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INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

January 20, 2022

TO: Master Files

FROM:  John Fleming, Division Head, Environmental Division 

SUBJECT: Job 012424, Districts 1,5 & 10 Centerline Rumble Stripes (S)
Job 012425, Districts 2 & 6 Centerline Rumble Stripes (S)
Job 012426, Districts 3 & 7 Centerline Rumble Stripes (S)
Job 012427, Districts 4, 8 & 9 Centerline Rumble Stripes (S)
Various Routes, Sections, and Counties
Tier 1 Categorical Exclusion for Centerline Rumble Stripes

The purpose of these projects is to install Centerline Rumble Stripes (CLRS) on prioritized locations along the rural Arkansas Primary Highway Network (APHN). These identified locations throughout the state are on the APHN where CLRS would be beneficial in reducing fatal and severe crashes. The rumble stripes will be installed on the centerline of the highway and will not require any additional right of way. Project location maps are attached showing where the CLRS are proposed in each District.

The project will not involve relocations, endangered species, prime farmlands, wetlands, underground storage tanks, hazardous materials, or any environmental justice issues. This project has been determined to generate minimal air quality impacts for Clean Air Act criteria pollutants and has not been linked with any special mobile source air toxics concerns. The Cultural Resources Clearances are attached.

This project will have “no effect” on the identified federally listed species due to the limited scope of the action, lack of suitable habitat, and distance to known species locations.

This project will not have a discharge of dredged or fill material into waters of the United States; therefore, a Section 404 permit will not be required.

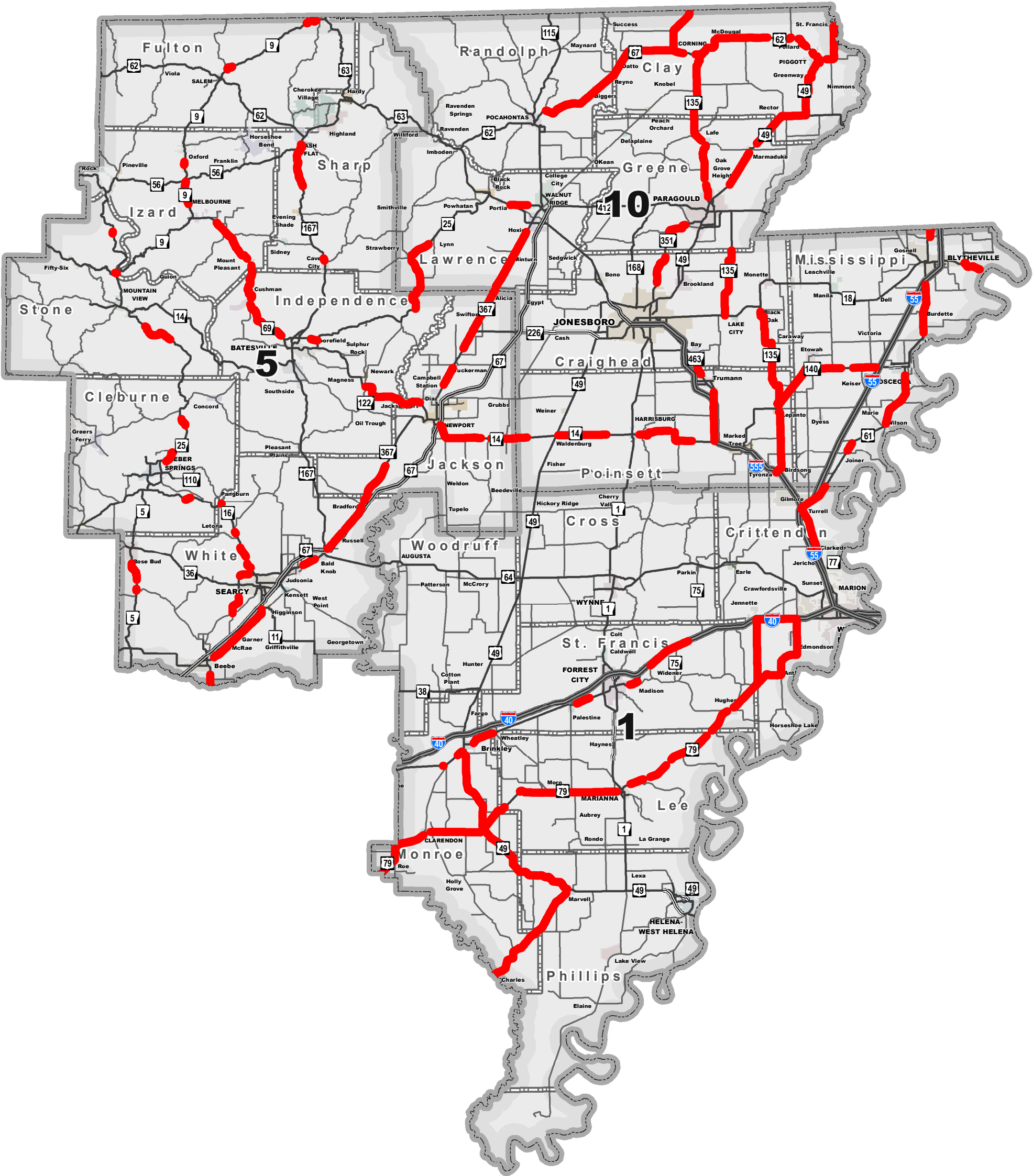
After appropriate environmental review, it has been determined that the subject job is a Tier 1 Categorical Exclusion as described by the ARDOT/FHWA Programmatic Agreement on Categorical Exclusion Documentation and Processing. A public hearing will not be offered for this project.

JF:TT:fc

Attachments:

- Project Location Maps
- Cultural Resource Clearances
- Environmental Study Checklist

c: Program Management
Right of Way
Roadway Design
Districts 1-10
FHWA

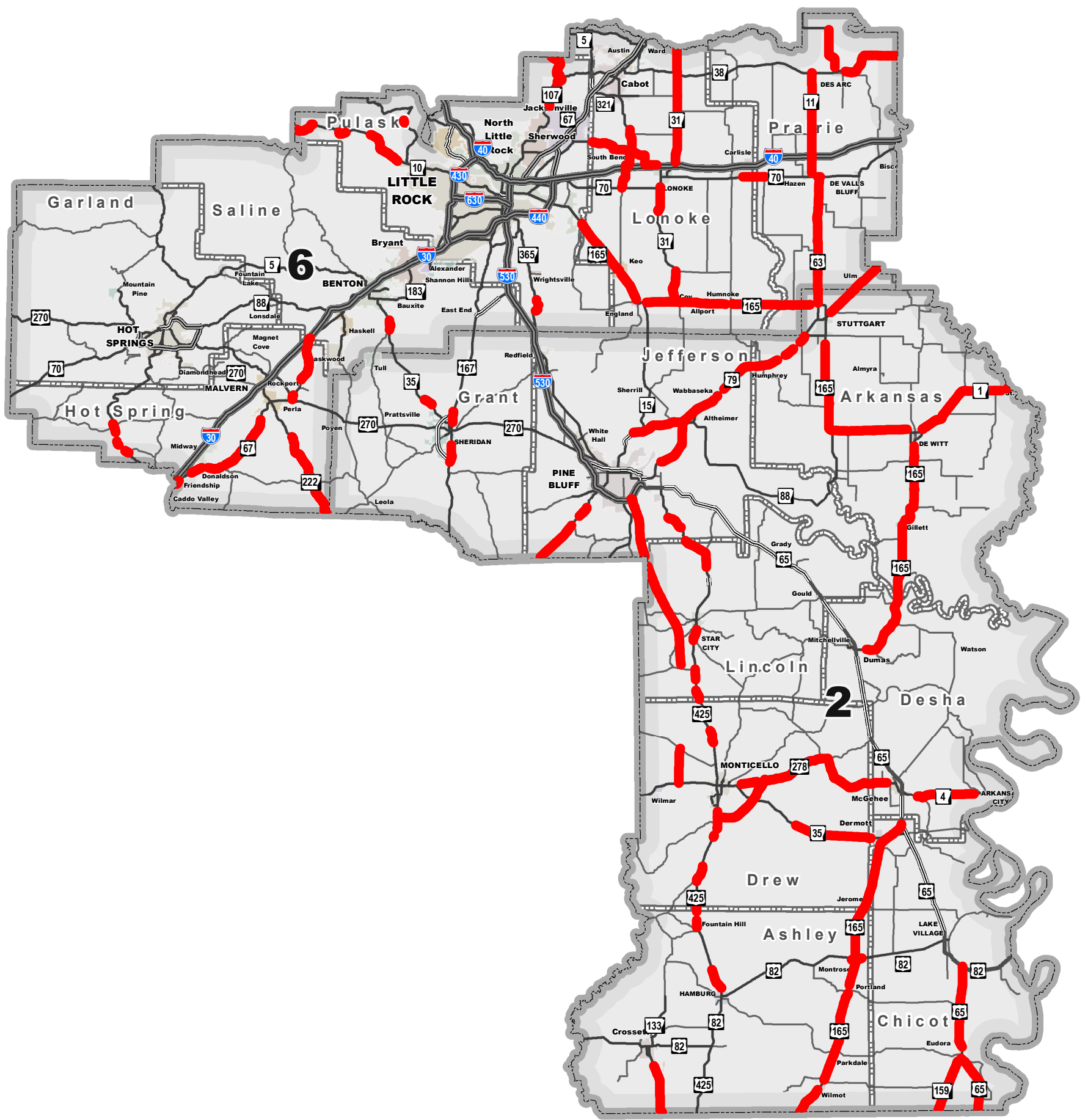


— Project Location

Job 012424

Districts 1, 5 & 10 Centerline Rumble Stripe Impvts. (S)



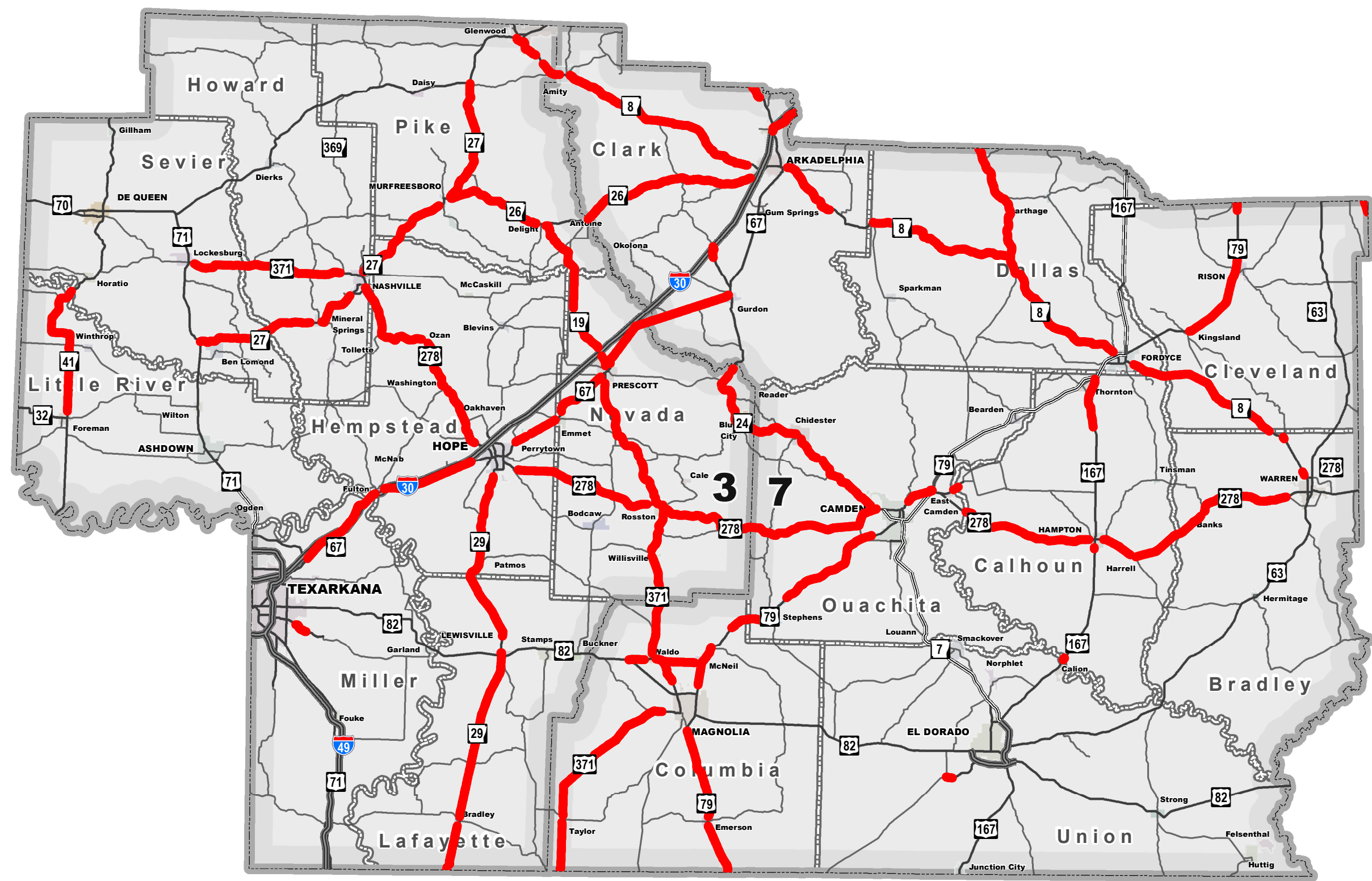


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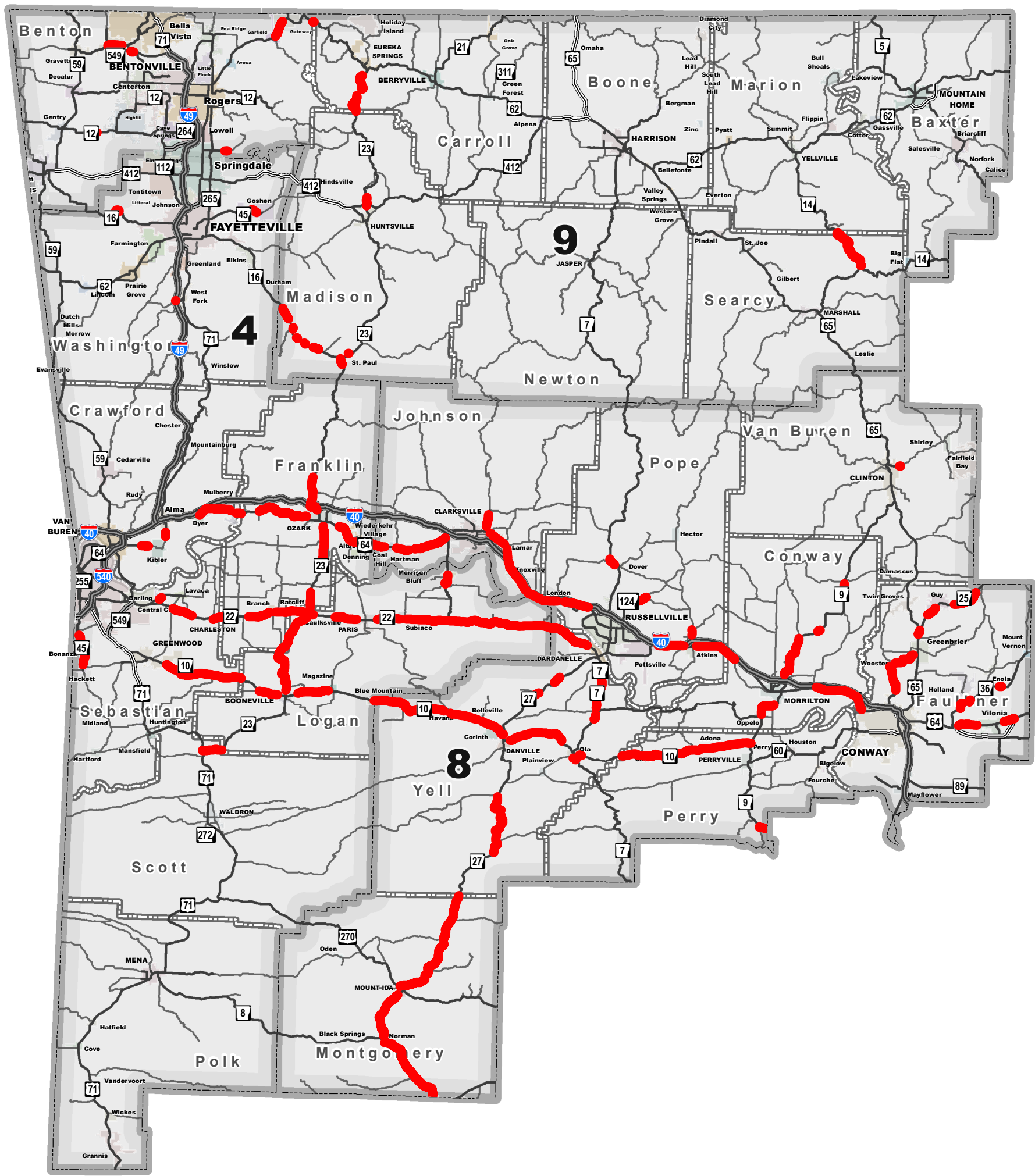
Job 012425

Districts 2 & 6 Centerline Rumble Stripe Impvts. (S)





— Project Location



— Project Location

Job 012427

Districts 4, 8 & 9 Centerline Rumble Stripe Impvts. (S)





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January 3, 2022

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FROM: Daniel Hildebran, Cultural Resources Section

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SUBJECT: Cultural Resources Clearance
Job 012424
Districts 1, 5 & 10 Centerline Rumble Stripe Impvts. (S)
Various Routes, Various Sections
Various Counties

This job proposes to add rumble stripes along the centerline on Arkansas highways along portions of the Arkansas Primary Highway Network, statewide.

This project is subject to the 2021 Programmatic Agreement and falls under Activity F in Appendix B. The project is exempted from further work or Section 106 review.



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Job 012425
Districts 2 & 6 Centerline Rumble Stripe Impvts. (S)
Various Routes, Various Sections
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SUBJECT: Cultural Resources Clearance
Job 012426
Districts 3 & 7 Centerline Rumble Stripe Impvts. (S)
Various Routes, Various Sections
Various Counties

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SUBJECT: Cultural Resources Clearance
Job 012427
Districts 4, 8 & 9 Centerline Rumble Stripe Impvts. (S)
Various Routes, Various Sections
Various Counties

This job proposes to add rumble stripes along the centerline on Arkansas highways along portions of the Arkansas Primary Highway Network, statewide.

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ARDOT ENVIRONMENTAL VERIFICATION CHECKLIST FOR CONSIDERATION OF POTENTIAL IMPACTS

ARDOT Job Number Various Jobs FAP Number Various FAPs

Job Title Districts 1-10 Centerline Rumble Strips (S)

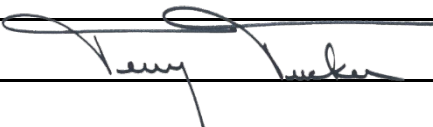
Environmental Resource	None	Minimal	Major	Comments-required for each item
Air Quality	X			No air quality impacts
Cultural Resources	X			CR clearances attached
Economic	X			No impacts anticipated
Endangered Species	X			"No effect" determination
Environmental Justice/Title VI	X			No EJ populations impacted
Fish and Wildlife	X			No impacts anticipated
Floodplains	X			No impacts anticipated
Forest Service Property	X			No impacts anticipated
Hazardous Materials/Landfills	X			No impacts anticipated
Land Use	X			No additional ROW
Migratory Birds	X			No impacts anticipated
Navigation/Coast Guard	X			No impacts anticipated
Noise Levels	X			No impacts anticipated
Prime Farmland	X			No impacts anticipated
Protected Waters	X			No impacts anticipated
Public Recreation Lands	X			No impacts anticipated
Public Water Supply/WHPA	X			No impacts anticipated
Relocates	X			No impacts anticipated
Section 4(f)/6(f)	X			No impacts anticipated
Social	X			No impacts anticipated
Underground Storage Tanks	X			No impacts anticipated
Visual	X			No impacts anticipated
Streams	X			No impacts anticipated
Water Quality	X			No impacts anticipated
Wetlands	X			No impacts anticipated
Wildlife Refuges	X			No impacts anticipated

Section 401 Water Quality Certification Required? N

Short-term Activity Authorization Required? N

Section 404 Permit Required? N Type N/A

Remarks: Covers Jobs 012424, 012425, 012426, & 012427

Signature of Evaluator  Date January 7, 2022