

7th Street Grade Separation East Project Information Meeting Questions & Answers

ID	Question	Answer
1	Will excavated material from stages 1 and 2 be stockpiled for use as backfill of the roadway trench on stage 3?	The current soil management protocols of UPRR and the Port will not allow the reuse of excavated material. Alameda CTC is currently discussing an opportunity to reuse with the agencies. Based on agreements reached, a Construction Risk Management Plan (CRMP) will be included as part of the construction contract requirement. Furthermore, the existing 7Th Street (the trench) will be backfilled, mostly with controlled low-strength material. Soil will be used to backfill the top three feet of the trench only.
2	When do you anticipate release of bid	Advertisement is anticipatd for late summer, pre-COVID.
3	Will the project fall under the Port's MAPLA (project labor agreement)?	No. MAPLA does not apply.
4	Will there be a prequalification process for this proposal?	No, there will not be a prequalification process for the construction contract.
5	At one point in time the 7th Street G/S project was considered to be a Design Build project. Is this still a possibility for the East or West projects?	7SGSE Project: No, design-build procurement method is no longer considered. 7SGSW Project: The construction phase work is currently unfunded. Alameda CTC has not ruled out the possibility of a design-build procurement process.
6	Great presentation, very informative and clear. Thanks! Question, do you have an anticipated advertise date? It is important for us to know so we can plan our estimating team schedules. Thanks!	The pre-COVID 19 advertisement date as shown in the presentation is late summer 2020. We are currently encountering delays due to Shelter-in-place (SIP) order. Therefore, once the SIP order is limited/relaxed, Alameda CTC will reassess the project delivery schedule and post project updates, including schedule updates on Alameda CTC's website. For contracting opportunity updates, please visit: https://www.alamedactc.org/get-involved/contracting-opportunities/ Alameda CTC will also send project updates to registered users via periodic e-blasts.