | 7.85 Mw | 3.95 | USGS | 2008 | California |  |
| Elsinore           |       |            |         |      |      |      |            |  |
|                    | 2     | 6.003e-001 | 7.85 Mw | 3.95 | USGS | 2008 | California |  |
| Elsinore           |       |            |         |      |      |      |            |  |
|                    | 3     | 4.266e-001 | 7.85 Mw | 3.95 | USGS | 2008 | California |  |
| Elsinore           |       |            |         |      |      |      |            |  |
|                    | 4     | 3.215e-001 | 7.85 Mw | 3.95 | USGS | 2008 | California |  |
| Elsinore           |       |            |         |      |      |      |            |  |

Largest Amplitudes of Ground Motions Considering Sources Calculated with Boore-Atkinson (2008) NGA USGS 2008 MRC Amplitude Units: Acceleration (g)

| Fractile: 0.5      |                    |              |         |                      |  |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------|--------------------|--------------|---------|----------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Period             | Amplitude          | Magnitude    | Closest | Region               |  |  |  |  |  |
| Controlling Source |                    |              |         |                      |  |  |  |  |  |
|                    |                    | Distance(km) |         |                      |  |  |  |  |  |
| PGA                | 5.976e-001         | 7.00 Mw      | 5.00    | USGS 2008 California |  |  |  |  |  |
| California Grido   | led                |              |         |                      |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0.05               | 7.631e-001         | 7.00 Mw      | 5.00    | USGS 2008 California |  |  |  |  |  |
| California Grido   | led                |              |         |                      |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0.1                | 1.102e+000         | 7.00 Mw      | 5.00    | USGS 2008 California |  |  |  |  |  |
| California Grido   | California Gridded |              |         |                      |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0.2                | 1.453e+000         | 7.00 Mw      | 5.00    | USGS 2008 California |  |  |  |  |  |
| California Grido   | California Gridded |              |         |                      |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0.3                | 1.295e+000         | 7.00 Mw      | 5.00    | USGS 2008 California |  |  |  |  |  |
| California Grido   | led                |              |         |                      |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0.4                | 1.203e+000         | 7.00 Mw      | 5.00    | USGS 2008 California |  |  |  |  |  |
| California Grido   | led                |              |         |                      |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0.5                | 1.011e+000         | 7.00 Mw      | 5.00    | USGS 2008 California |  |  |  |  |  |
| California Gridded |                    |              |         |                      |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0.75               | 7.221e-001         | 7.00 Mw      | 5.00    | USGS 2008 California |  |  |  |  |  |
| California Gridded |                    |              |         |                      |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1                  | 5.443e-001         | 7.00 Mw      | 5.00    | USGS 2008 California |  |  |  |  |  |

