

Summary Form for Electronic Document Submittal

Form F

Lead agencies may include 15 hardcopies of this document when submitting electronic copies of Environmental Impact Reports, Negative Declarations, Mitigated Negative Declarations, or Notices of Preparation to the State Clearinghouse (SCH). The SCH also accepts other summaries, such as EIR Executive Summaries prepared pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15123. Please include one copy of the Notice of Completion Form (NOC) with your submission and attach the summary to each electronic copy of the document.

SCH #: _____

Project Title: Hammond Road/70th Avenue Bike Lanes Project

Lead Agency: County of Riverside Transportation Department

Contact Name: Don Copeland

Email: dcopelan@RIVCO.ORG

Phone Number: 951-955-6759

Project Location: Near the Communities of Mecca and North Shore
City

Riverside
County

Project Description (Proposed actions, location, and/or consequences).

The County of Riverside Transportation Department is proposing to widen Hammond Road and 70th Avenue to accommodate buffered bike lanes between the unincorporated community of Mecca and North Shore in Riverside County, California. Each side of the road would be widened by 9 feet, providing new 5-foot-wide bike lanes with 4-foot-wide buffers in each direction between the intersections of Hammond Road and 2nd Street to the north and 70th Avenue and Sea View Way to the southeast. An existing bridge over the Wasteway No. 1 Coachella Valley Stormwater Channel, just east of Cleveland Street, would be widened. The purpose of the Project is to improve bicycle mobility and safety and vehicular safety and to improve connectivity between the unincorporated communities of Mecca and North Shore.

Identify the project's significant or potentially significant effects and briefly describe any proposed mitigation measures that would reduce or avoid that effect.

The project would have a less-than-significant effect with mitigation on Biological Resources. For impacts on Biological Resources, the project will implement mitigation measure MM BIO-8 (Aquatic Resource Impact Compensation) to address effects on jurisdictional aquatic resources.

If applicable, describe any of the project's areas of controversy known to the Lead Agency, including issues raised by agencies and the public.

N/A

Provide a list of the responsible or trustee agencies for the project.

CEQA Trustee Agency: California Department of Fish and Wildlife