

APPENDIX 3.11-B: SAFETY AND SECURITY DATA

Table 1 Number of Train Accidents and Incidents with Casualties and Property Damages by County, 2011–2015

| Accidents | | | | Casualties | | |
|---------------|-------|------------------|----|------------------|------------------------|--|
| | | Type of Accident | | | Total | |
| County | Total | Fatal Nonfatal | | Total Fatalities | Nonfatal Conditions | |
| Merced County | 63 | 24 | 39 | 24 | 28 | |
| Madera County | 29 | 9 | 20 | 9 | 24 | |

Source: FRA, 2016a, 2016b, 2016c

Data are for January 2011 through December 2015.

Table 2 Types and Causes of Train Accidents by County, 2011-2015

| | Type of Accident | | | | Cause of Accident | | | | |
|------------------|------------------------|------------|---------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|--------|----------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------|
| County | Collision ¹ | Derailment | Highway Railroad Crossing | Other ² | Track | Signal | Human Error | Motive Power/ Equipment | Miscellaneous ³ |
| Merced County | 0 | 1 | 24 | 38 | 0 | 0 | 16 | 0 | 47 |
| Madera County | 0 | 0 | 7 | 22 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 23 |

Source: FRA, 2016a, 2016b, 2016c

Data are for January 2011 through December 2015.

Table 3 At-Grade Crossing Accidents in the Region, 2008-2016

| | | | | Number of Accidents | | Number of Casualties | |
|-----------------|----------|------------------------------|-------|----------------------------|--------|----------------------|--|
| Cross Street | Railroad | Location | Total | Property Damage Only | Killed | Injured | |
| Merced County | | | | | | | |
| Private | BNSF | Unincorporated Merced County | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | |
| Buhach Road | BNSF | Unincorporated Merced County | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | |
| R Street | BNSF | City of Merced | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | |
| Bellevue Avenue | BNSF | Unincorporated Merced County | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | |
| Shaffer Road | BNSF | Unincorporated Merced County | 3 | 2 | 0 | 3 | |
| Private | BNSF | Unincorporated Merced County | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | |
| Winton Way | BNSF | City of Winton | 3 | 0 | 1 | 8 | |
| Arboleda Drive | BNSF | Unincorporated Merced County | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | |
| Franklin Road | BNSF | Unincorporated Merced County | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | |

¹ Collision accidents include head-on, rear-end, side, raking, broken-train, or heavy-rail collisions.

² Other accidents include trespassing incidents and activities such as getting on or off equipment, doing maintenance work, throwing switches, setting handbrakes, stumbling and tripping.

³ Miscellaneous causes of accidents include all accidents described under other.



| | | | | mber of cidents | Number of Casualties | |
|-----------------------|----------|------------------------------|-------|----------------------------|-------------------------|---------|
| Cross Street | Railroad | Location | Total | Property Damage Only | Killed | Injured |
| Olive Avenue | BNSF | Unincorporated Merced County | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| U Street | BNSF | City of Merced | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Plainsburg Road | BNSF | City of Planada | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| El Capitan Way | BNSF | Unincorporated Merced County | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Private | BNSF | Unincorporated Merced County | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| K Street | BNSF | City of Merced | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Santa Fe Avenue | BNSF | Unincorporated Merced County | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Main Street | UPRR | City of Livingston | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| O Street | UPRR | City of Merced | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| S.P. Avenue | UPRR | City of Merced | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Martin Luther King W. | UPRR | City of Merced | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Private | UPRR | City of Los Banos | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Shaffer Road | UPRR | City of Atwater | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Sandy Mush Road | UPRR | Unincorporated Merced County | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Vista Road | UPRR | City of Merced | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| 3rd Avenue | CFNR | City of Gustine | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Hunt Road | CFNR | City of Gustine | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Madera County | <u>'</u> | | • | | | |
| Avenue 12 | BNSF | Unincorporated Madera County | 4 | 0 | 2 | 6 |
| Avenue 9 | BNSF | Unincorporated Madera County | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Avenue 20 1/2 | BNSF | Unincorporated Madera County | 3 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Avenue 15 | BNSF | Unincorporated Madera County | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Avenue 15 1/2 | BNSF | Unincorporated Madera County | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Private Crossing | BNSF | Unincorporated Madera County | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Private | BNSF | Unincorporated Madera County | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Road 28 1/2 | BNSF | Unincorporated Madera County | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Cleveland Ave. | UPRR | City of Madera | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| King Street | UPRR | City of Chowchilla | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Regional Totals | | | 59 | 32 | 14 | 29 |

Source: FRA, 2016c

Data are for January 2008 through April 2016.

None of the accidents listed above occurred within 0.5 mile of the Central Valley Wye alternatives' centerlines.

UPRR = Union Pacific Railroad

BNSF = BNSF Railway

CFNR = California Northern Railroad Company



Table 4 Hospitals Providing Emergency Care to the Resource Study Area

| Name | Location | | |
|--|--|--|--|
| Mercy Medical Center, Merced | 333 Mercy Avenue, Merced, CA 95340 | | |
| Memorial Hospital Los Banos | 520 W I Street, Los Banos, CA 93635 | | |
| Madera Community Hospital | 1250 East Almond Avenue, Madera, CA 93637 | | |
| Children's Hospital Central California | 9300 Valley Children's Place, Madera, CA 93638 | | |

Source: California Office of Statewide Health Planning & Development, 2016

CA = California

Table 5 Critical Facilities and Infrastructure Providing Emergency Services to the Resource Study Area

| Facility Type | Name | Location | Alternative |
|--------------------------|--|---|---|
| Highway Patrol | California Highway Patrol Chowchilla River Inspection Facility (464) | 8820 S. SR 99 Le Grand, CA 95333 | SR 152 (North) to Road 19 Wye |
| Correctional Facility | Central California Women's Facility | 23370 Road 22 Chowchilla, CA | SR 152 (North) to Road 13 Wye SR 152 (North) to Road 19 Wye SR 152 (North) to Road 11 Wye |
| Fire Department | Madera County Fire Station #3 | 25950 Avenue 18 1/2 Madera, CA 93637 | All Wye Alternatives |
| Fire Department | Madera County Fire Station #4 | 13802 Avenue 21 Chowchilla, CA 93610 | Avenue 21 to Road 13 Wye |
| Fire Department | Madera County Fire Station #5 | 23370 Road 22 Chowchilla, CA | SR 152 (North) to Road 13 Wye SR 152 (North) to Road 19 Wye SR 152 (North) to Road 11 Wye |
| Fire Department | Madera County Fire Station #2 | 112 Trinity Street Chowchilla, CA | All Wye Alternatives |
| Fire Department | Madera City Fire Department | 317 N Lake Street, Madera, CA 93638 | All Wye Alternatives |
| Police Department | Chowchilla Police Department | 122 Trinity Avenue, Chowchilla, CA 93610 | SR 152 (North) to Road 13 Wye SR 152 (North) to Road 19 Wye SR 152 (North) to Road 11 Wye |
| Fire Department | Chowchilla Volunteer Fire Department | 240 N 1st Street, Chowchilla, CA 93610 | SR 152 (North) to Road 13 Wye SR 152 (North) to Road 19 Wye SR 152 (North) to Road 11 Wye |
| Fire Department | Madera County Fire Department | 122 Trinity Avenue, Chowchilla, CA 93610 | SR 152 (North) to Road 13 Wye SR 152 (North) to Road 19 Wye SR 152 (North) to Road 11 Wye |
| Fire Department | Merced County Fire Department #83 | 10537 CA-59, El Nido, CA 95317 | SR 152 (North) to Road 13 Wye SR 152 (North) to Road 19 Wye SR 152 (North) to Road 11 Wye |



| Facility Type | Name | Location | Alternative |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|---|
| Fire Department | Merced County Fire Department #75 | 8047 Dairy Lane, Dos Palos, CA 93620 | Avenue 21 to Road 13 Wye |
| Fire Department | City of Los Banos Fire Department | 1150 W I Street, Los Banos, CA 93635 | All Wye Alternatives |
| Ambulance Service | Riggs Ambulance Service | 100 Riggs Avenue, Merced, CA 95341 | SR 152 (North) to Road 13 Wye SR 152 (North) to Road 19 Wye SR 152 (North) to Road 11 Wye |
| Ambulance Service | Sierra Ambulance Service | 40755 Winding Way, Oakhurst, CA 93644 | SR 152 (North) to Road 13 Wye SR 152 (North) to Road 19 Wye SR 152 (North) to Road 11 Wye |
| Ambulance Service | Pistoresi Ambulance Service | 113 N R Street, Madera, CA 93637 | All Wye Alternatives |
| Ambulance Service (Air) | Mercy Air | 20 Macready Drive, Merced, CA 95341 | SR 152 (North) to Road 13 Wye SR 152 (North) to Road 19 Wye SR 152 (North) to Road 11 Wye |
| Ambulance Service (Air) | SkyLife | 5526 E Aircorp Way, Fresno, CA 93727 | All Wye Alternatives |
| Fire Department | City of Merced Fire Department | 99 East 16th Street Merced, CA 95340 | SR 152 (North) to Road 13 Wye SR 152 (North) to Road 19 Wye SR 152 (North) to Road 11 Wye |

Source: Madera County Fire Department, 2016; Merced County 2013 SR = State Route



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