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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

October 19, 2026

PROJECT TITLE: Geotechnical borings, utility potholing and percolation test for the Calle Contento Roundabout Project
Work Order#ZC90017C Task Code #Z1530

PROJECT SPONSOR: County of Riverside Transportation Department

PROJECT LOCATION: Community of Rancho California

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The County of Riverside Transportation Department will be conducting geotechnical borings, utility potholing and a percolation test for ground studies and information collection for the proposed Calle Contento Roundabout Project, which is located at the intersection of Rancho California Road and Calle Contento, in the Community of Rancho California.

The geotechnical borings will be performed to obtain information regarding the subsurface soil, rock, and groundwater conditions. The potholing will be performed to obtain information regarding the location of existing utilities. The percolation test will be performed to measure the water absorption rate and permeability of the soil. The geotechnical borings, potholing and percolation test will take place within the project footprint.

There are eighty geotechnical borings, six utility potholes and one percolation test located in predetermined locations. Boring, potholing and percolation test locations will be back filled upon completion and sites will be restored to pre-project conditions. No significant ground disturbing activities or construction will take place as part of these geotechnical boring, utility potholing and percolation test activities.

The proposed geotechnical borings and potholing will take place within the County right-of-way. The proposed percolation test will be conducted on private property for which a right-of-entry has been secured. The geotechnical boring, utility potholing and percolation test activities will not occur within jurisdictional areas.

ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS:

This project is subject to compliance with the Western Riverside County MSHCP. In accordance with Section 7 of the Western Riverside County MSHCP, necessary alterations of the land are considered a covered activity outside/inside of cell criteria area/conservation areas. This project is considered to be a temporary and necessary minor alteration; therefore, it is a covered activity under the Western Riverside County MSHCP.

The proposed project is within Burrowing Owl habitat. Therefore, within 30 days prior to the beginning of ground disturbance, a pre-construction presence/absence survey for the Burrowing Owl shall be conducted by a qualified County biologist, as required by the WRMSHCP.

The County of Riverside Transportation Department has found that the above-described project is exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), based on the following:

Section 15306 – Information Collection – The project proposes to conduct geotechnical borings, potholing and a percolation test for the proposed Calle Contento Roundabout Project for ground studies and information collection. The project in its entirety is consistent with Section 15306 because it consists of basic data collection, research, experimental management, and resource evaluation activities strictly for information gathering purposes which do not result in a serious or major disturbance to an environmental resource.

By: David Castro, Associate Transportation Planner

Signed: Frances Segovia

Frances Segovia, Environmental Project Manager

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DATE: October 19, 2026

TO: Josefina Castillo-Avila, ACR Technician III

FROM: Frances Segovia, Environmental Project Manager FS

RE: Geotechnical borings, utility potholing and percolation test for the Calle Contento Roundabout Project
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The County of Riverside Transportation Department is requesting that you post the attached Notice of Exemption per County Implementing Resolution No. 82-213, Division 11, Section 205C. Attached you will find an authorization to bill by journal voucher in the amount of $50.00 for your posting fee.

After posting, please return the document to Mail Stop #2136, Attention: David Castro. If you have any questions, please contact David at dacastro@rivco.org.

Attachment

cc: file

COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE CLERK & RECORDER

AUTHORIZATION
TO BILL
BY JOURNAL VOUCHER

-TO BE FILLED IN BY SUBMITTING AGENCY-
537280-20000-3130500000 ZC9-0017C Z1530

AUTHORIZATION NUMBER: W.O.#ZC9-0017C, Task Code Z1530

AMOUNT: $50.00

DATE: October 19, 2026

AGENCY: County of Riverside Transportation Department

THIS AUTHORIZES THE COUNTY CLERK & RECORDER TO ISSUE A VOUCHER FOR PAYMENT OF ALL FILING AND HANDLING FEES FOR THE ACCOMPANYING DOCUMENT(S).

NUMBER OF DOCUMENTS INCLUDED: One (1)

AUTHORIZED BY: Frances Segovia, Environmental Project Manager

Signature: Frances Segovia

PRESENTED BY: David Castro, Associate Transportation Planner

-TO BE FILLED IN BY COUNTY CLERK-

ACCEPTED BY:

DATE:

RECEIPT # (S)

GEOTECHNICAL BORINGS & PERCOLATION TEST LOCATION MAPS

LEGEND

PROPOSED BORING

PROPOSED PERCOLATION TEST

CUT LINE

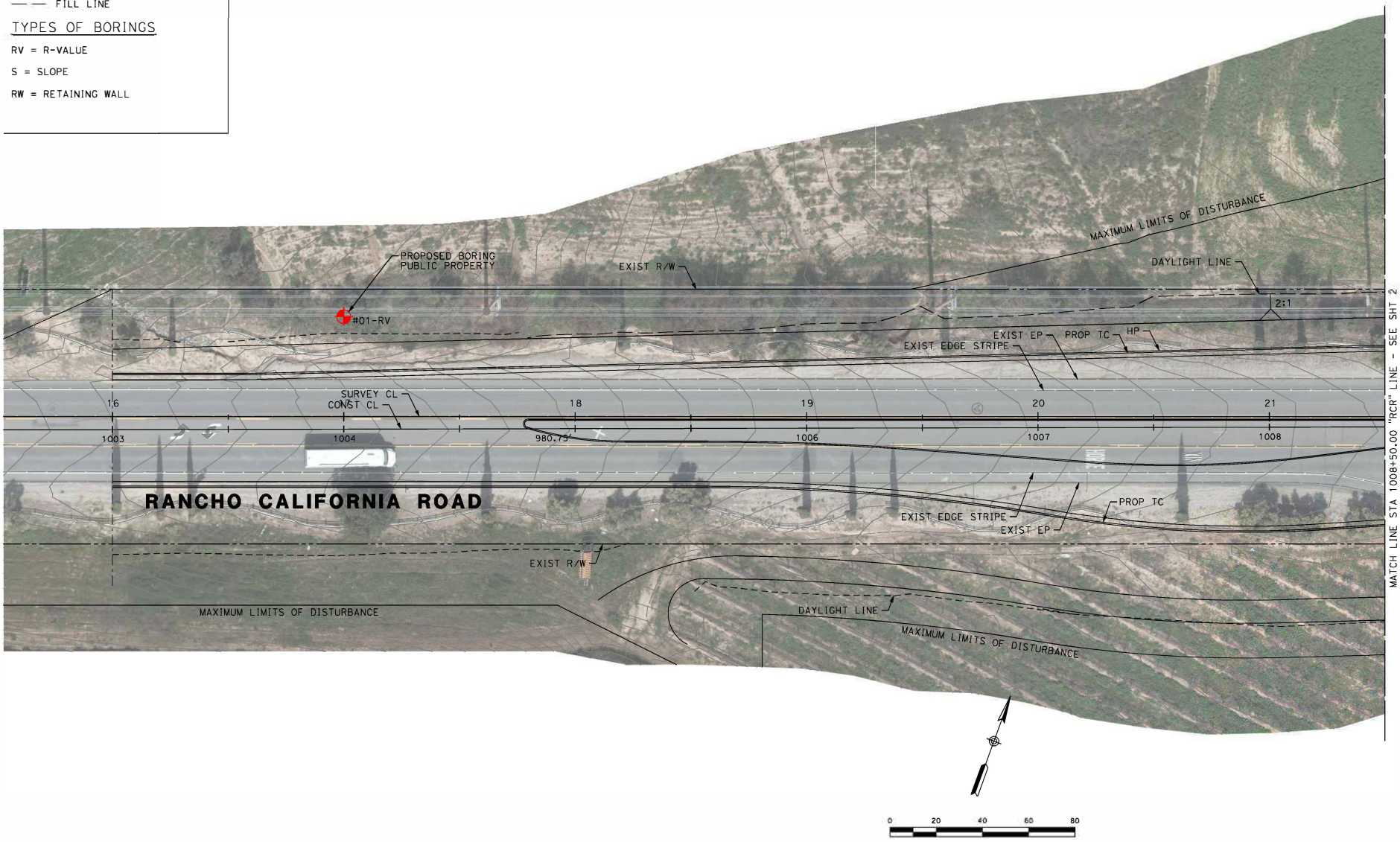
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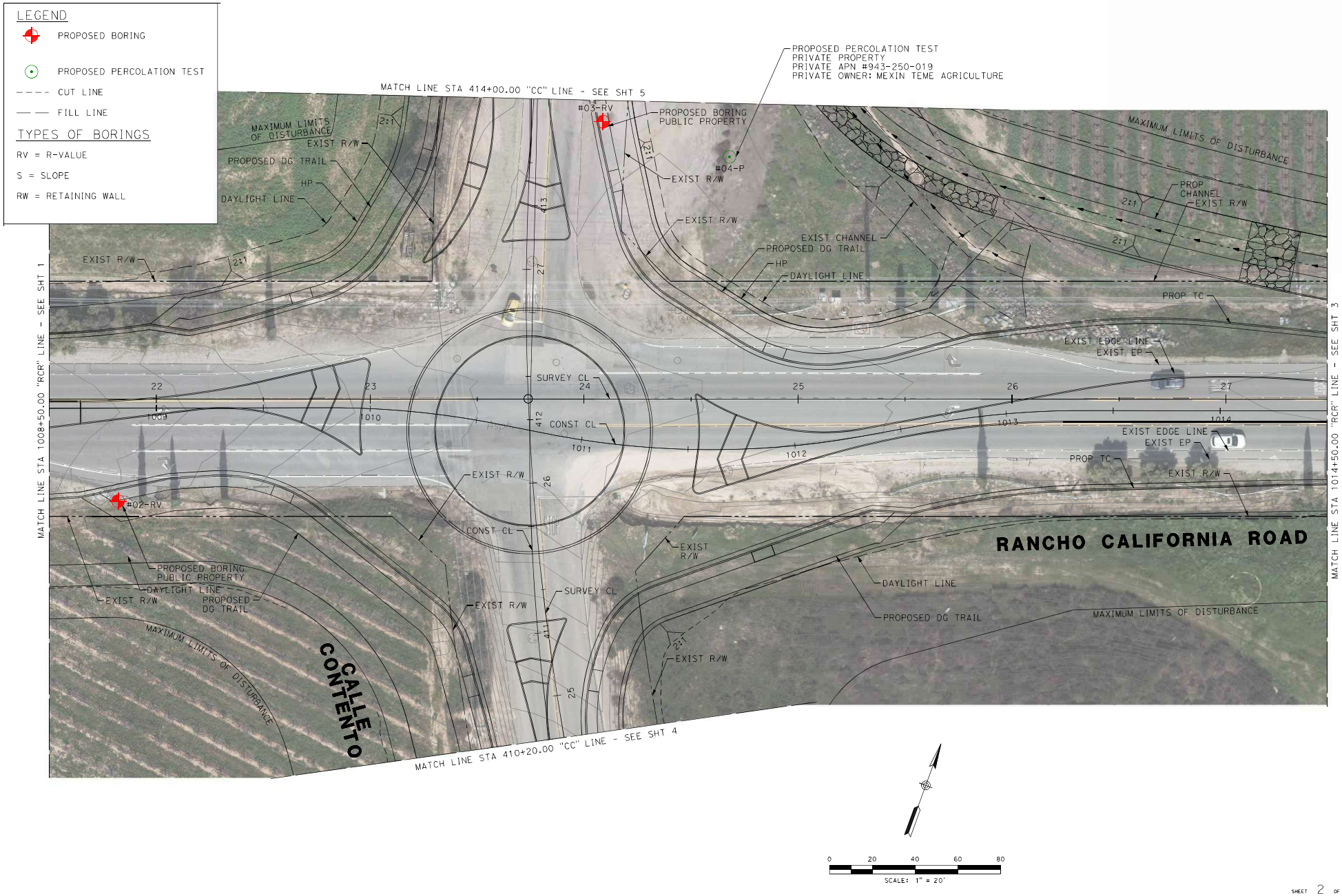
TYPES OF BORINGS

RV = R-VALUE

S = SLOPE

RW = RETAINING WALL




LEGEND
PROPOSED BORING
PROPOSED PERCOLATION TEST
CUT LINE
FILL LINE
TYPES OF BORINGS
RV = R-VALUE
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MATCH LINE STA 414+00.00 "CC" LINE - SEE SHT 5
PROPOSED PERCOLATION TEST
PRIVATE PROPERTY
PRIVATE APN #943-250-019
PRIVATE OWNER: MEXIN TEME AGRICULTURE
#03-RV
PROPOSED BORING
PUBLIC PROPERTY
#04-P
MAXIMUM LIMITS OF DISTURBANCE
EXIST R/W
PROPOSED DG TRAIL
HP
DAYLIGHT LINE
2:1
EXIST CHANNEL
PROP CHANNEL
PROP TC
EXIST EDGE LINE
EXIST EP
SURVEY CL
CONST CL
RANCHO CALIFORNIA ROAD
#02-RV
CALLE CONTENTO
MATCH LINE STA 1008+50.00 "RCR" LINE - SEE SHT 1
MATCH LINE STA 1014+50.00 "RCR" LINE - SEE SHT 3
MATCH LINE STA 410+20.00 "CC" LINE - SEE SHT 4
0 20 40 60 80
SCALE: 1" = 20'

LEGEND

PROPOSED BORING

PROPOSED PERCOLATION TEST

CUT LINE

FILL LINE

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2:1
CONST CL
EXIST EP
PROP EP
SURVEY CL
#06-RV
PROPOSED BORING
PUBLIC PROPERTY
EXIST EP
PROP TC
EXIST R/W
PROP EDGE
STRIPE
PROPOSED
DG TRAIL
EXIST R/W
PROPOSED DG TRAIL
DAYLIGHT LINE
MAXIMUM LIMITS OF DISTURBANCE
MATCH LINE STA 410+20.00 "CC" LINE - SEE SHT 2
19
20
21
22
23
24
405
406
407
408
409
410
0
20
40
60
80
SCALE: 1" = 20'


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MAXIMUM LIMITS OF DISTURBANCE
DAYLIGHT LINE
HP
PROPOSED DG TRAIL
EXIST R/W
PROPOSED PERCOLATION TEST
PUBLIC PROPERTY
#08-P
PROP TC
SURVEY CL
EXIST EP
CONST CL
MATCH LINE STA 414+00.00 "CC" LINE - SEE SHT 2
28
414
29
415
30
416
31
417
32
418
33
419
PROP EP
PROPOSED BORING
PUBLIC PROPERTY
#07-RV
2:1
CALLE CONTENTO
PROPOSED
DG TRAIL
DAYLIGHT LINE
EXIST R/W
EXIST
CHANNEL
MAXIMUM LIMITS OF DISTURBANCE
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20
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60
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SCALE: 1" = 20'

UTILITY POTHOLE LOCATION MAPS

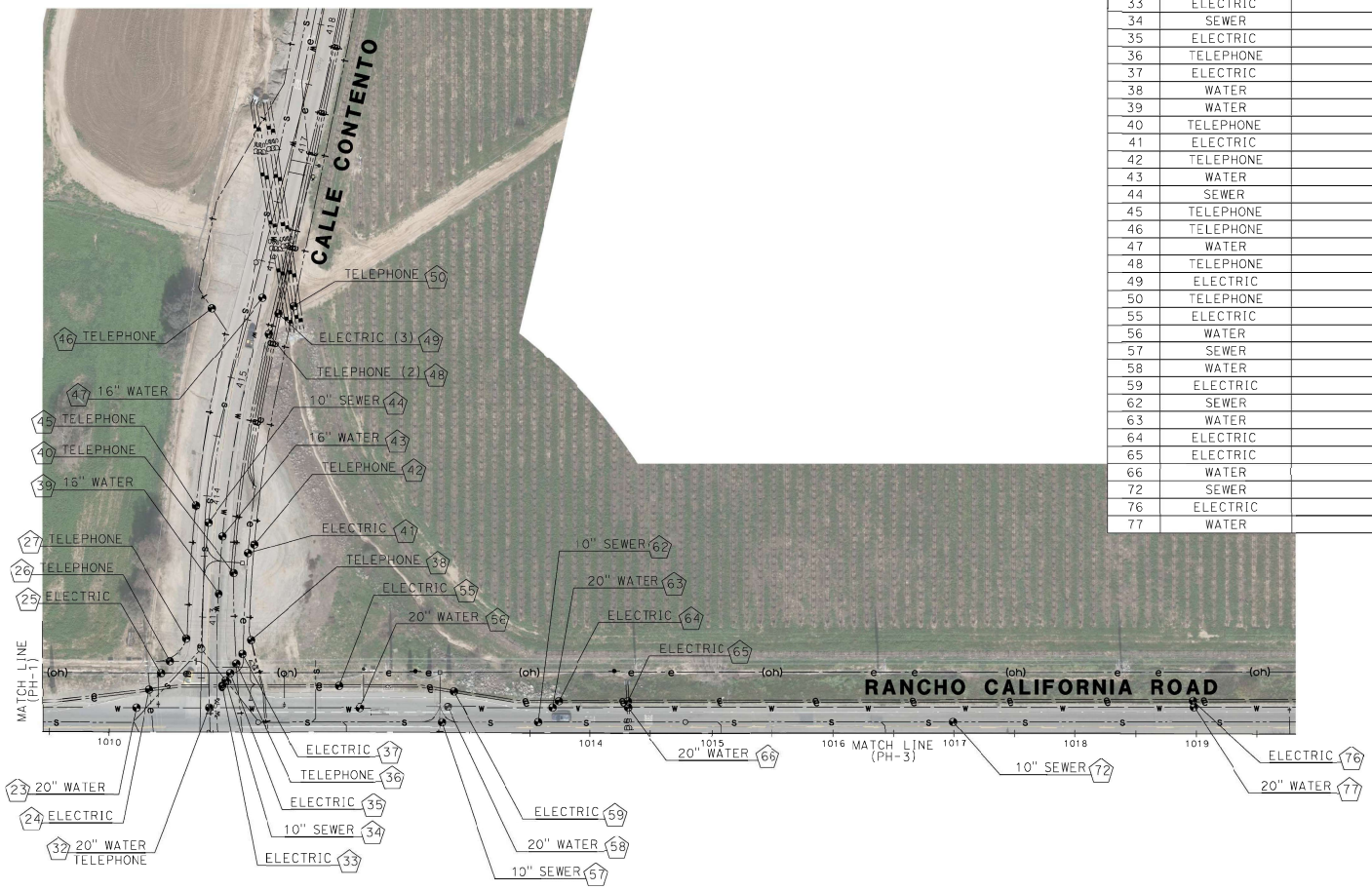


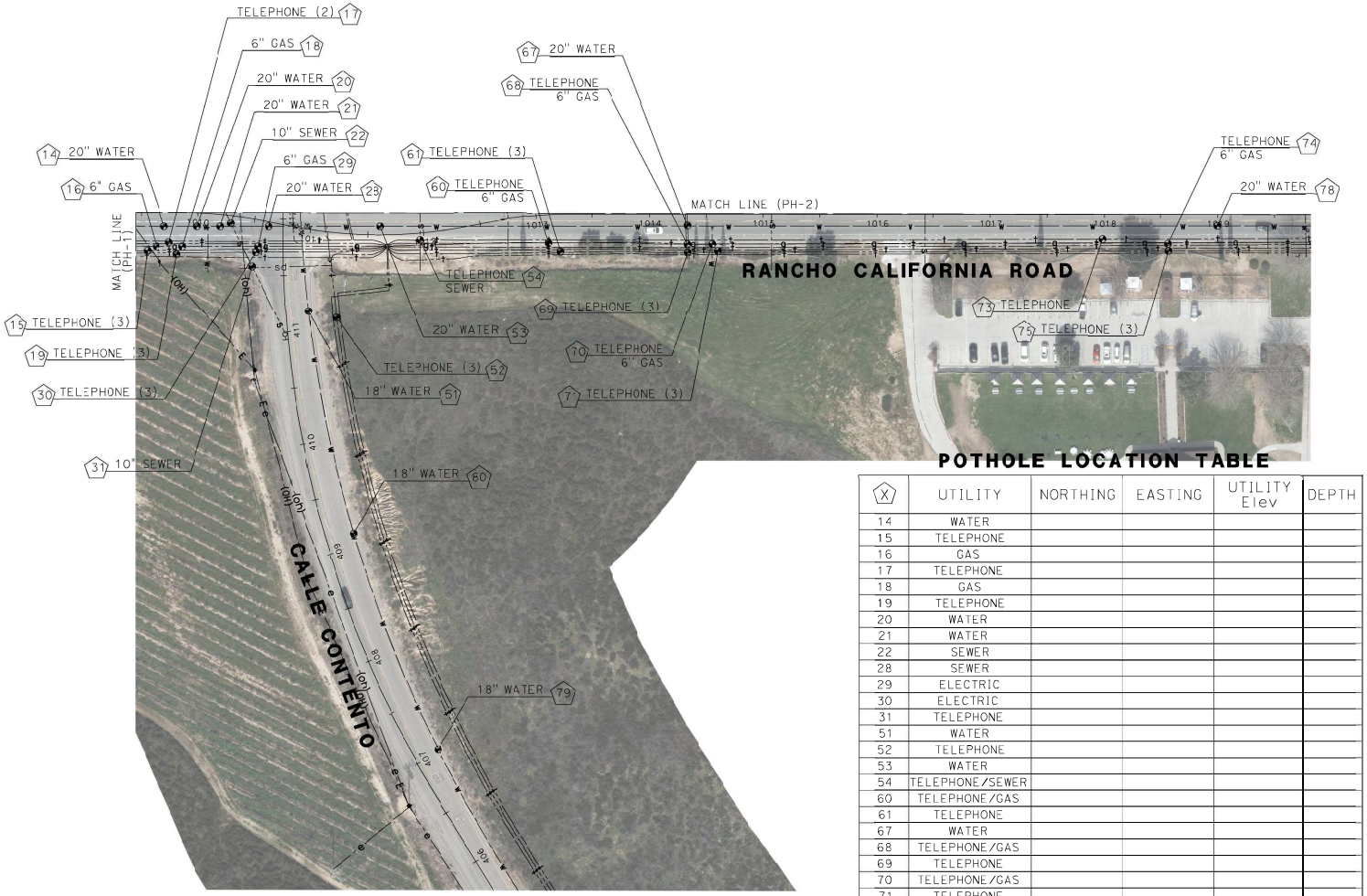
POTHOLE LOCATION TABLE

X	UTILITY	NORTHING	EASTING	UTILITY Elev	DEPTH
1	WATER				
2	ELECTRIC				
3	WATER				
4	GAS/TELEPHONE				
5	TELEPHONE				
6	TELEPHONE				
7	WATER				
8	TELEPHONE				
9	GAS/TELEPHONE				
10	TELEPHONE				
11	SEWER				
12	WATER				
13	TELEPHONE				

POTHOLE LOCATION TABLE

X	UTILITY	NORTHING	EASTING	UTILITY Elev	DEPTH
23	WATER				
24	ELECTRIC				
25	ELECTRIC				
26	TELEPHONE				
27	TELEPHONE				
32	WATER/TELEPHONE				
33	ELECTRIC				
34	SEWER				
35	ELECTRIC				
36	TELEPHONE				
37	ELECTRIC				
38	WATER				
39	WATER				
40	TELEPHONE				
41	ELECTRIC				
42	TELEPHONE				
43	WATER				
44	SEWER				
45	TELEPHONE				
46	TELEPHONE				
47	WATER				
48	TELEPHONE				
49	ELECTRIC				
50	TELEPHONE				
55	ELECTRIC				
56	WATER				
57	SEWER				
58	WATER				
59	ELECTRIC				
62	SEWER				
63	WATER				
64	ELECTRIC				
65	ELECTRIC				
66	WATER				
72	SEWER				
76	ELECTRIC				
77	WATER				





POTHOLE LOCATION TABLE

X	UTILITY	NORTHING	EASTING	UTILITY Elev	DEPTH
14	WATER				
15	TELEPHONE				
16	GAS				
17	TELEPHONE				
18	GAS				
19	TELEPHONE				
20	WATER				
21	WATER				
22	SEWER				
28	SEWER				
29	ELECTRIC				
30	ELECTRIC				
31	TELEPHONE				
51	WATER				
52	TELEPHONE				
53	WATER				
54	TELEPHONE/SEWER				
60	TELEPHONE/GAS				
61	TELEPHONE				
67	WATER				
68	TELEPHONE/GAS				
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70	TELEPHONE/GAS				
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74	TELEPHONE/GAS				
75	TELEPHONE				
78	WATER				
79	WATER				
80	WATER				