

10 EIR/EIS DISTRIBUTION

The distribution of the Bakersfield to Palmdale Project Section Draft Environmental Impact Report/Environmental Impact Statement (EIR/EIS) emphasizes the use of electronic media to ensure cost-effective, broad availability to the public and interested parties. The entire EIR/EIS, appendices, and supporting reports are available on the California High-Speed Rail Authority's website (www.hsr.ca.gov/). These documents are also available at the repositories listed below in Section 10.1. Electronic copies of these documents are available on compact disc upon request at no cost at the office of the California High-Speed Rail Authority (770 L Street, Suite 620, Sacramento, CA 95814) and its Southern California regional office (355 S Grand Avenue, Suite 2050, Los Angeles, CA 90071) or by mail. Paper copies of the EIR/EIS and supporting appendices will be available at the California High-Speed Rail Authority offices, while paper copies of the EIR/EIS and accompanying map books may be reviewed at select public libraries in the project vicinity. Copies of the full document and supporting appendices also may be accessed through the library computers.

All persons, agencies, and organizations listed in Sections 10.2 through 10.8 of this chapter have been informed of the availability of the EIR/EIS as well as the timing of the 45-day formal comment period. Notice of availability of the EIR/EIS has been included in the *Federal Register* in compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act. Repositories and cooperating federal agencies were sent both paper and electronic copies of the EIR/EIS in compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act and the National Environmental Policy Act. Electronic copies were filed with the California State Clearinghouse in compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act and California High-Speed Rail Authority policy and through the e-NEPA electronic filing system in compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act. Both Kern County and Los Angeles County governments received a complete electronic copy of the EIR/EIS. All government agencies, businesses, and organizations listed in Sections 10.2 through 10.8 have received the Executive Summary and electronic copies of the EIR/EIS in compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act and the National Environmental Policy Act. The Executive Summary has been published in English and Spanish, the primary languages spoken by residents of the Bakersfield to Palmdale area. Federal, state, and county elected officials; mayors of cities with proposed stations; and the local agencies listed in Section 10.5 were mailed an informational brochure and supplied with an electronic copy of the EIR/EIS. Additional local elected officials, agency representatives, and all others on the project mailing list not listed in this chapter have been mailed a notification that includes information on how to access the EIR/EIS; the timing of the formal comment period; and public hearing dates, times, and locations.

10.1 Repository Locations

10.1.1 Bakersfield

Bakersfield College—Grace Van Dyke Bird Library
1801 Panorama Drive, Room L 204, Bakersfield, CA
Phone: (661) 395-4463

California State University, Bakersfield—Walter W. Stiern Library
9001 Stockdale Highway, Bakersfield, CA
Phone: (661) 654-3042

Kern County Library—Baker Branch Library
1400 Baker Street, Bakersfield, CA
Phone: (661) 861-2390

Kern County Library—Beale Memorial Library
701 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, CA
Phone: (661) 868-0701

Kern County Library—Bryce C. Rathbun Branch Library
200 W China Grade Loop, Bakersfield, CA
Phone: (661) 393-6431

Kern County Library—Eleanor Wilson Branch Library
1901 Wilson Road, Bakersfield, CA
Phone: (661) 834-4044

Kern County Library—Holloway-Gonzales Branch Library
506 E Brundage Lane, Bakersfield, CA
Phone: (661) 861-2083

Kern County Library—Northeast Branch Library
3725 Columbus Street, Bakersfield, CA
Phone: (661) 871-9017

Kern County Library—Southwest Branch Library
8301 Ming Avenue, Bakersfield, CA
Phone: (661) 664-7716

10.1.2 Lancaster

Antelope Valley College Library
3041 W Avenue K, Lancaster, CA
Phone: (661) 772-6300

County of Los Angeles Public Library—Lancaster Branch Library
601 W Lancaster Boulevard, Lancaster, CA
Phone: (661) 948-5029

10.1.3 Mojave

Kern County Library—Mojave Branch Library
15555 O Street, Mojave, CA
Phone: (661) 824-2243

10.1.4 Palmdale

County of Los Angeles Public Library—Lake Los Angeles Branch Library
16921 E Avenue O, #A, Palmdale, CA
Phone: (661) 264-0593

Palmdale City Library
700 E Palmdale Boulevard, Palmdale, CA
Phone: (661) 267-5600

10.1.5 Quartz Hill

County of Los Angeles Public Library—Quartz Hill Branch Library
5040 W Avenue, M-2, Quartz Hill, CA
Phone: (661) 943-2454

10.1.6 Rosamond

Kern County Library—Wanda Kirk (Rosamond) Branch Library
3611 Rosamond Boulevard, Rosamond, CA
Phone: (661) 256-3236

10.1.7 Tehachapi

Kern County Library—Tehachapi Branch Library
212 S Green Street, Tehachapi, CA
Phone: (661) 822-4938

10.1.8 Los Angeles

California High-Speed Rail Authority, Southern California Region
355 S Grand Avenue, Suite 2050, Los Angeles, CA
Phone: (213) 457-8420

10.1.9 Sacramento

California High-Speed Rail Authority
770 L Street, Suite 620, Sacramento, CA
Phone: (916) 324-1541

10.2 Federal Agencies¹

Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, Executive Director, Washington, D.C.

Bureau of Indian Affairs, Pacific Regional Office, Regional Director, Sacramento, CA

Bureau of Land Management, State Director, Sacramento, CA*

Bureau of Land Management, Field Manager, Ridgecrest, CA*

Bureau of Land Management, Field Manager, Bakersfield, CA*

Bureau of Reclamation Mid-Pacific Region, Area Manager, Folsom, CA

Department of Housing and Urban Development, Secretary, Washington, D.C.

Edwards Air Force Base, Commander, Edwards Air Force Base, CA

Federal Aviation Administration, Planning and Programming Branch, Division Manager, El Segundo, CA

Federal Emergency Management Agency, Region 9, Director of External Affairs, Oakland, CA

Federal Highway Administration, California Division, Division Administrator, Sacramento, CA

Federal Railroad Administration, Office of Policy and Plans, Washington, D.C.

Federal Transit Administration, Office of Planning and Program Development, Associate Administrator, Washington, D.C.

Federal Transit Administration, Office of Planning and Program Development, Regional Administrator, San Francisco, CA

National Marine Fisheries Service, Regional Administrator, Sacramento, CA

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, California Central Valley Office, Assistant Regional Administrator, Sacramento, CA

National Park Service, Pacific Great Basin System Support Office, Regional Director Pacific West Region and Environmental Coordinator, Oakland, CA

Natural Resources Conservation Service, Area III, Bakersfield, CA

Surface Transportation Board, Office of Environmental Analysis, Washington, D.C.*

U.S. Coast Guard, District 11, Commander, Alameda, CA

U.S. Department of the Army, Corps of Engineers, Los Angeles District, Deputy District Engineer, Los Angeles, CA*

U.S. Department of the Army, Corps of Engineers, Sacramento District, Deputy District Engineer, Sacramento, CA*

¹ Cooperating agencies are denoted with an asterisk (*).

U.S. Department of the Army, Corps of Engineers, Area Engineer, Southern California Area Office, Palmdale, CA*

U.S. Department of Agriculture, Farm Service Agency, California State Executive Director, Davis, CA

U.S. Department of Agriculture, National Resource Conservation Service, State Conservationist, Davis, CA

U.S. Department of Agriculture, Office of the Secretary, Washington, D.C.

U.S. Department of Agriculture, Forest Service, Chief, Washington, D.C.

U.S. Department of Agriculture, National Resource Conservation Service, State Soil Scientist, Davis, CA

U.S. Department of Defense, U.S. Air Force, Plant 42, Palmdale, CA

U.S. Department of Energy, Secretary, Washington, D.C.

U.S. Department of the Interior, Environmental Protection Agency, Administrator, Washington, D.C.

U.S. Department of the Interior, Office of Environmental Policy and Compliance, Director, Washington, D.C.

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9, Pacific Southwest Region, Regional Administrator, Washington, D.C.

U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Region 8, Field Supervisor, Sacramento, CA

U.S. Forest Service, Region 5—Pacific Southwest Region, Pacific Crest Trail Administrator, Vallejo, CA

10.3 State Agencies²

California Air Resources Board, Chairman, Sacramento, CA

California Coastal Commission, Director, San Francisco, CA

California Conservation Corps, Director, Sacramento, CA

California Department of Boating and Waterways, Director, Sacramento, CA

California Department of Conservation, Director, Sacramento, CA

California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, Environmental Planning Section, Chief, Sacramento, CA

California Department of Education, School Facilities and Transportation Services Division, Director, Sacramento, CA

California Department of Fish and Wildlife, Environmental Review and Permitting, Program Coordinator, Sacramento, CA*

California Department of Fish and Wildlife, Central Region, Regional Manager, Fresno, CA*

California Department of Fish and Wildlife, South Coast Region, Regional Manager, San Diego, CA*

California Department of Health and Human Services, Secretary, Sacramento, CA

California Department of Housing and Community Development, Director, Sacramento, CA

California Department of Parks and Recreation, Angeles District Superintendent, Calabasas, CA

² Responsible agencies are denoted with an asterisk (*).

California Department of Parks and Recreation, Central Valley District Superintendent, Columbia, CA

California Department of Parks and Recreation, Office of Natural Resources, Chief, Sacramento, CA

California Department of Parks and Recreation, Office of Historic Preservation, State Historic Preservation Officer, Sacramento, CA

California Department of Parks and Recreation, Tehachapi District Superintendent, Lancaster, CA

California Department of Pesticide Regulation, Director, Sacramento, CA

California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery, Executive Director, Sacramento, CA

California Department of Toxic Substances Control, Director, Sacramento, CA

California Department of Transportation, Aeronautics Division Chief, Sacramento, CA*

California Department of Transportation District 6, Director, Fresno, CA*

California Department of Transportation District 7, Director, Los Angeles, CA*

California Department of Transportation, Division of Environmental Analysis, National Environmental Policy Act Delegation Office, MS 27, Division Chief, Sacramento, CA*

California Department of Water Resources, Environmental Services Office, Chief, Sacramento, CA

California Governor's Office of Emergency Services, Director, Sacramento, CA

California Energy Commission, Executive Director, Sacramento, CA

California Environmental Protection Agency, Secretary for Environmental Protection, Los Angeles, CA

California Environmental Protection Agency, Secretary for Environmental Protection, Sacramento, CA

California Geological Survey, State Geologist, Sacramento, CA

California Highway Patrol, Commissioner, Sacramento, CA

California Public Utilities Commission, Rail Safety and Crossing Branch, Program Manager, Los Angeles, CA

California State Lands Commission, Executive Officer, Sacramento, CA

California State Resources Agency, Secretary, Sacramento, CA

California State Transportation Agency, Agency Secretary, Sacramento, CA

California Transportation Commission, Executive Director, Sacramento, CA

Central Valley Flood Protection Board, Executive Director, Sacramento, CA

Governor's Office of Planning and Research, State Clearinghouse, Director, Sacramento, CA

Kern County Clerk, County Clerk, Bakersfield, CA

Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder/Clerk, Business Filings and Registration, Norwalk, CA

Native American Heritage Commission, Environmental and Cultural Department, Director, Sacramento, CA

Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment, Director, Sacramento, CA

Office of Project Development and Management, Department of General Services, Branch Chief,
Sacramento, CA

Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development, Director, Sacramento, CA

State Historic Preservation Officer, State Historian, Sacramento CA

State Water Resources Control Board, Chair, Sacramento, CA*

10.4 Elected Officials

10.4.1 Federal Elected Officials

10.4.1.1 U.S. Senators

The Honorable Dianne Feinstein, U.S. Senate, California

The Honorable Kamala Harris, U.S. Senate, California

10.4.1.2 U.S. House of Representatives

The Honorable Nancy Pelosi, Speaker of the House

The Honorable Kevin McCarthy, 23rd Congressional District

The Honorable T.J. Cox, 21st Congressional District

Vacant, 25th Congressional District

10.4.2 State Elected Officials

10.4.2.1 Governor

The Honorable Gavin Newsom, Governor of California

10.4.2.2 State Senate

The Honorable Toni G. Atkins, President Pro Tem

The Honorable Shannon Grove, 16th Senate District

The Honorable Melissa Hurtado, 14th Senate District

The Honorable Scott Wilk, 21st Senate District

10.4.2.3 State Assembly

The Honorable Anthony Rendon, 63rd Assembly District, California Assembly Speaker

The Honorable Vince Fong, 34th Assembly District

The Honorable Tom Lackey, 36th Assembly District

The Honorable Rudy Salas, 32nd Assembly District

10.4.3 Regional County Board of Supervisors

10.4.3.1 Kern County

The Honorable Zack Scrivner, Chair/Supervisor

The Honorable David Couch, Supervisor

The Honorable Mick Gleason, Supervisor

The Honorable Mike Maggard, Supervisor

The Honorable Leticia Perez, Supervisor

10.4.3.2 Los Angeles County

The Honorable Janice Hahn, Chair/Supervisor

The Honorable Kathryn Barger, Supervisor

The Honorable Sheila Kuehl, Supervisor

The Honorable Mark Ridley-Thomas, Supervisor

The Honorable Hilda L. Solis, Supervisor

10.4.4 Mayors

The Honorable Mayor Karen Goh, Bakersfield

The Honorable Mayor R. Rex Parris, Lancaster

The Honorable Mayor Steven Hofbauer, Palmdale

The Honorable Mayor Pro Tem Susan Wiggins, Tehachapi

10.4.5 City Council Members

10.4.5.1 City of Bakersfield

The Honorable Karen Goh, Mayor

The Honorable Chris Parlier, Vice Mayor

The Honorable Bruce Freeman

The Honorable Andrae Gonzales

The Honorable Willie Rivera

The Honorable Bob Smith

The Honorable Jacquie Sullivan

The Honorable Ken Weir

10.4.5.2 City of Tehachapi

The Honorable Susan Wiggins, Mayor

The Honorable Phil Smith, Mayor Pro Tem

The Honorable Michael Davies

The Honorable Kenneth R. Hetge

The Honorable Joan Pogon-Cord

The Honorable Dennis Wahlstrom

10.4.5.3 City of Lancaster

The Honorable R. Rex Parris, Mayor

The Honorable Marvin Crist, Vice Mayor

The Honorable Darrell Dorris

The Honorable Raj Malhi

The Honorable Ken Mann

10.4.5.4 City of Palmdale

The Honorable Steven Hofbauer, Mayor

The Honorable Austin Bishop, Mayor Pro Tem

The Honorable Laura Bettencourt

The Honorable Juan Carrillo

The Honorable Richard J. Loa

10.4.6 Agricultural Commissions

Mr. Glenn Fankhauser, Kern County Agricultural Commissioner

Mr. Richard Iizuka, Los Angeles County Agricultural Commissioner

10.5 Regional/Local Agencies

City of Bakersfield, City Manager, Bakersfield, CA

City of Bakersfield, Community Development Director, Bakersfield, CA

City of Lancaster, City Manager, Lancaster, CA

City of Lancaster, Director of Planning, Lancaster, CA

City of Palmdale, City Manager, Palmdale, CA

City of Palmdale, Director of Economic Development, Palmdale, CA

City of Tehachapi, City Manager, Tehachapi, CA

City of Tehachapi, Development Services Director, Tehachapi, CA

County of Kern, Planning and Community Development Division Chief, Kern County, CA

Los Angeles County Department of Regional Planning, Director, Lancaster, CA

Los Angeles County Office of Education, Superintendent of Schools, Palmdale, CA

Los Angeles County Sanitation Districts, General Manager, Los Angeles, CA

Los Angeles Department of Water and Power, Chief Real Estate Officer, Los Angeles, CA

Palmdale Water District, General Manager, Palmdale, CA

Rosamond Community Services Department, General Manager, Rosamond, CA

10.6 Organizations and Businesses

Amtrak, Board of Directors, Chairman of the Board, Washington, D.C.

Amtrak, Washington, President and CEO, Washington, D.C.

Building Industry Association of Southern California—Los Angeles/Ventura Chapter, CEO, Los Angeles, CA

BNSF Railway, California Division, Regional Vice President, Sacramento, CA

BNSF Railway, State Government Affairs, Director, Sacramento, CA

California Native Plant Society, Executive Director, Sacramento, CA

Californians for High-Speed Rail, President, Bakersfield, CA

CalPortland: Building Materials, Mojave, CA

Exotic Feline Breeding Compound—Feline Conservation Center, President, Rosamond, CA

GE Wind Energy, LLC, Mojave, CA

Greater Bakersfield Chamber of Commerce, President and CEO, Bakersfield, CA
Greater Tehachapi Chamber of Commerce, President, Tehachapi, CA
Grimmway Farms, Public Affairs and Corporate Affairs, Bakersfield, CA
Kern County Farm Bureau, Executive Director, Bakersfield, CA
Lancaster Chamber of Commerce, CEO, Lancaster, CA
Loop Ranch Company, Tehachapi, CA
National Chavez Center, President, Keene, CA
Natural Resources Defense Council, Interim President, New York, NY
Northrop Grumman Corporation, Site Manager, Palmdale, CA
Pacific Crest Trail Association, Chair, Sacramento, CA
Palmdale Chamber of Commerce, Board Chair, Palmdale, CA
Planning and Conservation League, Executive Director, Sacramento, CA
Rail Passenger Association of California, President, San Francisco, CA
Sempra Energy-SoCalGas, Public Affairs Manager, Bakersfield, CA
Sierra Club California, Director, Sacramento, CA
SC Wildlands, Director, Fair Oaks, CA
Southern California Edison, Regional Manager—Public Affairs, Lancaster, CA
Tejon Ranch Company, Executive Vice President, Tejon Ranch, CA
The Boeing Company, Site Manager, Edwards Air Force Base, CA
The Nature Conservancy, Interim CEO, Arlington, VA
Train Riders Association of California, President, Sacramento, CA
Union Pacific Railroad, President, Omaha, NE

10.7 Native American Contacts

Barbareño/Ventureño Band of Mission Indians, Mr. Pat Tumamait, Tribal Member
Fernandeño Tataviam Band of Mission Indians, Mr. Rudy Ortega, President
Fernandeño Tataviam Band of Mission Indians, Ms. Kimia Fatehi, Tribal Historic & Cultural Preservation
Kawaiisu Tribe of Tejon Reservation, Mr. David Laughing Horse Robinson, Tribal Council Chair
Kern Valley Indian Council, Mr. Robert Robinson, Co-Chairperson
Kern Valley Indian Council, Ms. Julie Turner, Secretary
Kitanemuk and Yowlumne Tejon Indians, Ms. Dee Dominguez, Chairperson
Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians, Ms. Jennifer Ruiz, Chairperson
San Fernando Band of Mission Indians, Mr. John Valenzuela, Chairperson
San Manuel Band of Mission Indians, Ms. Lynn Valbuena, Chairperson
San Manuel Band of Mission Indians, Mr. Daniel McCarthy, Cultural Resources Director
Santa Rosa Tachi Tribe, Mr. Ruben Barrios, Chairperson
Santa Rosa Tachi Tribe, Ms. Shana Brum, Cultural Specialist

Santa Rosa Tachi Tribe, Mr. Lalo Franco, Cultural Specialist

Santa Ynez Band of Chumash Indians, Mr. Vincent Armenta, Chairperson

Santa Ynez Band of Chumash Indians, Mr. Freddy Romero, Cultural Preservation Coordinator

Table Mountain Rancheria, Ms. Leanne Walker-Grant, Chairperson

Table Mountain Rancheria, Mr. Robert Pennell, Cultural Resources Director

Tejon Indian Tribe, Ms. Katherine Montes Morgan, Chairperson

Tejon Indian Tribe, Mr. Colin Rambo, Tribal Historic Preservation Technician

Tule River Tribe of California, Mr. Neil Peyron, Chairperson

Tule River Tribe of California, Mr. Joseph Garfield, Cultural Resources Monitor

Tule River Tribe of California, Ms. Kerri Vera, Environmental Director

10.8 Schools and Districts

Antelope Valley High School, Mr. Eric Stanford, Principal

Antelope Valley Seventh-Day Adventist School, Ms. Alina Mitchell, Principal

Antelope Valley Union High School District, Mr. David J. Vierra, Superintendent

Bakersfield City School District, Mr. Harry “Doc” Ervin, Superintendent

Bessie E. Owens Intermediate School, Mr. Brandon Johnson, Principal

Bessie E. Owens Primary, Ms. Sarita Arredondo, Principal

Bethel Apostolic Academy, Rev. Kevin Bradford, School Leader

Bethel Christian School, Mr. Matt Konnerth, Headmaster

Caliente Union School District, Ms. Kathleen Hansen, Superintendent

Desert Montessori Academy, Ms. Nancy Inganni, Head of School

Di Giorgio School District, Mr. Terry Hallum, Superintendent

Downtown Elementary School, Ms. Noreen Barthelmes, Principal

Eden Academy, Mrs. Dorothy Mensink, Principal

Edison School District, Ms. Erica Andrews, Superintendent

Edison Middle School, Ms. La’Steveia Dixon, Principal

Eternity Preparatory High School and Academy, Mr. Jeff Lindley, Principal

Fairfax Elementary School District, Mr. Michael Coleman, Superintendent

Foothill High School, Ms. Gail Bentley, Principal

Horace Mann Elementary School, Mr. Russell Gayer, Principal

Joshua Elementary School, Ms. Lorraine Zapata, Principal

Kelly F. Blanton Student Education Center, Mr. Ryan Murry, Principal

Kern County Superintendent of Schools, Ms. Mary C. Barlow, Superintendent

Kern Union High School District, Dr. Bryon Schaefer, Superintendent

Lamont Elementary School District, Dr. Miguel A. Guerrero, Superintendent

Lancaster Alternative and Virtual Academy, Ms. Jane D’Anna, Principal

Lancaster School District, Dr. Michele Bowers, Superintendent

Life Source International Charter School, Dr. Deberae Culpepper-Ofori, Founder
Mariposa Elementary School, Mr. Michael Choate, Principal
Mojave Unified School District, Dr. Aaron Haughton, Superintendent
Mt. Vernon Elementary School, Mrs. Xochiti Prieto, Principal
Our Lady of Guadalupe School, Sister Susana Del Toro-Vargas, Principal
Palmdale School District, Mr. Raul Maldonado, Superintendent
Phoenix High School, Ms. Laura Tweedy-Ferguson, Principal
Pioneer Drive Elementary School, Ms. Traci Hicks, Principal
Ramon Garza Elementary School, Ms. Julie Padilla, Principal
Rex Parris High School, Mr. Eric Stanford, Principal
Sacred Heart School, Mr. David T. Schatz, Principal
Sierra Middle School, Ms. Julie Short, Principal
Stella Hills Elementary School, Mr. Steve Robinson, Principal
Southern Kern Unified School District, Ms. Barbara Gaines, Interim Superintendent
Tehachapi Unified School District, Ms. Stacey Larson-Everson, Superintendent
University of Antelope Valley, Marco and Sandra Johnson, Founders
Virginia Avenue Elementary School, Ms. Moishe Garde, Principal
Westside Union School District, Ms. Regina Rossall, Superintendent
Williams Elementary School, Dr. Jazmine Frias, Principal

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