

HUALAPAI INDIAN NATION
PEACH SPRINGS, ARIZONA
RFP FOR ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES FOR THE GRAND CANYON WEST INTERCONNECTION
PROJECT

Pre-Submittal Questions and Answers on Request for Proposal issued to on September 14, 2017

September 29, 2017

ADDENDUM NO. 1

Response to Questions

1. *Of the 35 mile corridor, could the mileage and/or exact route for the area that the Hualapai would survey be provided? Approximately 15 and three fourths miles.*
2. *Does the 41 mile alternate route require a cultural resources survey? Yes. Please note that approximately 22 miles of the 41-mile route is congruent with the 35-mile route. The Hualapai Cultural Resources Department has performed a survey of Buck and Doe Road. If so, how much of that is on the Hualapai Reservation? There are eight additional miles on the Hualapai Reservation as compared to the 35-mile route. The 41-mile route also crosses approximately one and one half miles of tribal trust lands in Sections 15, 21 and 33, T27N, R15W.*
3. *Will the 35 mile and 41 mile routes require wildlife species specific surveys or general vegetation and wildlife habitat surveys? Wildlife surveys should be specific to voles, burrowing owls, migratory birds, and raptor aeries. Vegetation surveys should be adequate to create a seed list for reclamation (and a general description of vegetation for the affected environment section of the NEPA document). Provide a comprehensive list of the plants present along the proposed route alternatives. The contractor will need to provide the ecological sites' descriptions from which to choose the seeds. The BLM notes that seed mixes would not be catered to each ecological site, but would be a mix based on the broad plant communities.*
4. *Can the BLM contact be provided to confirm natural resource and visual survey requirements for BLM lands? The Kingman Field Office's main point of contact is Andy Whitefield (awhitefi@blm.gov). For natural resources please contact Rebecca Peck (rpeck@blm.gov) and Matt Driscoll (mdriscoll@blm.gov) for visual resources.*
5. *Will a hazardous materials Phase I Environmental Site Assessment be required for the substation or routes? A Phase I Environmental Site Assessment is appropriate for substation.*

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Should you have any questions regarding this Addendum, please contact me at (928) 769-1310.

Except as modified herein all other specifications, terms, conditions and special provisions shall remain the same.

ISSUED BY:



Kevin Davidson
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