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Mono Basin Water Rights Licenses Project - Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration

Dear Ms. Hauptman:

Thank you for giving the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) District 9 the opportunity to review the proposed water rights licenses for the Mono Lake basin. Project activities would necessitate access from US 395 and State Route (SR) 158. We offer the following:

- Section 1.6 Project Approvals (page 1-36), additional information:
 - For any use of oversize/overweight vehicles, Caltrans HQ Transportation Permits Office may be contacted at (916) 322-1297.
 - Prior to anticipated traffic control (traffic control with use of flaggers is cited elsewhere in the document), please contact Stephen Winzenread, Caltrans District 9 Permits Engineer at (760) 872-5222 or stephen.winzenread@dot.ca.gov, to obtain an encroachment permit.

Traffic Control shall be per Caltrans Temporary Traffic Control Zones described in the California Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices. See Caltrans standard plans T9 through T34 at:

<https://dot.ca.gov/-/media/dot-media/programs/safety-programs/documents/ca-mutcd/rev-5/camutcd2014-part6-rev5.pdf>.

The permit application is at:

<https://dot.ca.gov/programs/traffic-operations/ep/applications>.

- Construction traffic could also trigger the need for SR 158 and US 395 access improvements such as paved aprons (SR 158), debris racks and use of other best management practices. Please also contact Stephen Winzenread for further discussion.

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We value our cooperative working relationship with the LADWP regarding impacts to the state transportation system in the Eastern Sierra. For any questions, feel free to contact me at (760) 872-0785 or at gayle.rosander@dot.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Gayle J. Rosander". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'G'.

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External Project Liaison

c: State Clearinghouse
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