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Control: 0543-02-055
FM 359: at US 90A/UP RR
Fort Bend County

Mr. Richard Stolleis, P.E.
County Engineer
Fort Bend County Engineering Department
1124 Blume Road
Rosenberg, Texas 77471

Dear Mr. Stolleis:

Construction plans are being prepared by the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) for the construction of an overpass for FM 359 at US 90A/UP RR. This project consists of replacing the existing at-grade railroad crossing with an elevated T-intersection. This project is scheduled for letting in May 2015. Anticipated construction time for this project is approximately 33 months.

For safety reasons, during the process of setting beams and pouring the bridge deck there will be several directional movements that will be shut down at the intersection of US 90A and FM 359. The closures will be kept to off-peak hours as best as possible.

We are aware that road closures will result in a certain amount of inconvenience to motorists using these roads. However, the safety of the traveling public is paramount to this contract and shall be so regarded by the construction contractor. The proposed closure will expedite construction, which in turn will result in less inconvenience to the traveling public reducing the exposure to construction work zone conditions.

Attached for your use are the detour layouts depicting the road closures and their proposed temporary detours.

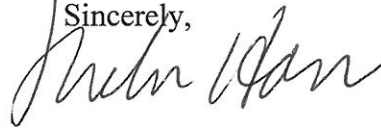
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Please designate your approval by signing below and returning to us as soon as possible. We appreciate your consideration in this matter. If you have any questions, or need additional information, please contact Robert S. Bissett, P.E. at (281) 238-7903.

Sincerely,


For Jeff A. Volk, PE
Fort Bend Area Engineer
Houston District

RSB:
Attachments

Approval Granted _____
Richard Stolleis, P.E.
County Engineer, Fort Bend County

Date: _____