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CE/EA Package Number: 4826

Categorical Exclusion Evaluation

MPMS: 21228

Project Name: TREE REMOVAL PROJECT



SR:

Section:

County: Central Office

District: 99

CE Level: 2

CE Action: 03

Prepared By: Camille Otto

Date: 08/17/06

CE Evaluation Part A
General Project Identification & Description

Project Identification

Part A Prepared By:

Originating Office: District 99

Federal Project No: test

Township/Municipality:

Local Name: TREE REMOVAL PROJECT

Limits of Work (Segment/Offset)

Start: End:

Construction Stations

Start: End:

Total Length: m(ft)

Program: Funding: federal state local

No PETS, request from FHWA: Changed the field here from a single line to a box that allows 3-5 lines. This allows for Federal and State funding codes to be listed. Added an orange box (in edit mode) that reads "Indicate the program funding code(s) that apply. If more than one code applies, place one code per line. A list of funding codes is available in Help."

PETS 3847: Added a question here that says "Is construction funding on the current Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)?" Yes/No. allows TBD for scopings only.

PETS 4101: Added a question that reads "Has the project been right-sized?" under the TIP question.

FHWA request: Added 2 questions below the new right-sizing question that say:
1) Date of first Federal Authorization (provided text box here for input)
2) Date of time extension(s) (provided text box here for input)

Project Description

Include narrative to describe the general project scope of work. Attach additional information if needed.

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Project Purpose and Need

Include narrative to describe the project need. Attach additional information if needed.

Project Setting and Distinct Project Features

Provide narrative to adequately describe the project setting (terrain, locale, land use, presence of bicycle/pedestrian or other unique facilities, etc.) and support the evaluation. Any additional information not otherwise covered by this form that is necessary to clearly understand project circumstances should also be included in this section or attached. Narrative should be appropriate for the complexity of the CEE and project circumstances with the length and content varying accordingly. Attach additional information if needed.

How many right-of-way parcels must be acquired for this project?

Describe extent and locations of acquisitions.

Describe the involvement with utilities with this project.

Describe the involvement with any railroad (active or inactive) including all rail lines, crossings, bridges, or signals.

Additional Information

Remarks, Footnotes, Supplemental Data

Attachments

CE Evaluation Part A

Engineering Information

Design Criteria for Project

Functional Classification:

Urban Rural

Current ADT:

Design Year ADT:

DHV:

Truck%:

D (Directional Distribution)%:

Design Speed: km/h (mi/h)

Posted Speed: km/h (mi/h)

Pavement Width: m (ft)

Shoulder Width: m (ft)

Clear Zone: m (ft)

Median Width: m (ft)

Design Exception Required? Yes No

If "Yes", explain.

Setting:

Urban Suburban Rural

Topography:

Level Rolling Mountainous

Traffic Control Measures

The following traffic control measures will be implemented:

Temporary Bridge(s)

Temporary Roadway

Detour

Ramp Closure

Other (specify)

None

Other Description:

If any of the above traffic control measures will be implemented, indicate the following conditions.

Provisions for access by local traffic will be made and so posted.

PETS 3951: Reworded for consistency to say "There will be no interference with any local special event or festival."

True False

Through-traffic dependent business will not be adversely affected.

True False

The detour or ramp closure, to the extent possible, will not interfere with any local special event or festival.

True False

The temporary road, detour or ramp closure will not have substantial environmental consequences.

PETS 3951: Reworded for consistency to say "There will be no substantial environmental consequences associated with the traffic control measure(s)."

There is no substantial controversy associated with the temporary road, detour, or ramp closure.

There are no substantial impacts to bicycle or pedestrian routes.

PETS 3951: Reworded for consistency to say "There is no substantial controversy associated with the traffic control measure(s)."

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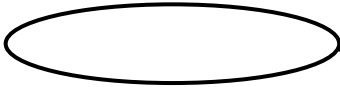
If the answer to any of the above questions was "False", please explain.

Detours should be clearly shown on map, attached and discussed, including provisions for pedestrians, bicycles, handicapped and the elderly.

Approximate length of planned detour:

(ATTACH TO THE CEE)

Make the selection that best describes the planned detour.



Describe impacts

The list here was changed to radio buttons and now appear in read mode.

Estimated Costs

Engineering: \$

Right-of-Way: \$

Construction: \$



Additional Information

Remarks, Footnotes, Supplemental Data

PETS 3657: Added a category for "Utilities: \$"

Attachments

CE Evaluation Part A

Roadway

No roadways included with this project

Roadway Description

SR / Sec

	Existing	Proposed
Number of Lanes:		
Pavement Width:	m (ft)	m (ft)
Shoulder Width:	m (ft)	m (ft)
Median Width:	m (ft)	m (ft)
Sidewalk Width:	m, mm (ft) *	m, mm (ft) *
Clear Zone:	m (ft)	m (ft)

* Use mm when Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) dimensions are being provided. Note metric unit that applies.

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CE Evaluation Part A

Structure

No structures included with this project

BMS Number:

Sufficiency Rating:

PETS 3846: Deleted Sufficiency Rating from the form in its entirety.

Description:

(provide name of waterway or facility structure crosses)

	Existing	Proposed
Structure Type:		
Weight Restrictions:	tonne (ton)	tonne (ton)
Height Restrictions:	m (ft)	m (ft)
Curb to Curb Width:	mm (ft)*	mm (ft)*
Shoulder Width:	mm (ft)*	mm (ft)*
Under Clearance:	m (ft)	m (ft)
Lateral Clearance:	m (ft)	m (ft)
Structure Length:	m (ft)	m (ft)

*Use mm when Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) dimensions are being provided.

Additional Information

Remarks, Footnotes, Supplemental Data

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CE Evaluation Part B, Section A-1
Environmental Evaluation Subject Areas (Aquatic Resources)

Federal Project No: test

1. AQUATIC RESOURCES

	PRESENCE	IMPACTS
STREAMS, RIVERS & WATERCOURSES *		** ***
Intermittent (streams only)	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Perennial	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Wild trout streams	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Stocked trout streams	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes

Identify all streams and their classifications per Chapter 93 of 25 PA Code (e.g. CWF, WWF, HQ, EV):

Remarks:

No PETS: Added a question that reads "Linear feet of stream impact". This question appears in edit mode if impacts is marked "yes". This question is automatically populated as "0" if impacts are all "no" above.

FEDERAL WILD & SCENIC RIVERS & STREAMS * Not Present Present No Yes

Documentation****

- National Parks Service Coordination Letter
- U.S. Forest Service Coordination Letter (Allegheny River)

Remarks:

	PRESENCE	IMPACTS
STATE SCENIC RIVERS & STREAMS	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	** *** <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes

Documentation****

DCNR Coordination Letter

Remarks:

	PRESENCE	IMPACTS ** ***
NAVIGABLE WATERWAYS *	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes

Documentation****

Coast Guard Coordination

Remarks:

	PRESENCE	IMPACTS ** ***
OTHER SURFACE WATERS *	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	
Reservoirs	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Lakes	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Farm ponds	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Detention basins	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Stormwater Management Facilities	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Others (describe in remarks)	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes

Remarks:

	PRESENCE	IMPACTS ** ***
GROUNDWATER RESOURCES *	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	
State, County, Municipal or Local Public Supply Wells	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Residential Well	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Well Head Protection Area	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes

Springs, Seeps Not Present Present No Yes
 Potable Water Source Not Present Present No Yes
 Sole Source and/or Exceptional Value Aquifers Not Present Present No Yes

Remarks:

	PRESENCE	IMPACTS ** ***
WETLANDS *	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	
Open Water	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Vegetated		
Emergent	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Scrub Shrub	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Forested	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Exceptional Value	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes

Documentation****

- Wetland Identification and Delineation Report
- Conceptual Mitigation Plan
- 404 (b)(1) Alternative Analysis (ATTACH TO THE CEE.)
- Jurisdictional Determination (ATTACH JD LETTER TO THE CEE.)
- Functional Assessment Analysis

Methodology:

All practicable alternatives were evaluated to avoid direct and indirect wetland impacts:

Yes No

If no, provide reasons why:

All practicable measures to minimize harm to impacted wetlands have been incorporated into the project:

Yes No

If no, provide reasons why:

Executive Order 11990 Compliance (check box if applicable)

Based on information herewithin, it is determined that there is no practicable alternative to the proposed construction in wetlands and the proposed action includes all practicable measures to minimize harm to wetlands which may result from such construction.

Describe number of wetlands impacted and acreage impacted:

Remarks:

FHWA request & PETS 3887: Replaced these two questions with the following three questions, and removed all "if no, provide..." questions (and replaced with orange note):
 1) "Options/design modifications were investigated to avoid impacts to wetlands?" Yes, No, and N/A radios.
 2) "There are no practicable alternatives to construction within the wetlands." Yes, No, and N/A radios.
 3) "The alternative chosen (proposed project) includes all practicable measures to minimize harm." Yes, No, and N/A radios.

The EO box can be seen/edited regardless of answer to wetland presence, but N/A cannot be chosen (during verify) if impacts to wetlands is "yes".

No PETS, reporting assistance: This question was split into two separate questions:
 1) "Number of wetlands impacted:"
 2) "Acreage of wetlands impacted:"

These are only seen in edit mode when "impacts" is "yes".

**** Unless otherwise noted, documentation for subject areas should be maintained in the project's Technical Support Data and does not need to be submitted with the CEE.

Additional Information

Remarks, Footnotes, Supplemental Data

Attachments

Remarks

	PRESENCE	IMPACTS
UNIQUE GEOLOGIC RESOURCES*	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes

Remarks

	PRESENCE	IMPACTS
PARKS & RECREATION FACILITIES*	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	
National	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
State	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Local	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Other (describe in remarks)	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes

If any Impacts are "Yes", a Section 4(f) Evaluation may be needed.

Were any of the impacted properties acquired through the use of Land and Water Conservation or Project 70 funds?

Yes No

If Yes, provide documentation of proper coordination with the National Park Service for LAWCON funded areas or the Pennsylvania General Assembly/DCNR for Project 70 funded areas.

Remarks

	PRESENCE	IMPACTS
FOREST & GAMELANDS*	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	
National Forests	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
State Forests	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
State Gamelands	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes

If any Impacts are "Yes", a Section 4(f) Evaluation may be needed.

Remarks

WILDERNESS, NATURAL & WILD AREAS*

PRESENCE

Not Present Present

Federal Wilderness Areas

Not Present Present

Federal Natural or Wild Areas

Not Present Present

State Natural or Wild Areas

Not Present Present

Private Natural Areas

Not Present Present

IMPACTS

No Yes

No Yes

No Yes

No Yes

If any Impacts are "Yes", a Section 4(f) Evaluation may be needed.

Remarks

NATIONAL NATURAL LANDMARKS*

PRESENCE

Not Present Present

IMPACTS

No Yes

Documentation

National Park Service Coordination Letter

Remarks

HAZARDOUS OR RESIDUAL WASTE SITES*

PRESENCE

Not Present Present

IMPACTS

No Yes

Documentation

Phase I

Phase II

Phase III

Other

No Documentation Required

Is remediation required? Yes No Unknown at this time

If "Yes" or "Unknown at this time", describe:

Remarks

* If the resource is not present, do not complete the remainder of this subject area.

** If the resource is present but no impacts are anticipated, describe in the Remarks or on attached sheet(s) why there will be no impact.

*** Describe the impact in Remarks or attached sheet(s).

Additional Information

Remarks, Footnotes, Supplemental Data

Attachments

CE Evaluation Part B, Section A-3
Environmental Evaluation Subject Areas (Wildlife)

3. WILDLIFE

WILDLIFE & HABITAT	PRESENCE	IMPACTS
Sanctuaries/Refuges	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes
Resources Meriting Compensation	<input type="radio"/> Not Present <input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Yes

If any Impacts are "Yes", a Section 4(f) Evaluation may be needed.

Documentation

PAMHEP or Other Accepted Methodology

Remarks

THREATENED & ENDANGERED PLANTS & ANIMALS	PRESENCE	IMPACTS
	<input type="radio"/> Not Present	<input type="checkbox"/> No Potential Impacts
	<input type="radio"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Potential Impacts with Avoidance Measures
	<input type="radio"/> No Coordination Needed	<input type="checkbox"/> Potential Impacts with Conservation Measures
		<input type="checkbox"/> Potential Impacts

Reviews, concurrences and approvals for Threatened and Endangered Species searches/coordination are time sensitive.

If the coordination is greater than one-year old, a new coordination effort will be required with the commenting/review agency(s).

Describe avoidance measures:

Will the suggested conservation measures be implemented?

Yes No

Documentation

PNDI ER Receipt (ATTACH TO THE CEE.)

Agency Documentation

PFBC Correspondence (ATTACH TO THE CEE.)

PGC Correspondence (ATTACH TO THE CEE.)

DCNR Correspondence (ATTACH TO THE CEE.)

USFWS Correspondence (ATTACH TO THE CEE.)

Remarks

* If the resource is not present, do not complete the remainder of this subject area.

** If the resource is present but no impacts are anticipated, describe in the Remarks or on attached sheet(s) why there will be no impact.

*** Describe the impact in Remarks or attached sheet(s).

Additional Information

Remarks, Footnotes, Supplemental Data

Attachments

CE Evaluation Part B, Section A-4
Environmental Evaluation Subject Areas (Cultural Resources)

4. CULTURAL RESOURCES

For projects exempted from further Section 106 review under Stipulation C or eligible for delegated review under Stipulation D, determine whether eligible resources are present for

PETS 3918: Changed the orange text to read "If activity is exempted.... list the appropriate activity (e.g. C.1.a, C.2.d), the name of the individual making the exemption, and the date it was made in the spaces below."

Is the project exempted from further review by application of Stipulation C of the "Programmatic Agreement" between the U.S. Department of Transportation, the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation (PENNDOT), the PA SHPO and the ACHP Regarding Implementation of Minor Transportation

If activity is exempted from review by application of Stipulation C, list the applicable Stipulation C subsection with the appropriate activity e.g. (C.1.a, C.2.d)

Stipulation C:

PETS 3918: Changed the "Stipulation C" title to read "Stipulation C Activity:", and added two new titles under it that read "Individual Making Exemption:" and "Date of Exemption:"

Is the project eligible for delegated review under Stipulation D of the "Programmatic Agreement" between the U.S. Department of Transportation, the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation (PENNDOT), the PA SHPO and the ACHP Regarding Implementation of Minor Transportation? Yes No

If the project is delegated for expedited review under Stipulation D attach the "Qualified Professionals Finding under Stipulation D".

	<u>PRESENCE</u>				<u>LEVEL OF EFFECTS</u>		
	Not Present	Potentially Eligible Resource Present	Eligible Resource Present	Listed Resource Present	No Historic Properties Affected	No Adverse Effect	Adverse Effect
CULTURAL RESOURCES	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Prehistoric archaeology	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Historic archaeology	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Historic structure	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Historic district	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Historic Transportation Corridor	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Documentation

One of the first four listed types of documentation **MUST** be checked and attached to show that Section 106 coordination has been completed. Other types of documentation should be checked and attached when appropriate.

- Executed MOA / Programmatic Agreement (Project Specific)
- Stipulation D.2 or D.3 Submittal Form
- Section 106 Concurrence Letter
- PCRRF
- Historic Structures Survey/Determination of Eligibility Report
- Phase I A Archaeological Background Research Report
- Geomorphological Survey Report
- Phase I Archaeology Survey
- Phase II Archaeology Survey
- Phase III Archaeology Work Plan
- Abbreviated Determination of Effect Report
- Determination of Effect Documentation (No Historic Properties Affected)
- Determination of Effect Report (No Adverse Effect)
- Determination of Effect Report (Adverse Effect)

Include Section 106 Public Involvement in Part B, Section C, Public Involvement.

Remarks

Additional Information

Remarks, Footnotes, Supplemental Data

Attachments

CE Evaluation Part B, Section A-5
Environmental Evaluation Subject Areas (Section 4(f) Resources)

5. SECTION 4(f) RESOURCES

PRESENCE

USE

*** **

SECTION 4(f) RESOURCES

Not Present Present

No Yes

DOCUMENTATION

- Individual Section 4(f) Eval. (ATTACH APPROVED DOCUMENT)
- Programmatic Section 4(f) Eval. (ATTACH DOCUMENT)
- Section 2002 Evaluation (ATTACH APPROVED DOCUMENT)
- FHWA Coordination Documents (ATTACH DOCUMENT)

Remarks

No PETS: Added check boxes before the FHWA Coordination box for the following items:
1) De Minimis Use/No Adverse Use Checklist (ATTACH DOCUMENT)
2) Non-Applicability/No Use Checklist
3) Temporary Use Checklist

PETS 3672: Removed the option of "unknown" for Evals and Re-evals, left for scopings.

Will temporary easements during construction be necessary for potential Section 4(f) resources?

Yes No Unknown

If "Yes" or ~~unknown at this time~~, provide description.

Additional Information

Remarks, Footnotes, Supplemental Data

Attachments

CE Evaluation Part B, Section A-6
Environmental Evaluation Subject Areas (Air Quality and Noise)

6. AIR QUALITY AND NOISE

AIR QUALITY

Is the project exempt from a CO & PM10 Hot Spot analysis? Yes No

The exempt project list is on Page 3-4 and 3-5 of the Air Quality Handbook.
If Yes, skip the remainder of this section.

Is the project in an air quality nonattainment area? Yes No

If No, skip Conformity section and go to Project Level Impacts for Carbon Monoxide and PM10 section.

If Yes, for what pollutant?

Ozone CO PM10

Conformity

Is the project exempt from a regional conformity air quality analysis? Yes No

The exempt project list is on Page 3-4 and 3-5 of the Air Quality Handbook.
If Yes, go to Project Level Impacts for Carbon Monoxide and PM10 section.

If No, was it included in the most recent regional conformity air quality analysis? Yes No

If Yes, go to Project Level Impacts for Carbon Monoxide and PM10 section.
If No, consult with District Air Quality Coordinator.

Project Level Impacts for Carbon Monoxide and PM10

1. Are there any sensitive receptors located within the project area? Yes No

Sensitive Receptors = Schools, Churches, Residences, Apartments, Hospitals, etc.
If No, skip the remainder of this section.

2. Based on similar projects in similar settings, will there be any negative air quality impacts? Yes No

If Yes, complete a Quantitative Analysis of air quality impacts. Quantitative Analysis
Use currently approved Air Quality model.

Remarks

NOISE

1. Is the project a:

Reference [PENNDOT Publication #24](#) for additional information on Type I and Type II projects.

A. Type I Project?

Indicate the applicable construction type:

- Highway on new alignment
- Through lanes that increase capacity
- Significant change in the horizontal or vertical alignment
- Other

Other description:

PETS 3964: Removed the link to the Noise Handbook (Pub #24). The Noise Handbook can be accessed through the publications link in the links section of the navigation pane.

Yes No

No PETS: Changed to read "on Type I, Type II, and "Other" projects." Also, fixed to only allow the selection of one of these, they are exclusive (can't be more than one or will receive an error)

B. Type II Project?

C. Other?

Other Description:

NO PETS: Added an orange note that is shown in edit mode under the "C. Other?" that reads "Examples of "Others" include, but are not limited to:
1) Rehabilitation of an existing highway
2) Online bridge replacements/rehabilitations
3) Non-through-lane intersection improvements"

If 1C is Yes, enter the type of project in the Remarks section. If additional comments in the Remarks section. The Remarks section should discuss the scope of work and how it relates to the existing and future noise environment, as well as the potential noise impacts. Potential types of projects that may be listed as "other" include but are not limited to rehabilitation of an existing highway, in place bridge replacement/rehabilitation, etc.)

2. A. Are sensitive receptors present?

Yes No

If No, skip questions 2B and 3, and provide any additional comments in the Remarks section.

If Yes, how many noise sensitive receptors are within the project area?

If Yes, what type(s) of sensitive receptors are present?

B. What Land Use Activity Category is present in the project area as defined by PENNDOT

Publication #24? (Due to potential mixed land uses, there could be several categories.)

- A
- B
- C
- D
- E

3. A. Do the predicted noise levels approach or exceed FHWA/PENNDOT Noise Abatement Criteria for Yes No the Land Use Activity Category(s) identified in 2B?

B. Will there be a substantial increase of 10 dB(A) over existing level? Yes No

If both 3A and 3B are No, provide a qualitative (narrative) analysis in the Remarks section.

Qualitative Analysis

If 3A or 3B is Yes, attach the appropriate quantitative (screening or detailed) analysis as discussed in PENNDOT Publication #24.

Quantitative Analysis

Remarks

Additional Information

Remarks, Footnotes, Supplemental Data

Attachments

CE Evaluation Part B, Section A-7
Environmental Evaluation Subject Areas (Socioeconomic Areas)

REGIONAL & COMMUNITY GROWTH

Will the project induce impacts (positive and negative) on planned growth, land use, or development patterns for the area?

Yes No

If Yes, explain.

Is the project consistent with planned growth?

Yes No

Basis of this determination:

Will the project induce secondary growth?

Yes No

If Yes, explain.

PETS 3820: Added the phrase "civil defense;" between "emergency services" and "religious institutions".

PUBLIC FACILITIES & SERVICES

Will the project induce negative impacts on health and educational facilities; public utilities; fire, police and emergency services; religious institutions; or public transportation?

Yes No

If Yes, explain.

Does the project incorporate bicycle or pedestrian facilities into the overall design or operations?

Yes No

If Yes, explain.

Will the project have a positive impact to the public facilities and services listed above?

Yes No

If Yes, explain.

COMMUNITY COHESION

Will the project induce impacts to community cohesion?

Yes No

If Yes, explain.

Will the project induce impacts to the local tax base or property values?

Yes No

If Yes, explain.

ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE

Will the project induce disproportionately high and adverse impacts to minority, low income, or special groups?

Yes No

If Yes, explain.

DISPLACEMENT OF PEOPLE, BUSINESSES or FARMS

Will the project require the relocation of people, businesses or farms?

Yes No

If Yes, indicate number: ____ Residential ____ Commercial ____ Farms

If there are residential displacements, attach a brief discussion of replacement housing availability.

Conceptual Stage Survey Report (ATTACH TO THE CEE.)

Will the project induce impacts to economic activity, including employment gains and losses?

Yes No

If Yes, explain.

MAINTENANCE AND OPERATING COSTS OF THE PROJECT AND RELATED FACILITIES

Will the project induce increases of operating or maintenance costs?

Yes No

If Yes, is the cost justified? Please explain:

PUBLIC CONTROVERSY ON ENVIRONMENTAL GROUNDS

Will the project involve substantial controversy concerning social, cultural, or natural resource impacts?

Yes No

If Yes, explain.

AESTHETIC AND OTHER VALUES

Will the project be visually intrusive to the surrounding environment?

Yes No

If Yes, explain.

Will the project include "multiple use" opportunities? *

Yes No

If Yes, explain.

Will the project involve "joint development" activities? **

Yes No

If Yes, explain.

- * Examples of "multiple use" may include historical monuments, parking areas, bikeways, pedestrian paths, and other shared-use facilities on highway right-of-way.
 - ** "Joint development" involves compatible development in conjunction with the highway. Examples could include construction of highway facilities such as highways, turning lanes, interchanges, or lane widening in conjunction with planned residential, shopping, commercial, or industrial facilities.
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Additional Information

Remarks, Footnotes, Supplemental Data

Attachments

CE Evaluation Part B, Section A-8
Environmental Evaluation Subject Areas (Temporary Impacts)

8. TEMPORARY IMPACTS

TEMPORARY IMPACTS TO RESOURCES

Air Quality

No Yes

Noise levels

No Yes

Water Quality

No Yes

Soil Erosion & Sedimentation

No Yes

IMPACTS

IMPACTS

Wetlands

No Yes

Agricultural Resources

No Yes

Other

No Yes

Remarks:

Additional Information

Remarks, Footnotes, Supplemental Data

Attachments

CE Evaluation Part B, Section B

Consistency Determinations

If the project is not consistent with established guidelines, describe the mitigation measures.

DEP Coastal Zone Management Plan:

Not Applicable Consistent Not Consistent

DCNR/NPS Wild and Scenic River Management Plan:

Not Applicable Consistent Not Consistent

FEMA Flood Map Modification:

Not Applicable Consistent Not Consistent

Other (describe in remarks):

Not Applicable Consistent Not Consistent

Remarks

Mitigation Measures

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CE Evaluation Part B, Section C Public Involvement

Document all public involvement efforts, including but not limited to, meetings, intent to enter letters, and displays. Indicate number of events when applicable.

	#	Comments
<input type="checkbox"/> Plans Display		
<input type="checkbox"/> Public Officials Meetings		
<input type="checkbox"/> Public Meetings		
<input type="checkbox"/> Public Hearing		
<input type="checkbox"/> Special Purpose Meetings (specify)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Section 106 Public Involvement / Consulting Parties (specify)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Section 106 Tribal Consultation (specify Tribe(s) contacted and Tribal response)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Justice Community Involvement (if applicable)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Other information dissemination activities (specify)		

Remarks

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CE Evaluation Part B, Section D
Permits Checklist

Check all permits required for permanent a

PETS 3827: Changed title to read "Army Corps of Engineers Section 404 and/or Section 10 Permit"

No Permits Required

Army Corps of Engineers (404) Permit

Individual Nationwide Section 10 PASPGP

PETS 3827: Removed this box from the list

DEP Waterway Encroachment (105) Permit

Individual Small Project General Other

PETS 3827: Replaced the term "Individual" with "Standard", as per the proper DEP terms for Chapter 105 permits.

DEP 401 Water Quality Certification

Coast Guard Permit

NPDES Permit

General Individual Exempt

Other Permits

Other Permits Information

Note: All Section 106 clearance letters must be attached.

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CE Evaluation Part B, Section E

Resources To Be Avoided and Mitigation Measures

Specify and define mitigation measures that will become a part of the proposed project. The mitigation measures stated in this section should be incorporated into the project's design documents. Provide a general description of resources which exist within the limits of work or are adjacent to the project that are to be avoided during construction. Note the approximate location of these resources. Attach additional sheets if necessary.

Mitigation measures are COMMITMENTS of both the Department and FHWA and are agreed to and approved by the District Executive for Level 1 CEEs and by the Division Administrator of FHWA for Level 2 CEEs.

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CE Evaluation Part B, Section F

Scoping Field View

Date of Scoping Field View:

Attendee List (Name, Organization)

Anticipated NEPA Documentation

As supported by the information available at the time of scoping, this project appears to qualify for a Level 2 Categorical Exclusion in accordance with 23 CFR Part 771.117(d), Item No. 03 as published in the August 28, 1987 Federal Register.

Remarks

Provide a brief description of NEPA documentation requirements agreed to at the field view.

Scoping Field View Documentation Concurrences

Print this page, gather signatures, scan and attach to this document.

County: Central Office **SR/Sec:** TBD/TBD **MPMS:** 21228 **Project:** TREE REMOVAL PROJECT

District Environmental Manager

Date

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Asst. District Executive - Design

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BOD Project Dev. Engineer

Date

Authorized FHWA Representative

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