## LIVINGSTON CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS

PRESENTATION TO THE NSF

**NOVEMBER 12, 1996** 

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### **OVERVIEW**

- SCOPE OF CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS
- PROCUREMENT APPROACH
- SOLICITATION
- BIDDING
- CONTRACTOR SELECTION REVIEW
- SCHEDULE

## CONTRACT SCOPE

#### TWO CONTRACTS

- BUILDING AND INFRASTRUCTURE
- CONCRETE SLAB AND PRECAST ENCLOSURES

#### RATIONALE

- SPECIALIZED SCOPE FOR CONCRETE SLAB AND ENCLOSURES.
- LOWER OVERALL COST

### BUILDING AND INFRASTRUCTURE

#### CORNER STATION

- DESIGNED FOR TWO INTERFEROMETER CAPABILITY
- APPROXIMATELY 57,000 SQUARE FEET OF HIGH BAY, LABORATORIES AND OFFICES
- HIGH BAY (LVEA) CRANES, 32 FEET CEILING HEIGHT

#### TWO END STATIONS

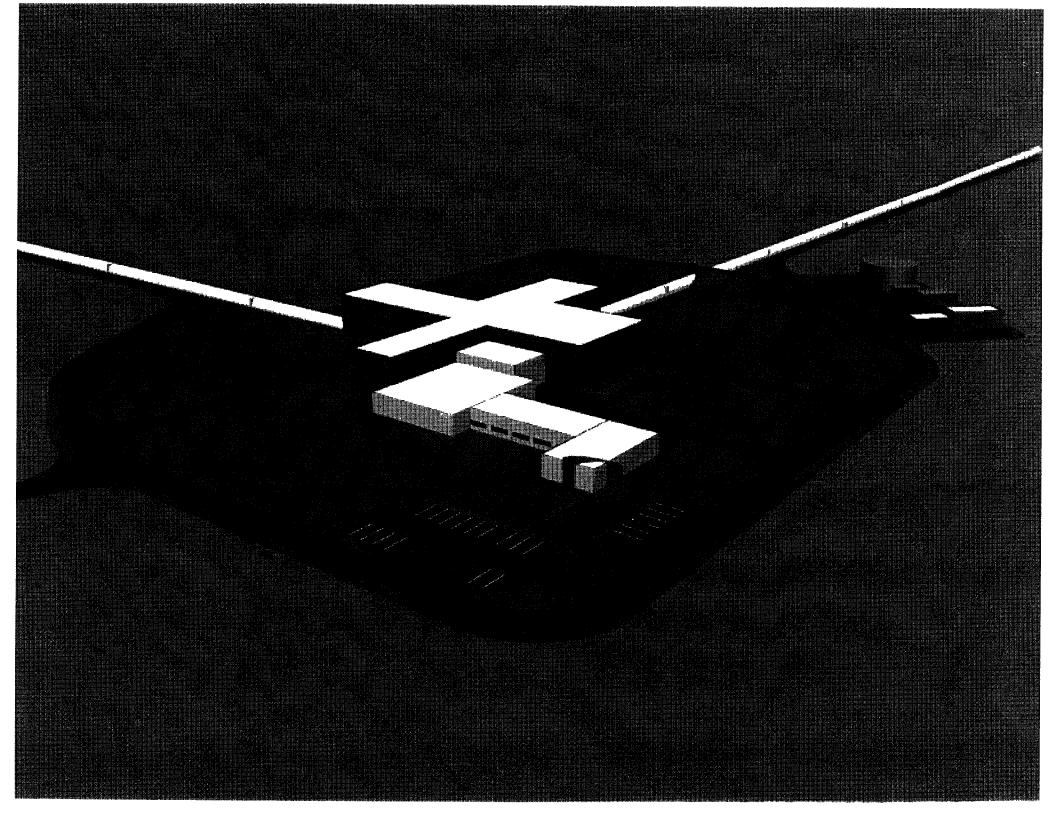
- APPROXIMATELY 8,000 SQUARE FOOT HIGH BAY

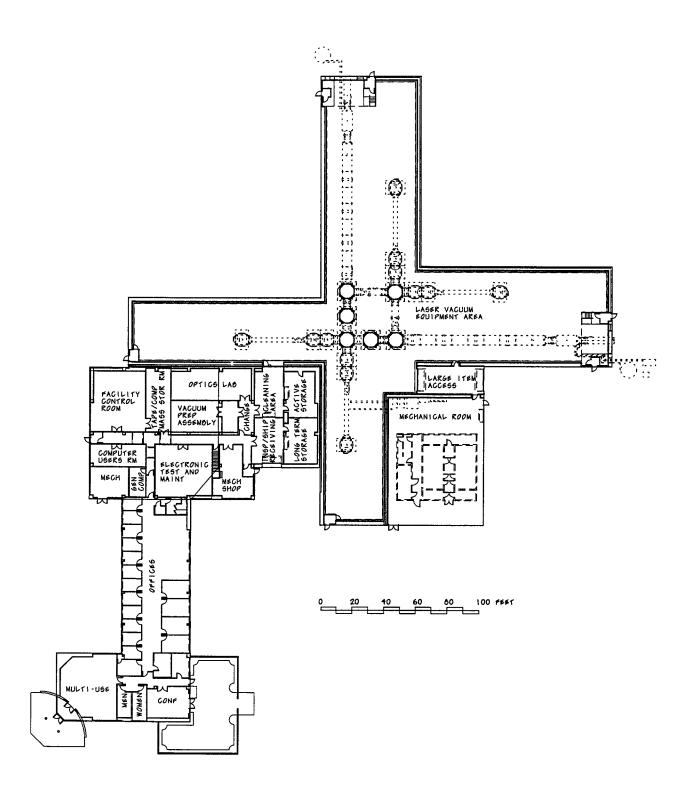
#### TWO MID STATIONS

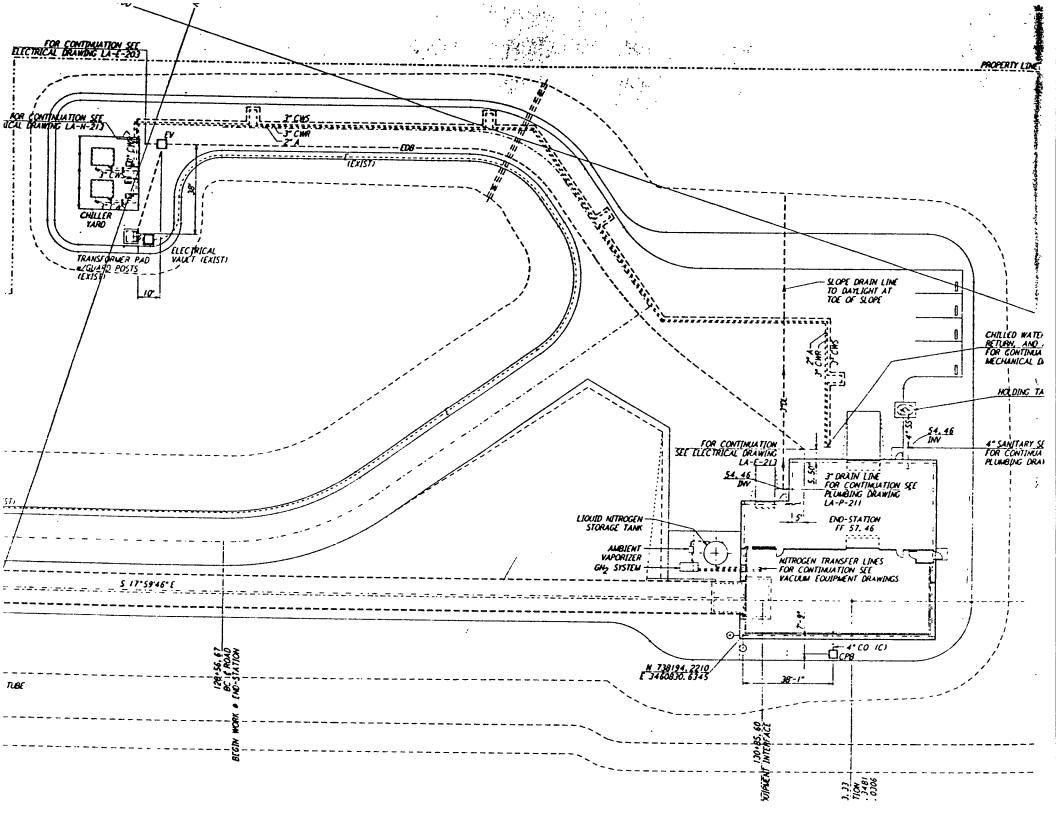
- SMALL MINIMAL BUILDINGS WITHOUT FACILITIES

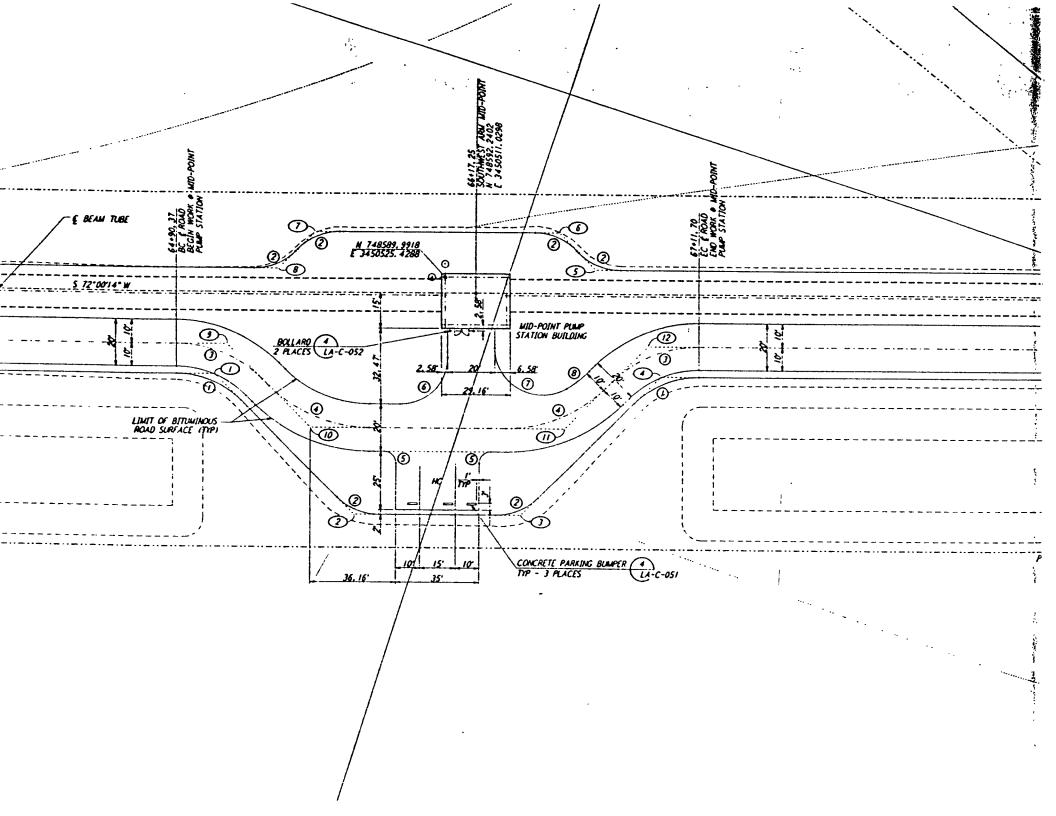
### • INFRASTRUCTURE

- CHILLER PLANTS, ROADS, PARKING POWER DISTRIBUTION









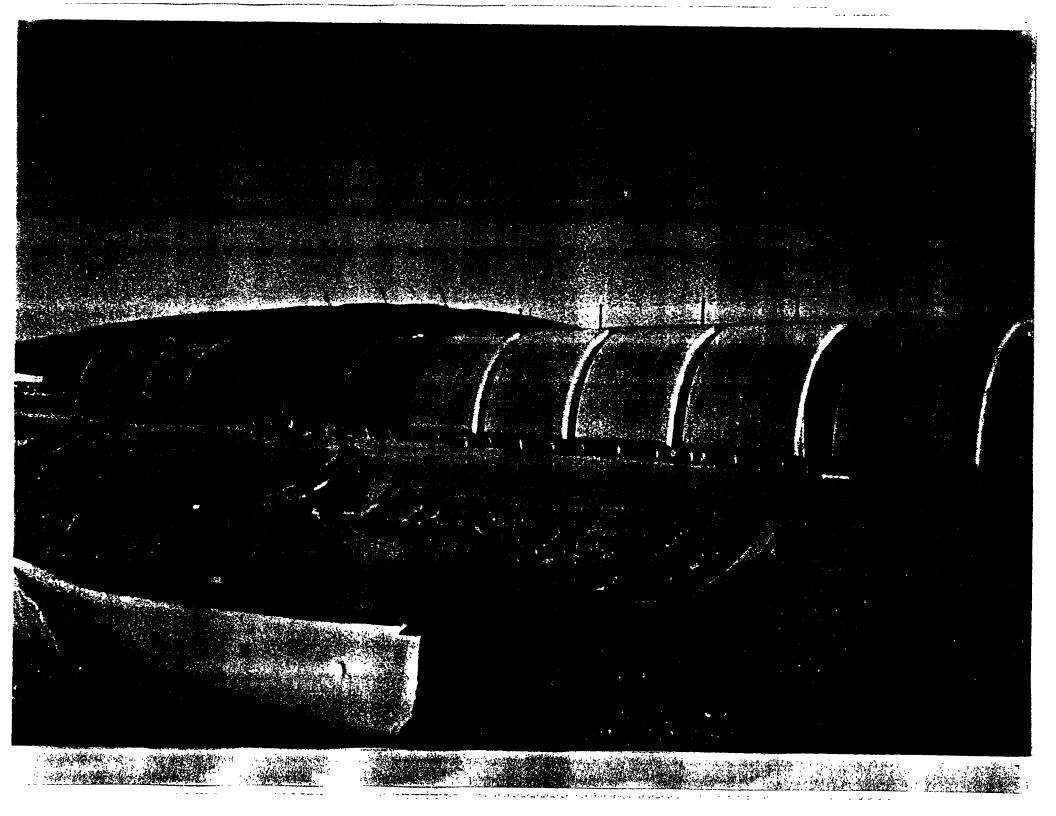
## CONCRETE SLAB AND PRECAST ENCLOSURE

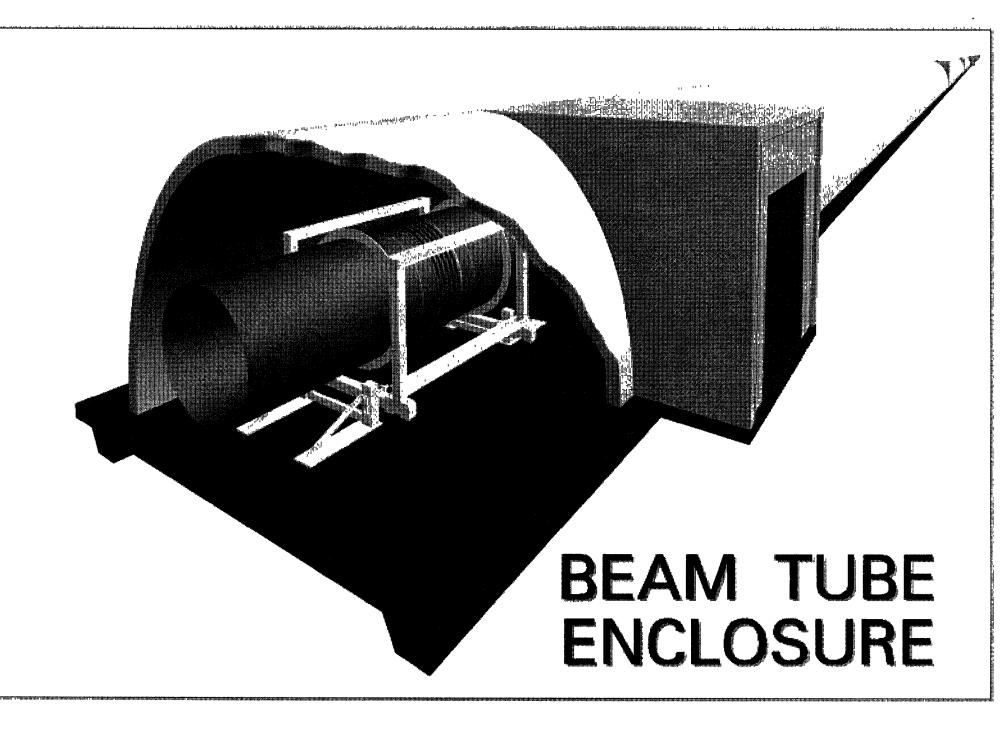
- CONSTRUCT APPROXIMATELY 5 MILES OF SERVICE ROAD, 20 FEET WIDE
- LAY 5 MILES OF PRECISION SLAB, 14 FEET WIDE, 8 INCHES THICK
- FABRICATE AND DELIVER 2600 PRECAST CONCRETE ENCLOSURES
- INSTALL ENCLOSURES OVER THE BEAM TUBE, GROUT AND SEAL

## **ENCLOSURE INSTALLATION**

- WILL PROPOSE THE SAME APPROACH AS WE ARE PURSUING IN HANFORD, I.E. "JUST IN TIME DELIVERY"
- FABRICATION CONTRACTOR IS ALSO RESPONSIBLE FOR INSTALLATION
- SINGLE CONTRACTOR SHOULD MAKE THIS APPROACH SIMPLER, NO "FINGER POINTING"
- CONTRACT INCLUDES SPECIAL PROVISION TO FACILITATE THIS APPROACH







## SOLICITATION PROCESS

#### ADVERTISEMENT

- ADVERTISED IN COMMERCE BUSINESS DAILY
- PLACED ADS IN MAJOR NEWSPAPERS FROM TEXAS TO GEORGIA
- CONTACTED IN EXCESS OF 400 LOCAL CONTRACTORS WITH INFORMATION FLYER

#### INDUSTRY BRIEFING

- CONDUCTED INDUSTRY BRIEFING ON AUGUST 6, 1996
- 70 CONTRACTORS ATTENDED

#### SLU SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CENTER

- PROVIDED SUPPORT CONDUCTING INDUSTRY BRIEFING
- COMPILED LIST OF LOCAL CONTRACTORS

## PROCUREMENT SCHEDULE

- PROCUREMENT
  - INVITATION FOR BID
  - PARALLEL PROCUREMENT PROCESS FOR BOTH IFBs
- ISSUE IFB
  - BID PACKAGES MAILED ON AUGUST 2, 1996
  - 92 BID HOLDERS
  - COST PER PACKAGE, \$200
- JOB WALK (CROWN STERLING SUITES HOTEL, BATON ROUGE)
  - AUGUST 29, 1996, 9:00AM FOR IFB-EJ-250
  - AUGUST 29, 1996 ,1:00PM FOR IFB-EJ-246
- BID DUE DATE (CROWN STERLING SUITES HOTEL, BATON ROUGE)
  - OCTOBER 15, 1996, 1:00 AND 2:00PM

## **BID ADDENDUM**

#### FOUR BID ADDENDUM WERE ISSUED

- » ADDENDUM NO 1
  - ADDED PREVAILING LABOR RATES FOR LOUISIANA
- » ADDENDUM NO 2
  - ADDED BEAM TUBE INSTALLATION PROVISION
  - RESPONSE TO QUESTIONS
- » ADDENDUM NO 3
  - ADDED MAINTENANCE OF BY-PASS ACCESS ROAD AND SERVICE ROADS
- » ADDENDUM NO 4
  - FINAL RESPONSE TO QUESTIONS

# BID RESULTS SLAB & PRECAST ENCLOSURES

| ORDER RECEIVED | BIDDER                         | BID PRICE        |
|----------------|--------------------------------|------------------|
| 1              | TECKNIT SHIELDING SYSTEMS      | NON-RESPONS      |
|                | PASSAIC, NJ                    |                  |
| 2              | ACME MATERIALS & CONSTRUCTION  | \$10,699,99.53   |
|                | SPOKANE, WA                    |                  |
| 3              | BOH BROTHERS CONSTRUCTION      | \$9,395,000.00   |
|                | BATON ROUGE, LA                |                  |
| 4              | WOODROW WILSON CONSTRUCTION CO | \$8,813,000.00   |
|                | BATON ROUGE, LA                |                  |
| 5              | HENSEL PHELPS CONSTRUCTION CO  | \$9,575,000.00   |
|                | LITTLE ROCK, AR                |                  |
|                |                                |                  |
| 6              | PARSONS                        | \$7,901.000.00   |
|                | PASADENA, CA                   | (\$8,838,660.00) |

# BID RESULTS BUILDINGS & INFRASTRUCTURE

| ORDER RECEIVED | BIDDER  | BID PRICE       |
|----------------|---|-----------------|
| 1              | HENSEL PHELPS CONSTRUCTION CO<br>LITTLE ROCK, AR  | \$13,455,000.00 |
| 2              | WOODROW WILSON CONSTRUCTION CO<br>BATON ROUGE, LA | \$14,530,000.00 |
| 3              | PARSONS<br>PASADENA, CA                           | \$13,495,000.00 |

## LIGO COST COMPARISON

| <u>WBS</u> | TASK DESCRIPTION   | <u>AMOUNT</u> |
|------------|--|---------------|
| 5C532      | SLAB AND BEAM TUBE ENCLOSURES WOODROW WILSON CONSTRUCTION CO | \$8,813,000   |
| 5D532      | BUILDING AND INFRASTRUCTURE HENSEL PHELPS CONSTRUCTION CO    | \$13,455,000  |
|            | TOTAL LIVINGSTON CONSTRUCTION                                | \$22,268,000  |
|            | LIGO COST BOOK (SAME SCOPE)                                  | \$22,510,000  |

## HENSEL PHELPS CONSTRUCTION

- BUILDING AND INFRASTRUCTURE
- DUN & BRADSTREET
  - RATED "GOOD" 4A2
  - STARTED 1960
  - SALES \$ 726 M
  - EMPLOYEES 1,500-2,500
  - HISTORY CLEAR
- LIGO EVALUATION
  - VISITED FACILITIES ON 11/7/96
  - REFERENCES GIVEN CHECKED OUT POSITIVE

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## WILSON CONSTRUCTION COMPANY

- CONCRETE SLAB AND PRECAST ENCLOSURE
- DUN & BRADSTREET
  - RATED "GOOD" 3A2
  - STARTED 1958
  - SALES \$ 30 M
  - EMPLOYEES 60-120
  - HISTORY CLEAR
- LIGO EVALUATION
  - VISITED FACILITIES ON 11/8/96
  - REFERENCES GIVEN CHECKED OUT POSITIVE

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## SCHEDULE

- FINAL SPECIFICATION AND RELEASE DRAWING ISSUED BY 11/15/96
- NOTICE OF AWARD 11/25/96
- PARTIAL NOTICE TO PROCEED 12/9/96
  - OFF SITE ACTIVITIES AND MOBILIZATION
- FINAL NOTICE TO PROCEED 2/1/97
  - ON SITE ACTIVITIES TO PROCEED
  - THIS DATE MAY BE EARLIER, DEPENDING ON FINAL SETTLEMENT DATA

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## **ACCESS PICTURE**

## **ACCESS TO SITE**

#### ACCESS ROAD

- PROVIDED BY THE STATE OF LOUISIANA
- CONSTRUCTION WAS DELAYED BY INTER DEPARTMENT ISSUES
- ESTIMATED TO BE COMPLETED BY MID 1997

#### BY-PASS ACCESS ROAD

- RIGHT OF WAY OVER WEYERHAEUSER PROPERTY PROVIDED BY THE STATE OF LOUISIANA
- UPGRADING OF ROAD BED FOR CONSTRUCTION PERFORMED BY THE STATE OF Louisiana
- MAINTENANCE OF ROAD (UNTIL COMPLETION OF ACCESS ROAD) IS LIGO CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITY
- COST OF MAINTENANCE IS INCLUDED IN CONTRACTOR SCOPE AND BID

### SURFACE ROAD ACCESS

- SCHEDULING OF ALL CONTRACTORS ASSURES MINIMUM INTERFERENCE ON SERVICE ROAD
- "JUST IN TIME DELIVERY" CONCEPT FOR BEAM TUBE ENCLOSURES WILL BE PURSUED TO OPTIMIZE THE AVAILABILITY OF THE SERVICE ROAD FOR OTHER NEEDS
- USE OF BY-PASS ROAD AND LOGGING ROADS ARE ALTERNATIVE APPROACHES TO BE USED IF NECESSARY