SAN PEDRO CREEK
IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT
SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING
JUNE 11, 2015
Design Activity Update

• Past Month:
  – May 30: Third public outreach
  – June 3: Approved start of the Historic American Engineering Record (HAER Level III) documentation of existing project features
  – June 9: Initial project accessibility review
  – Ongoing:
    – Design for 70% project milestone (primary focus)
    – Coordination of property donations, right of way, City of San Antonio focus items
    – Coordination of utility relocations
Future Dates

• July 2: Start of cost estimating and quality control reviews
• July 31: Delivery of 70% documents to SARA and Bexar County
• August: Approval of 70% and start of 90% design
HAER Level III Documentation

• Project falls under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act and under the National Environmental Policy Act

• Adverse impacts to resources that are potentially eligible for listing on the National Register require proper documentation prior to the impacts

• This documentation consists of the completion of Historic American Engineering Record (HAER) and photographic documentation
Potentially Eligible Resources

- Approximately 49 percent of the channel retaining walls—stone masonry—are potentially eligible for listing on the NRHP.

- Four vehicular bridges and four multi-purpose service bridges are potentially eligible for listing on the NRHP:
  Vehicular: W. Houston, W. Nueva, Graham, and SA&AP RR bridge over Nogalitos
  Footbridges: Houston-Commerce (2); Commerce-Dolorosa (2).
Retaining wall segments

Martin - Salinas--West Bank—Santa Rosa-Martin West Bank
Bridges

Multi-purpose bridge south of Commerce

Vehicular bridge at W. Nueva
Current Cultural Resources Activities

- Coordinating with USACE and National Park Service regarding HAER Level III documentation strategies and methods

- Drafting the Memorandum of Agreement that will codify the potentially eligible historic resources that will be adversely impacted as a result of the project, and the necessary mitigation efforts to document them prior to the adverse impacts

- Coordinating with HAER experts to conduct the documentation of the historic resources that will be adversely impacted
Task 1. LIDAR scanning and Point Cloud Production
       June 22-July 17

Task 2. Photo documentation of walls and bridges
       June 22-July 31

Task 3. HAER Architectural Drawings
       June 22-Aug 31

Task 4. First draft of HAER Documentation
       June 22-Sept 30

Task 5. Submission of first draft to SARA/BC
       OOB -Oct 31

Task 6. Submission of Revised Package to SARA/BC
       OOB-Dec 1

Task 7. Submission of Final package to SARA/BC,
       COSAOHP, THC, and NPS
       OOB – January 31, ‘16