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BIO-14: The Resident Engineer is responsible for ensuring that all protective measures are being fully implemented. If the resident engineer determines, or is notified by the Authorized Biologist, that one or more protective measures are not being fully implemented, he or she will halt all activities that are out of compliance until all problems have been remedied. All workers, authorized biologists, and biological monitors will be required to notify the resident engineer of any such problem they notice. The resident engineer must always be able to contact an approved biological monitor or Authorized Biologist to resolve any unforeseen issues.

BIO-16: When work is occurring in areas where desert tortoise exclusion fencing is absent, the Authorized Biologist, or approved biological monitors working under the direction of the Authorized Biologist, will be present on site daily to ensure the work area is clear of desert tortoises.

BIO-35: Vegetation Transport: Trucks with loads carrying vegetation shall be covered, and vegetative materials removed from the site shall be disposed of in accordance with all applicable laws and regulations.

BIO-36: Landscaped Native Vegetation: Bare soil will be landscaped with a Caltrans-recommended seed mix from locally adopted species, where feasible, to preclude the invasion of noxious weeds. For widespread native herbaceous species that are more likely to be genetically homogenous, site specificity is a less important consideration and seed from commercial sources may be used.

- Seed purity shall be certified by planting seed labeled under the California Food and Agricultural Code or that has been tested within a year by a seed laboratory certified by the Association of Official Seed Analysts or by a seed technologist certified by the Society of Commercial Seed Technologists.
- Plant species listed in Lists A and B of the California Exotic Pest Plant Council's list of exotic pest plants (latest edition) will not be used to restore or stabilize areas.

BIO-37: Vehicle Washing: Construction equipment will be cleaned of mud or other debris that may contain invasive plants and/or seeds and inspected to reduce the potential of spreading noxious weeds.

BIO-38: Soils and topsoil will be stockpiled in either disturbed areas lacking native vegetation or areas delineated for project-related disturbance. Topsoil will be re-spread following compaction.

BIO-39: Biological Monitor: A biological monitor will be present during ground-disturbing activities to ensure any wildlife that is unearthed or enters the work area during project activities is out of harm's way. This monitor will inspect all excavations at the beginning and end of each day to ensure wildlife has not become trapped and will conduct required preconstruction surveys.