

District Construction Engineers' Meeting

July 26, 2021

2:00 – 3:30 PM

Burns Building Room 479

Agenda

New/Recurring Business:

1) Attendees Present:

Summary Notes: Attendees Present were:

D1 – Jon Sands, Brian Blair

D2 – Scott Lent, Michael Sandow

D3 – Kevin Fussell, Josh Riley

D4 – Matt Carlock, Deb Ihsan

D5 – John Hatfield, Jennifer Smith

D6 – Mario Cabrera, Heidi Solaun

D7 – Heward Humes

TP – Albert Salas, Yveins Jean-Pierre, David Schweiger

CO – Art Berger, Olivia Townsend, Kyle Jackson, Dan Hurtado, Charlotte Moon,

Larry Ritchie, Latashi Kitchen, Suzannah Ray

FHWA – Rafiq Darji

2) Covid Related Claims (Dan Hurtado)

Summary Notes: Dan informed the group the grace period to entertain covid impacts ends this month.

3) Remote Delivery of Mandatory Pre-Bid Meetings (Dan Hurtado)

Dan to discuss remote delivery of Mandatory Pre-Bid Meetings.

Summary Notes: The Department is allowing mandatory pre-bid meetings to be remote. Remote meetings are encouraged when possible.

Walk on Items:

1) Material Prices Increase (John Hatfield)

Summary Notes: The group discussed material prices increase.

2) Delta Payment (Mario Cabrera)

Summary Notes: Mario discussed issues with contractors questioning delta payment on projects. The Department has seen many NOIs and REAs for material cost escalations. SCO is gathering information.

3) Blue Lights (John Hatfield)

Summary Notes: The group discussed the difficulties in getting blue lights on projects. Counties are requesting that FHP issue letter of authority

Action: Dan to discuss blue lights with management.

4) Green Bike Lanes (Matt Carlock)

Summary Notes: Matt discussed green bike lane installation. D4 does a lot of bike lanes and has issues with fading.

Next DCE Meeting – August 30, 2021

Submit agenda items to Suzannah Ray by Friday, August 20, 2021.