

**Table B.1-5. Permits that May Be Required for the Proposed Downs Substation Expansion Project**

Agency	Jurisdiction	Requirements
Federal/State Agencies		
California Department of Transportation	Highways and State-owned roadways	Transportation Permit for movement of vehicles that may qualify as an oversized or excessive load (if required)
California Office of Historic Preservation	Consultation (through CEQA review process)	Cultural resources management (if appropriate)

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Regional Water Quality Control Board (RWQCB) – Lahontan Region	National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System, Construction General Permit Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP)	Submittal of Notice of Intent (NOI) to Regional Board and preparation of SWPPP
RWQCB – Lahontan Region	Spill Prevention Control and Countermeasure (SPCC) for mineral oil in transformers	Calculation of containment requirements and system design
California Department of Fish and Game	Endangered species consultation	Consultation on State-listed species; possible impacts to threatened and endangered species
<b>Local/Regional Agencies</b>		
City of Ridgecrest	Building and Grading Permits and Safety Requirements	Ministerial approval for construction of new facilities
City of Ridgecrest	Roadway Encroachment and/or Transportation Permit	Ministerial approval for possible closure of roads for transportation of heavy or oversized equipment and construction of facilities within public roadway right-of-way
Kern County	Roadway Encroachment and/or Transportation Permit	Ministerial approval for possible closure of roads for transportation of heavy or oversized equipment and construction of facilities within public roadway right-of-way
San Bernardino County	Roadway Encroachment and/or Transportation Permit	Ministerial approval for possible closure of roads for transportation of heavy or oversized equipment and construction of facilities within public roadway right-of-way