Question 26-02:

Forecast year assumptions

The following phases were analyzed in the analysis:

a. Phase 1: 2016-2018 - Forecast Year 2016 With-Project Phase 1 Construction Traffic


Please describe why the starting year of each phase was used in the analysis instead of the end year.

Response to Question 26-02:

In response to this question, the following language has been added to page 3, paragraph 3:

“The forecast years were selected based on the highest anticipated volume of construction traffic associated with that phase. In the instance of Phase 1, the phase is anticipated to be completed between the 2nd quarter of 2016 and the 4th quarter of 2018 with the highest volume of construction related traffic occurring during 2016. Similarly, the highest volume of construction traffic associated with phase 2 is anticipated to occur during 2018, and the highest construction traffic associated with phase 3 is anticipated to occur during 2019.”