

Environmental Considerations

2020 Transportation Alternatives Call for Projects For the North Central Texas Region

This is a tool to assist you and the North Central Texas Council of Governments (NCTCOG) in gauging your project readiness regarding environmental review. This form is not a substitute for a project level environmental analysis, but to determine those environmental issues that may greatly impact your project and its schedule. If you are unclear on particular questions or have several "unknowns" please contact Nathan Drozd at ndrozd@nctcog.org or 817-704-5635.

A. PARK LANDS

1. Is the project within designated park land or a recreational area? **Yes** or **No**
2. Was any of the property within the park or recreational area purchased using federal Land and Water Conservation Funds? **Yes** or **No**
3. Is the project adjacent to designated park land or recreational lands? **Yes** or **No**

Please Note: If the project is within designated parkland boundaries, written approval will be required during the NEPA process indicating that the project is acceptable and consistent with the designated use of the property. Furthermore, it must be shown that due diligence was exercised to minimize harm to the location through project planning and design.

B. HISTORIC PROPERTIES OR STRUCTURES

1. Is the project within a designated historic district or adjacent to a property or structure (e.g., building, bridge, cemetery) that is listed on the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP), State Antiquities Landmarks (SAL), and/or Recorded Texas Historic Landmark (RTHL)? **Yes** or **No**
2. Is the project within a designated historic district or adjacent to a property or structure (e.g., building, bridge, cemetery) that is eligible for listing on the NRHP and/or SAL? **Yes** or **No**
3. Has this project been coordinated with the Texas Historical Commission (THC)? **Yes** or **No**
4. Have you coordinated with your local historic preservation organization? **Yes** or **No**

C. LAND USE

1. Will the project impact any cemeteries? **Yes** or **No**
2. Will the project utilize utility or railroad corridors? **Yes** or **No**

If yes, do you have a written agreement with the owner to use this corridor for your project?

Yes or **No**

a. What is the status? _____

D. SECTION 404 PERMITTING

1. Will the project impact any U.S. Army Corp of Engineers (USACE) wetlands, water bodies, or streams?
 Yes or **No**
2. Will the project require a Section 404 Individual Permit? **Yes** or **No**

If yes, has the permit application been submitted to the USACE? **Yes** or **No** or **N/A**

- a. What is the status? (limited to 75 characters including spaces)

3. Will the project be covered by a Section 404 Nationwide Permit (NWP)? **Yes** or **No**

If yes, specify what NWP will be used and the include date (or anticipated date) of permit.

Type/Date: _____

E. THREATENED/ENDANGERED SPECIES

1. Are there any state or federal threatened or endangered species and/or their habitat located within the project area? **Yes** or **No**

F. IMPACTS TO REGULATED MATERIAL SITES

1. Will the project require additional right-of-way from, or be located near, a known potential regulated materials site? **Yes** or **No**

G. SPECIAL PERMITS

1. Are any special permits or clearances (e.g., USACE Section 408; Section 9 and/or Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act of 1899, FAA airway clearance) required? **Yes** or **No**
 - a. If yes, please list the type and status. (limited to 300 characters including spaces)

Please attach all relevant correspondence addressing any of the categories above.

H. OTHER

Please include any additional information that you think may be relevant. (limited to 750 characters including spaces)