TRANSPORTATION POOLED FUND PROGRAM
QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT

Lead Agency (FHWA or State DOT): FHWA - Office of Bridge Technology and California Division

INSTRUCTIONS:
Project Managers and/or research project investigators should complete a quarterly progress report for each calendar quarter during which the projects are active. Please provide a project schedule status of the research activities tied to each task that is defined in the proposal; a percentage completion of each task; a concise discussion (2 or 3 sentences) of the current status, including accomplishments and problems encountered, if any. List all tasks, even if no work was done during this period.

Transportation Pooled Fund Program Project # *(i.e, SPR-2(XXX), SPR-3(XXX) or TPF-5(XXX)* TPF-5(263)		**Transportation Pooled Fund Program - Report Period:** ☐ Quarter 1 (January 1 – March 31) ☐ Quarter 2 (April 1 – June 30) ☑ Quarter 3 (July 1 – September 30) ☐ Quarter 4 (October 1 – December 31)
Project Title: A Peer Exchange and Review of Deep Foundation Testing Methodologies at Caltrans		
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Lead Agency Project ID:	**Other Project ID (i.e., contract #):**	**Project Start Date:** Sept. 5, 2012 - kick off meeting date
Original Project End Date: January, 2013	**Current Project End Date:** January, 2013	**Number of Extensions:** 0

Project schedule status:

☑ On schedule ☐ On revised schedule ☐ Ahead of schedule ☐ Behind schedule

Overall Project Statistics:

Total Project Budget	Total Cost to Date for Project	Percentage of Work Completed to Date
$150,000	no bill recieved	5%

Quarterly Project Statistics:

Total Project Expenses and Percentage This Quarter	Total Amount of Funds Expended This Quarter	Total Percentage of Time Used to Date
-	$150,000	5%

Project Description:

The contract was awarded to DRT Strategies. The technical consultants and report writer have been notified. On September 5, 2012 a kickoff meeting webinar was held for all project participants. On September 17, 2012 a Gamma-Gamma Logging (GGL) the first webinar was held. There are a total of three face to face meetings for the peer review portion of the review. They are scheduled for the weeks of September 24, and October 1 and 29, 2012. The GGL review team will have a series of up to five webinars and one face to face meeting. The face to face meeting will be held on September 27, 2012. The remaining four GGL webinars have yet to be scheduled.

Progress this Quarter (includes meetings, work plan status, contract status, significant progress, etc.):

The contract was signed in August with DRT Strategies. Two webinar meetings have been held - Sept. 5, 2012 and Sept. 17, 2012.

Anticipated work next quarter:

The remaining review team meetings will be held. A draft report on both the peer review and the gamma-gamma logging (GGL) review will be start.

Significant Results:

The contract is signed and work is underway.

Circumstance affecting project or budget. (Please describe any challenges encountered or anticipated that might affect the completion of the project within the time, scope and fiscal constraints set forth in the agreement, along with recommended solutions to those problems).

The project budget was increased from the original cost of $120,000 to $150,000.

Potential Implementation:

Review report recommendations will be addressed and an implementation plan developed to ensure follow up occurs.