



Department of Transportation (MCDOT)

Director's Report – August 21, 2018

- **Removal Of Fire-Damaged Trees Project Construction Contract:** Pursuant to Board Resolution Number (No.) 18-097 (July 10, 2018), bids for Department of Transportation Contract No. 180058, Removal of Fire-Damaged Trees that Present a Safety Hazard as a Result of the Redwood Fire, were opened as scheduled on Tuesday, July 31, 2018. Family Tree Service, Inc., of Laytonville, California, was deemed the apparent “low bidder” for this project with a bid of \$340,630.53. The Engineer's Estimate for the contract was \$430,000.00.

LOW BID:	\$340,630.53
ADDITIVE BID ITEM #1	\$23,860.26
CONTINGENCIES	\$36,449.08
SUPPLEMENTAL WORK	<u>\$0.00</u>
CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT TOTAL	<u>\$400,939.87</u>
COST OF PS&E (ESTIMATED)	\$15,885.51
RIGHT OF WAY	\$0.00
ANTICIPATED CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING	<u>\$60,140.98</u>
TOTAL ANTICIPATED PROJECT COST:	<u>\$476,966.36</u>

Working Days: 60

- **2017 Road System Storm/Fire Disaster Recovery Effort:** MCDOT staff continues to process revisions to scope of work for some thirteen January 2017 winter storm damage sites with staff from the California Emergency Management Agency (Cal EMA) and Federal Emergency Management Agency. All seven of the Cal EMA fall fire damage scopes are in place with no need of revision. MCDOT expects to construct fire damage repair the summer of 2020 because the three year limit on storm damage runs out ten months before fire damage and must be complete by the summer of 2019.

Mendocino County's Federal Highway Administration Agency (FHWA) eligible “on system” roads had six fire-related damage sites applications. Four scopes were approved; however West Road Redwood valley, CR 237, MP 0.21 to MP 2.32 was not approved.

Presently contractors are repairing Peachland Road, County Road (CR) 128, at milepost (MP) 0.95, Orr Springs Road, CR 223, at MP 39.20, Mountain View Road, CR 510, at MP 14.39, Branscomb Road, CR 429, at MP 21.50 & MP 16.80, and Bell Springs Road, CR 324, at MP 17.70.

Mountain View Road at MP 16.62 (Hanes Ranch) is a critical damage site and fortunately FHWA has expedited approvals for repair work. MCDOT plans to attempt a fall construction due to favorable construction advantages during that time of year as this project is well separated from bodies of water.