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July 4, 2018

Mr. Shane Silsby  
Director of Public Works  
County of Orange  
P O Box 4048  
Santa Ana, CA 92702-4048

Dear Mr. Silsby:

In accordance with Title 23 of the Code of Federal Regulations (Federal Highway Act) and the National Bridge Inspection Standards (NBIS), Caltrans Structure Maintenance and Investigations performed an inspection of 6 bridges under your jurisdiction. The type of inspection is indicated on the bridge report transmittal sheet. The bridges have been rated to indicate their deficiencies, structural adequacy, safe load carrying capacity and overall general condition.

Enclosed are copies of the Bridge Inspection Reports for the structures noted on the attached transmittal sheet. These reports contain descriptions of physical changes to the structures since the last inspection, recommendations for work to be done, and additional information not recorded in the previous Bridge Reports.

Your attention is directed to the requirements of Title 23, Part 650 of the Code of Federal Regulations, where newly completed structures or any modification of existing structures shall be entered in the inventory within 90 days. Please notify this office of any newly constructed bridge or culvert within your jurisdiction, more than 20 feet measured along the center of the roadway and carrying public vehicular traffic or over a public roadway, in order that it may be entered in the inventory of bridge structures in compliance with Federal requirements.

Should you have any questions regarding the enclosed Bridge Inspection Reports, please contact Bing Wu @ (213) 897-0874.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Ching Chao".

CHING CHAO  
Office Chief  
Structure Maintenance & Investigations - (Investigations-South)

Enclosures

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**Bridge Report Transmittal Sheet****Batch 41392****County of Orange**

| Bridge # | Bridge Name            | Location                  | Inspection |         | Outstanding |      |
|----------|------------------------|---------------------------|------------|---------|-------------|------|
|          |                        |                           | Date       | Type    | Work        | Cost |
| 55C0177  | SILVERADO CANYON CREEK | 4.4 MI. E/O SANTIAGO ROAD | 12/15/2017 | Routine | Y           | \$   |
| 55C0178  | SILVERADO CANYON CREEK | 4.9 MI. E/O SANTIAGO ROAD | 12/15/2017 | Routine | Y           | \$   |
| 55C0179  | SILVERADO CANYON CREEK | 5.4 MI E/O SANTIAGO CYN   | 12/15/2017 | Routine | Y           | \$   |
| 55C0181  | SILVERADO CANYON CREEK | 3.1 MI E/O SANTIAGO ROAD  | 12/15/2017 | Routine | Y           | \$   |
| 55C0182  | SILVERADO CANYON CREEK | 3.6 MI. E/O SANTIAGO ROAD | 12/15/2017 | Routine | Y           | \$   |
| 55C0183  | SILVERADO CANYON CREEK | 50' N/O SILVERADO CYN RD. | 12/15/2017 | Routine | N           | \$   |

**6** Bridge(s) in this Transmittal

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**WEB SITES:**

The National Bridge Inspection Standards (NBIS) Recording and Coding Guide for the Structure Inventory and Appraisal of the Nation's Bridges, Element Level Inspection, Structure Maintenance and Investigations Manuals, Local Assistance Program Guidelines and other related information are posted on Division of Maintenance, Structure Maintenance and Investigations; Division of Local Assistance, Local Highway Bridge Program (HBP) and FHWA websites.

The websites can be accessed at:

1. "Caltrans Structure Maintenance and Investigations" <http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/structur/strmaint/>
2. "Caltrans Division of Local Assistance"  
<http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/LocalPrograms/hbrr99/hbrr99a.htm>
3. "FHWA" <http://www.fhwa.dot.gov/BRIDGE/mtguide.pdf>

**Inspection Type Definitions****Routine Inspection:**

Routine Inspections consist of both the initial Inventory Inspection (the first inspection of the bridge that places it in the bridge inventory or when there has been a change in the configuration of the structure) and subsequent regularly scheduled inspections. The initial inspection provides all the Structural Inventory & Appraisal (SI&A) data required by federal and state regulations, determines the baseline structural conditions, lists any existing problems, and establishes the load capacity of the structure. Subsequent inspections consist of observations, measurements needed to determine the physical and functional condition of the bridge, to identify any changes from the previously recorded conditions, and verification of its load capacity. These inspections are generally conducted from the deck, ground and/or water level, and from permanent work platforms and walkways, if present. Inspection of underwater portions of the substructure is limited to observations during low-flow periods and/or probing for signs of undermining. Special equipment should be utilized in circumstances where its use provides the only practical access to areas of the structure.

**Fracture Critical, Special Feature & Underwater Inspections:**

Fracture Critical, Special Feature, and Underwater Inspections are up close, hands-on inspections of one or more members above or below the water level to identify any deficiencies not readily detectable using Routine Inspection procedures. These inspections generally require special equipment such as under-bridge inspection equipment, manlifts, boats, traffic control, and railroad flagging. Personnel with special skills such as divers or structural steel inspectors trained in non-destructive testing techniques may be required.

**Other Inspections:**

Other Inspections are conducted on damaged structures, structures that have developed specific problems, or structures suspected of developing problems. The scope of these investigations should be sufficient to determine the need for emergency load restrictions or closure of the structure, monitor a changing condition, and to assess the level of effort necessary to effect a repair.



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Bridge Number : 55C0181  
Facility Carried: SILVERADO CANYON RD.  
Location : 3.1 MI E/O SANTIAGO ROAD  
City :  
Inspection Date : 12/15/2017

# Bridge Inspection Report

Inspection Type  
Routine ☒ FC ☐ Underwater ☐ Special ☐ Other ☐

**STRUCTURE NAME:** SILVERADO CANYON CREEK

## CONSTRUCTION INFORMATION

Year Built : 1970 Skew (degrees): 59  
Year Modified: N/A No. of Joints : 0  
Length (m) : 14 No. of Hinges : 0

Structure Description: Single span CIP/RC rigid frame slab, all supported upon spread footings.

Span Configuration : (W) 20.00 ft (E) clear, normal

## SAFE LOAD CAPACITY AND RATINGS

Design Live Load: UNKNOWN  
Inventory Rating: RF=0.75 =>24.3 metric tons Calculation Method: FIELD EVAL/ENG JUDGMENT  
Operating Rating: RF=1.25 =>40.5 metric tons Calculation Method: FIELD EVAL/ENG JUDGMENT  
Permit Rating : PPPPP  
Posting Load : Type 3: Legal Type 3S2: Legal Type 3-3: Legal

## DESCRIPTION ON STRUCTURE

Deck X-Section: (S) 2.00 ft min PCC deck, 1.00 ft br, 27.00 ft, 1.00 ft br, 2.00 ft min deck (N)

Total Width: 8.2 m Net Width: 7.3 m No. of Lanes: 2 Speed: 25 mph  
Min. Vertical Clearance: Unimpaired Overlay Thickness: 3.0 inches

Rail Code: 0000

| Rail Type     | Location   | Length (ft) | Rail Modifications |
|---------------|------------|-------------|--------------------|
| Miscellaneous | Right/Left | 124         |                    |

## DESCRIPTION UNDER STRUCTURE

Channel Description: Natural earth trapezoidal with a cobbled bottom.

## NOTICE

The bridge inspection condition assessment used for this inspection is based on the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO) Bridge Element Inspection Manual 2013 as defined in Moving Ahead for Progress in the 21st Century (MAP-21) federal law. The new element inspection methodology may result in changes to related condition and appraisal ratings on the bridge without significant physical changes at the bridge.

The element condition information contained in this report represents the current condition of the bridge based on the most recent routine and special inspections. Some of the notes presented below may be from an inspection that occurred prior to the date noted in this report. Refer to the Scope and Access section of this inspection report for a description of which portions of the bridge were inspected on this date.

## INSPECTION COMMENTARY

### SCOPE AND ACCESS

This inspection was performed by walking on the bridge shoulders and deck, and under the span. A full visual inspection is performed for the visible substructure elements. The water in the channel was 8 inches deep at the easterly side at the time of the inspection. Inspection access is from the east side and southwest quadrants.

**INSPECTION COMMENTARY**

The bridge deck was inspected on 12/15/2017 and the underside elements were inspected on 2/8/2018.

**MISCELLANEOUS**

Ten year routine underside photograph was taken during this inspection and is included with this report. (see the attached photo no. 4)

**SAFE LOAD CAPACITY**

A Load Rating Summary Sheet dated 04/30/2018 is on file for this structure. As-built plans are not available for this bridge. The load rating was assigned in accordance with Section 5.10 of the SM&I Inspection Procedure Manual and Article 6.1.4 of the AASHTO Manual for Bridge Evaluation (2018, Third Edition).

**ELEMENT INSPECTION RATINGS AND COMMENTARY**

| Elem No.  | Defect /Prot | Defect | Element Description          | Env | Total Qty | Units | Qty in each Condition State | St. 1 | St. 2 | St. 3 | St. 4 |
|---|--------------|--------|------------------------------|-----|-----------|-------|-----------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 38  |              |        | Slab-RC                      | 2   | 434       | sq.m  | 394                         | 30    | 10    | 0     | 0     |
|   | 1120         |        | Efflorescence/Rust Staining  | 2   | 20        |       | 0                           | 15    | 5     | 0     | 0     |
|   | 1130         |        | Cracking (RC and Other)      | 2   | 20        |       | 0                           | 15    | 5     | 0     | 0     |
|   | 510          |        | Deck Wearing Surface-Asphalt | 2   | 102       | sq.m  | 102                         | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     |
| (38-1120)   |              |        |                              |     |           |       |                             |       |       |       |       |
| The soffit exhibits five full length longitudinal cracks from abutment to abutment with white and brown efflorescence. (see the attached photo no. 3) |              |        |                              |     |           |       |                             |       |       |       |       |
| (38-1130)   |              |        |                              |     |           |       |                             |       |       |       |       |
| The north bare deck portion has few transverse cracks, up to 0.04 inches wide and 10 feet long.   |              |        |                              |     |           |       |                             |       |       |       |       |
| (38-510)  |              |        |                              |     |           |       |                             |       |       |       |       |
| There were no significant defects noted.  |              |        |                              |     |           |       |                             |       |       |       |       |
| 215   |              |        | Abutment-RC                  | 3   | 60        | m     | 52                          | 8     | 0     | 0     | 0     |
|   | 1130         |        | Cracking (RC and Other)      | 3   | 8         |       | 0                           | 8     | 0     | 0     | 0     |
| (215-1130)  |              |        |                              |     |           |       |                             |       |       |       |       |
| There are ten vertical cracks at each abutment wall, up to 0.05 inches wide.  |              |        |                              |     |           |       |                             |       |       |       |       |
| 220   |              |        | Pile Cap/Footing-RC          | 2   | 12        | m     | 0                           | 12    | 0     | 0     | 0     |
|   | 6000         |        | Scour                        | 2   | 12        |       | 0                           | 12    | 0     | 0     | 0     |
| (220-6000)  |              |        |                              |     |           |       |                             |       |       |       |       |
| The west abutment has 20 feet of exposed footings, up to 15 inches deep at the west end.  |              |        |                              |     |           |       |                             |       |       |       |       |
| The east abutment has 20 feet of exposed footings, up to 6" deep at south end and mid-length.   |              |        |                              |     |           |       |                             |       |       |       |       |
| 333   |              |        | Railing-Other                | 2   | 38        | m     | 31                          | 2     | 4     | 1     | 1     |
|   | 1020         |        | Connection                   | 2   | 1         |       | 0                           | 0     | 0     | 1     | 1     |
|   | 1220         |        | Deterioration (Other)        | 2   | 6         |       | 0                           | 2     | 4     | 0     | 0     |

(333-1020)

South rail has two missing timber posts #3 and #7 (counting from west), and the metal beam is bent between posts 6 and 8. (see the attached photo no. 2)

**ELEMENT INSPECTION RATINGS AND COMMENTARY**

| Elem No. | Defect /Prot | Element Description | Env | Total Qty | Units Qty in each Condition | State |
|----------|--------------|---------------------|-----|-----------|-----------------------------|-------|
|          |              |                     |     |           | St. 1 St. 2 St. 3 St. 4     |       |

(333-1220)

Post #8 (counting from west) was decayed and has section loss at the south rail.

At the north rail, posts #3, #4, #6 and #7 (counting from west) are decayed from to the top. (see the attached photo no. 1)

**WORK RECOMMENDATIONS**

RecDate: 12/15/2017

EstCost:

Replace the missing two missing timber posts #3 and #7 (counting from west) at the south rail.

Action : Railing-Repair

StrTarget: 1 YEAR

Work By: LOCAL AGENCY

DistTarget:

Status : PROPOSED

EA:

Team Leader : Ashraf Shenouda

Report Author : Ashraf Shenouda

Inspected By : A.Shenouda/KD.Henderson

Ashraf Shenouda (Registered Civil Engineer) (Date)

6/27/18



# **STRUCTURE INVENTORY AND APPRAISAL REPORT**

## \*\*\*\*\* IDENTIFICATION \*\*\*\*\*

(1) STATE NAME- CALIFORNIA 069  
 (8) STRUCTURE NUMBER 55C0181  
 (5) INVENTORY ROUTE(ON/UNDER)- ON 140000000  
 (2) HIGHWAY AGENCY DISTRICT 12  
 (3) COUNTY CODE 059 (4) PLACE CODE 00000  
 (6) FEATURE INTERSECTED- SILVERADO CANYON CREEK  
 (7) FACILITY CARRIED- SILVERADO CANYON RD.  
 (9) LOCATION- 3.1 MI E/O SANTIAGO ROAD  
 (11) MILEPOINT/KILOMETERPOINT 0  
 (12) BASE HIGHWAY NETWORK- NOT ON NET 0  
 (13) LRS INVENTORY ROUTE & SUBROUTE  
 (16) LATITUDE 33 DEG 44 MIN 49.79 SEC  
 (17) LONGITUDE 117 DEG 37 MIN 23.53 SEC  
 (98) BORDER BRIDGE STATE CODE % SHARE %  
 (99) BORDER BRIDGE STRUCTURE NUMBER

## \*\*\*\*\* STRUCTURE TYPE AND MATERIAL \*\*\*\*\*

(43) STRUCTURE TYPE MAIN:MATERIAL- CONCRETE  
 TYPE- SLAB CODE 101  
 (44) STRUCTURE TYPE APPR:MATERIAL- OTHER/NA  
 TYPE- OTHER/NA CODE 000  
 (45) NUMBER OF SPANS IN MAIN UNIT 1  
 (46) NUMBER OF APPROACH SPANS 0  
 (107) DECK STRUCTURE TYPE- CIP CONCRETE CODE 1  
 (108) WEARING SURFACE / PROTECTIVE SYSTEM:  
 A) TYPE OF WEARING SURFACE- BITUMINOUS CODE 6  
 B) TYPE OF MEMBRANE- NONE CODE 0  
 C) TYPE OF DECK PROTECTION- NONE CODE 0

## \*\*\*\*\* AGE AND SERVICE \*\*\*\*\*

(27) YEAR BUILT 1970  
 (106) YEAR RECONSTRUCTED 0000  
 (42) TYPE OF SERVICE: ON- HIGHWAY 1  
 UNDER- WATERWAY 5  
 (28) LANES:ON STRUCTURE 02 UNDER STRUCTURE 00  
 (29) AVERAGE DAILY TRAFFIC 2000  
 (30) YEAR OF ADT 2009 (109) TRUCK ADT 1 %  
 (19) BYPASS, DETOUR LENGTH 199 KM

## \*\*\*\*\* GEOMETRIC DATA \*\*\*\*\*

(48) LENGTH OF MAXIMUM SPAN 6.1 M  
 (49) STRUCTURE LENGTH 14.0 M  
 (50) CURB OR SIDEWALK: LEFT 0.0 M RIGHT 0.0 M  
 (51) BRIDGE ROADWAY WIDTH CURB TO CURB 7.3 M  
 (52) DECK WIDTH OUT TO OUT 8.2 M  
 (32) APPROACH ROADWAY WIDTH (W/SHOULDERS) 8.2 M  
 (33) BRIDGE MEDIAN- NO MEDIAN 0  
 (34) SKEW 59 DEG (35) STRUCTURE FLARED NO  
 (10) INVENTORY ROUTE MIN VERT CLEAR 99.99 M  
 (47) INVENTORY ROUTE TOTAL HORIZ CLEAR 7.3 M  
 (53) MIN VERT CLEAR OVER BRIDGE RDWY 99.99 M  
 (54) MIN VERT UNDERCLEAR REF- NOT H/RR 0.00 M  
 (55) MIN LAT UNDERCLEAR RT REF- NOT H/RR 0.0 M  
 (56) MIN LAT UNDERCLEAR LT 0.0 M

## \*\*\*\*\* NAVIGATION DATA \*\*\*\*\*

(38) NAVIGATION CONTROL- NOT APPLICABLE CODE N  
 (111) PIER PROTECTION- CODE  
 (39) NAVIGATION VERTICAL CLEARANCE 0.0 M  
 (116) VERT-LIFT BRIDGE NAV MIN VERT CLEAR M  
 (40) NAVIGATION HORIZONTAL CLEARANCE 0.0 M

## \*\*\*\*\* SUFFICIENCY RATING \*\*\*\*\*

SUFFICIENCY RATING = 49.5

STATUS

HEALTH INDEX 95.4

PAINT CONDITION INDEX = N/A

## \*\*\*\*\* CLASSIFICATION \*\*\*\*\*

|  | CODE |
|--|------|
| (112) NBIS BRIDGE LENGTH- YES                  | Y    |
| (104) HIGHWAY SYSTEM- NOT ON NHS               | 0    |
| (26) FUNCTIONAL CLASS- COLLECTOR URBAN         | 17   |
| (100) DEFENSE HIGHWAY- NOT STRAHNET            | 0    |
| (101) PARALLEL STRUCTURE- NONE EXISTS          | N    |
| (102) DIRECTION OF TRAFFIC- 2 WAY              | 2    |
| (103) TEMPORARY STRUCTURE-                     |      |
| (105) FED.LANDS HWY- NOT APPLICABLE            | 0    |
| (110) DESIGNATED NATIONAL NETWORK - NOT ON NET | 0    |
| (20) TOLL- ON FREE ROAD                        | 3    |
| (21) MAINTAIN- COUNTY HIGHWAY AGENCY           | 02   |
| (22) OWNER- COUNTY HIGHWAY AGENCY              | 02   |
| (37) HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE- NOT ELIGIBLE     | 5    |

## \*\*\*\*\* CONDITION \*\*\*\*\*

|                                   | CODE |
|-----------------------------------|------|
| (58) DECK                         | 7    |
| (59) SUPERSTRUCTURE               | 7    |
| (60) SUBSTRUCTURE                 | 5    |
| (61) CHANNEL & CHANNEL PROTECTION | 8    |
| (62) CULVERTS                     | N    |

## \*\*\*\*\* LOAD RATING AND POSTING \*\*\*\*\*

|  | CODE |
|--|------|
| (31) DESIGN LOAD- UNKNOWN                          | 0    |
| (63) OPERATING RATING METHOD- FIELD EVAL/ENG JUD   | 0    |
| (64) OPERATING RATING-                             | 40.5 |
| (65) INVENTORY RATING METHOD- FIELD EVAL/ENG JUD   | 0    |
| (66) INVENTORY RATING-                             | 24.3 |
| (70) BRIDGE POSTING- EQUAL TO OR ABOVE LEGAL LOADS | 5    |
| (41) STRUCTURE OPEN, POSTED OR CLOSED-             | A    |
| DESCRIPTION- OPEN, NO RESTRICTION                  |      |

## \*\*\*\*\* APPRAISAL \*\*\*\*\*

|   | CODE |
|---|------|
| (67) STRUCTURAL EVALUATION                  | 5    |
| (68) DECK GEOMETRY                          | 4    |
| (69) UNDERCLEARANCES, VERTICAL & HORIZONTAL | N    |
| (71) WATER ADEQUACY                         | 8    |
| (72) APPROACH ROADWAY ALIGNMENT             | 8    |
| (36) TRAFFIC SAFETY FEATURES                | 0000 |
| (113) SCOUR CRITICAL BRIDGES                | 8    |

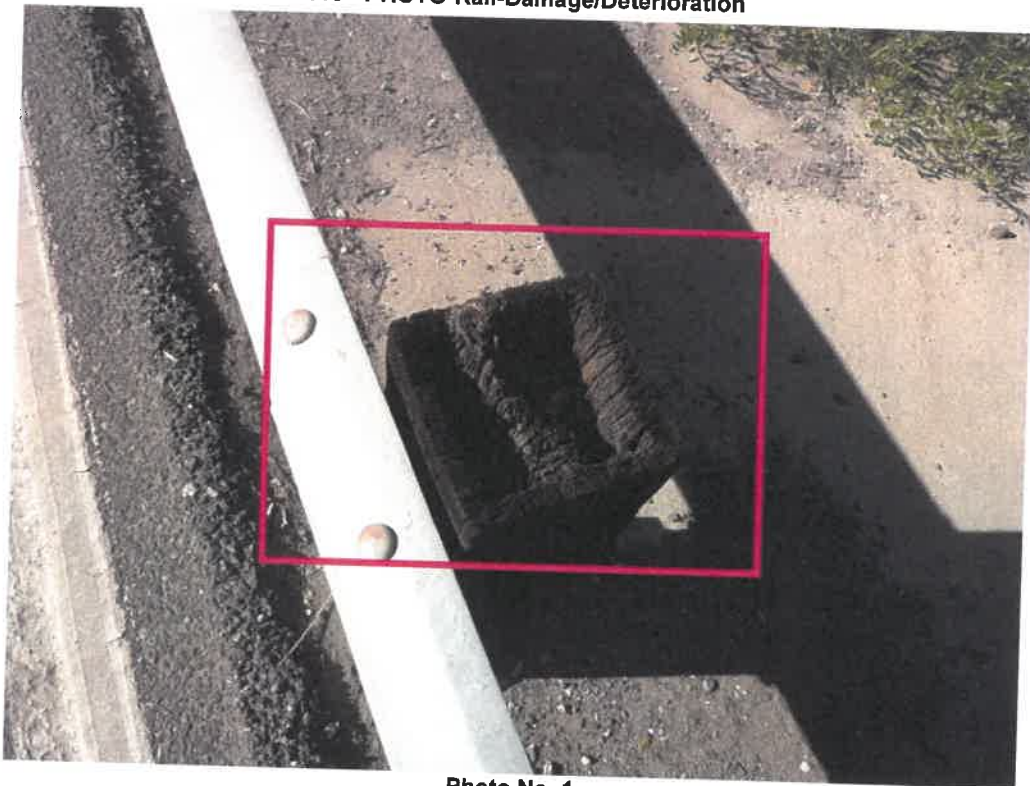
## \*\*\*\*\* PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS \*\*\*\*\*

|  | CODE |
|--|------|
| (75) TYPE OF WORK-                     |      |
| (76) LENGTH OF STRUCTURE IMPROVEMENT   | M    |
| (94) BRIDGE IMPROVEMENT COST           |      |
| (95) ROADWAY IMPROVEMENT COST          |      |
| (96) TOTAL PROJECT COST                |      |
| (97) YEAR OF IMPROVEMENT COST ESTIMATE |      |
| (114) FUTURE ADT                       | 4204 |
| (115) YEAR OF FUTURE ADT               | 2035 |

## \*\*\*\*\* INSPECTIONS \*\*\*\*\*

| (90) INSPECTION DATE              | 12/17 | (91) FREQUENCY | 24 MO |
|-----------------------------------|-------|----------------|-------|
| (92) CRITICAL FEATURE INSPECTION: |       | (93) CFI DATE  |       |
| A) FRACTURE CRIT DETAIL-          | NO    | MO             | A)    |
| B) UNDERWATER INSP-               | NO    | MO             | B)    |
| C) OTHER SPECIAL INSP-            | NO    | MO             | C)    |

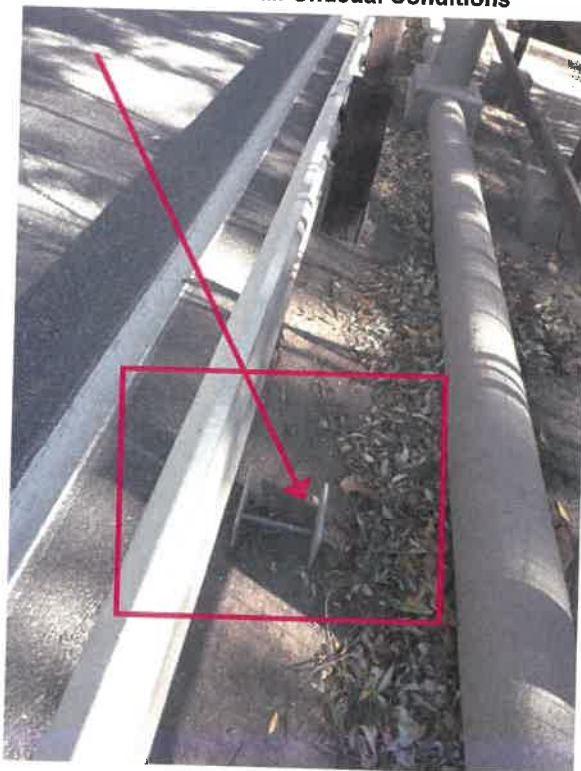
**119 - PHOTO-Rail-Damage/Deterioration**



**Photo No. 1**

At the north rail, posts #3, #4, #6 and #7 are decayed from to the top.

**121 - PHOTO-Rail-Unusual Conditions**



**Photo No. 2**



3.1 MI E/O SANTIAGO ROAD

## SILVERADO CANYON CREEK

12/15/2017 [AAAK]

55C0181

102 - PHOTO-Deck-Damage/Deterioration

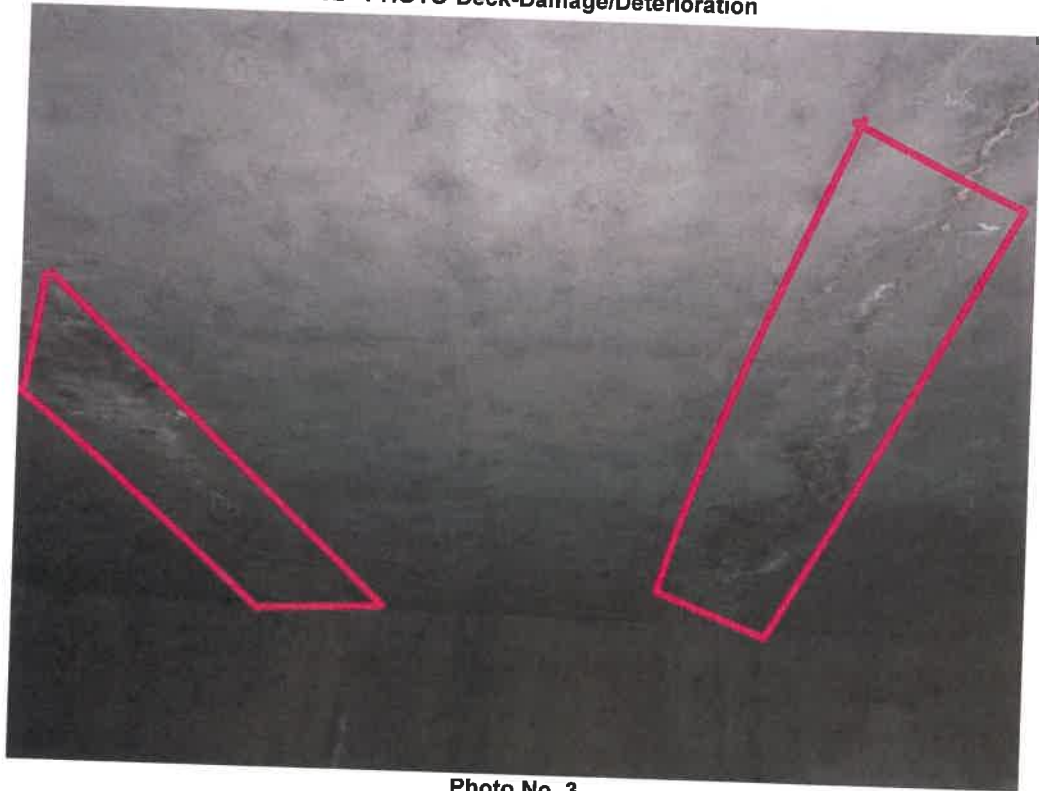


Photo No. 3

South rail has two missing timber posts #3 and #7 (counting from west).

135 - PHOTO-Routine-Underside View



Photo No. 4

Underside view looking South.