





INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

June 4, 2019

TO: Master Files

FROM:  John Fleming, Division Head, Environmental Division 

SUBJECT: Job Number 012340
FAP Number NHFP-555-1(2)0
I-55 – Hwy. 149 (S)
Route 55, Sections 1 & 2
Crittenden & Poinsett Counties
Re-evaluation

A Tier 1 Categorical Exclusion was completed for Job Numbers 100594 and 110675 on August 16, 2018. Since that time, the projects were combined and the new job number and name are indicated in the subject line above. Additional changes also include rehabilitation of 15 bridges. A project location map is attached.

The Environmental Division has reviewed these changes, and no additional environmental impacts were identified. A cultural resources clearance and a checklist of all potential environmental impacts is attached.

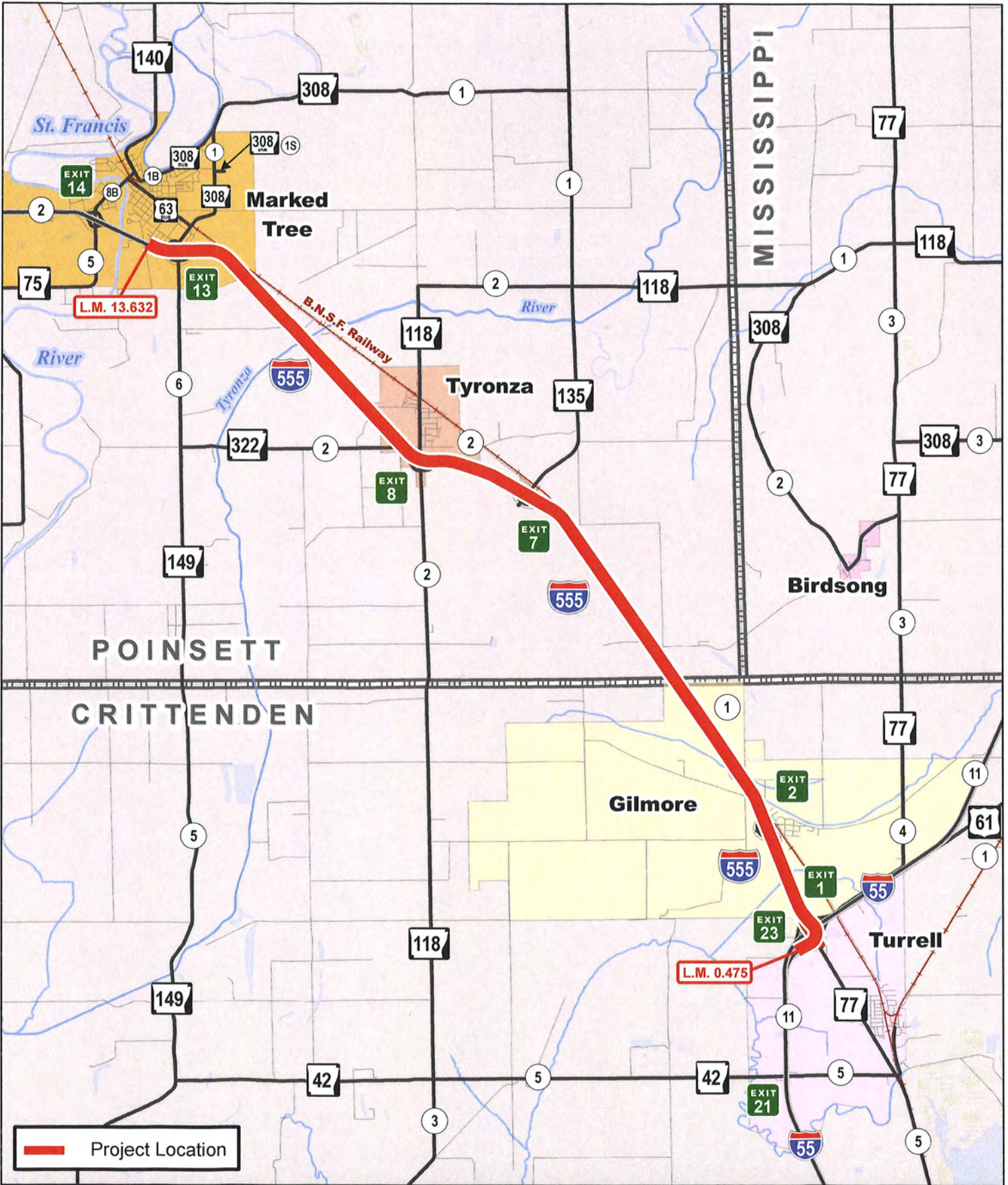
This project will remain a Tier 1 Categorical Exclusion as defined by the ARDOT/FHWA Memorandum of Agreement on the processing of Categorical Exclusions.

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Attachments:

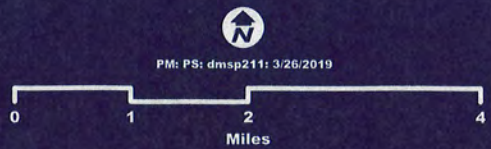
- Location Map
- Cultural Resources Clearance
- Environmental Checklist

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Right of Way
Roadway Design
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I-55 - Hwy. 149 (S)
 I-555, Secs. 1 & 2
 Crittenden & Poinsett Counties



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INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

May 22, 2019

TO: Job File

FROM: Jason Eads, Cultural Resources

SUBJECT: Cultural Resources Clearance-Previously Approved
Job Number 012340
I-55 - Hwy. 149 (S)
Route 555, Sections 1 and 2
Crittenden and Poinsett County

This job proposes to mill and inlay, overlay, apply ultrathin bonded wearing course (UTBWC), perform hydro-demolition on a few bridges, and fog seal shoulders on an existing 12.98 miles of road surface with asphalt pavement on Interstate 555, from I-55 in Crittenden County to Hwy. 149 in Marked Tree, Poinsett County. This project is a combination of two previously approved jobs, 100954 and 110675. Both projects originally fell under AHTD Job 012267 and were approved by SHPO on November 18, 2016. This project is subject to the 1999 MOA and falls under the exempted Work Category "Resurfacing." The project is not considered an undertaking and requires no further work or Section 106 review.

**ARDOT ENVIRONMENTAL VERIFICATION CHECKLIST
FOR CONSIDERATION OF POTENTIAL IMPACTS**

ARDOT Job Number 012340 FAP Number NHFP-555-1(2)0

Job Title I-55 – Hwy. 149 (S)

Environmental Resource	None	Minimal	Major	Comments-required for each item
Air Quality	X			No impacts anticipated
Cultural Resources	X			None in project area
Economic	X			Will not be impacted by project
Endangered Species	X			None indicated in project area
Environmental Justice/Title VI	X			No protected populations in project area
Fish and Wildlife	X			No impacts expected
Floodplains	X			None occur in project area
Forest Service Property	X			None in project area
Hazardous Materials/Landfills	X			No sites in project area
Land Use	X			Will not be impacted by project
Migratory Birds	X			No structures with nests
Navigation/Coast Guard	X			No navigable waterways involved
Noise Levels	X			No increases due to project
Prime Farmland	X			None in project area
Protected Waters	X			None occur in project area
Public Recreation Lands	X			Wellhead Protection SP
Public Water Supply/WHPA	X			No public water supplies in project area
Relocatees	X			No relocations
Section 4(f)/6(f)	X			4f resources not present
Social	X			No impacts to the social environment
Underground Storage Tanks	X			No USTs in project area
Visual	X			No changes to visual environment
Streams	X			None in project area
Water Quality	X			Water Pollution Control SP & Hydro-Demolition SP
Wetlands	X			None in project area
Wildlife Refuges	X			None in the area

Section 401 Water Quality Certification Required? No

Short-term Activity Authorization Required? No

Section 404 Permit Required? No Type _____

Remarks: _____

Signature of Evaluator John Baber Date 5/30/19