



MONO COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

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Date: February 2, 2021

To: Honorable Chair and Members of the Board of Supervisors

From: Kevin Julian, Road Operations Superintendent

Re: Emergency Guardrail Replacement – Justification for Continued Emergency

Recommended Action:

1. Receive update on Eastside Lane and North River Lane emergency guardrail repair/replacement project.
2. As established by Public Contract Code Chapter 2.5, "Emergency Contracting Procedures," review the emergency action taken on Jan 5, 2021 and make a finding, based on substantial evidence set forth in this staff report and at the meeting, that the emergency continues to exist as to Eastside Lane and North River Lane, and that continuation of action to replace the damaged guardrail on both roads is necessary to respond to the emergency. [4/5th Vote Required.]
3. Delegate to the Mono County Road Operations Superintendent the authority to continue to procure the necessary equipment, services, and supplies for the emergency guardrail replacement on Eastside Lane and North River Lane, without giving notice for bids to let contracts, including executing any agreements or contracts for the construction or repair of the damaged/destroyed guardrails. [4/5th Vote Required.]

Fiscal Impact:

Based on the initial estimates obtained by the Public Works Department – Roads Division, the total cost of the emergency repair/replacement of the Eastside Lane and North River Lane guardrails is approximately \$160,000.00. The emergency projects are eligible for 75% funding via the California Disaster Assistance Act (CDAA) Program administered by the Governor's Office of Emergency Services (CalOES). Staff proposes that the 25% County match for the emergency guardrail repairs/replacements be paid with available transportation funding.

Strategic Plan Alignment: *Infrastructure, Public Safety*

Current project status:

- The contract with Coral construction has been fully executed and they were scheduled to mobilize to the site on 2/1/21.
- The construction schedule had work beginning on 2/3/21 and completing on 2/12/21. The recent snow storms have impacted the construction timeline. The

Walker Road District is working to remove snow from along the guard rail area to allow for a construction start date the week of 2/8/21.

Justification for Continued Emergency – Eastside Lane and North River Lane:

The emergency continues to exist as the damaged guardrail and temporary protective measures are still in place. Full replacement of the guardrail is required to ensure traffic safety along Eastside Lane and North River Lane.

If you have any questions regarding this item, please contact me at 760.932.5449. I may also be contacted by email at kjulian@mono.ca.gov.

Respectfully submitted,



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