



California High-Speed Rail Project

San Jose to Merced Project Section

DRAFT

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT/ ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT

VOLUME 1: REPORT

Prepared under CEQA and NEPA by:

California High-Speed Rail Authority
770 L Street, Suite 620 MS-1
Sacramento, CA 95814
Contact: Mark A. McLoughlin
916-403-6934

NEPA Cooperating Agencies:

Zachary Fancher
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
Sacramento District
1325 J Street, Room 1350
Sacramento, CA 95814
916-557-6643

Allison Jacobson
U.S. Bureau of Reclamation
Mid-Pacific Region
2800 Cottage Way, MP-730
Sacramento, CA 95825
916-978-5075

Dave Navecky
Office of Environmental Analysis
Surface Transportation Board
395 E Street, SW
Washington, D.C. 20423
202-245-0294

April 2020

CEQA: This document has been prepared pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act. The California High-Speed Rail Authority is the state lead agency.

NEPA: The environmental review, consultation, and other actions required by applicable federal environmental laws for this project are being or have been carried out by the State of California pursuant to 23 U.S.C. 327 and a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) dated July 23, 2019, and executed by the Federal Railroad Administration and the State of California. Pursuant to the MOU, the California High-Speed Rail Authority is the federal lead agency. Prior to the July 23, 2019 MOU, the FRA was the federal lead agency.