

October 13, 2023

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**Subject:** Segment 1 - Purple Line Extension Project ICM Weekly Report

**September 24, 2023 – September 30, 2023** 

Dear Ms. Chung and Mr. DeMello,

Environmental Intelligence, LLC (EI) has been retained by the City of Beverly Hills (COBH) and the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority (Metro) to serve as the independent compliance monitor (ICM) during construction of the Purple Line Extension Project. Monitoring is required to ensure construction is in compliance with the MOA for Contract C1045 of the Purple Line Extension Project – Segment 1 – Between the City of Beverly Hills and the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority (City Agreement No. 66-16). The following information summarizes the ICM monitoring activities that occurred at the Segment 1 site (La Cienega Station site) during the week of September 24, 2023 – September 30, 2023.

Construction activities during the week included: implementing and removing various lane closures throughout the site; placing concrete within the construction yards; preparing and placing concrete for the curb and gutter installation on Wilshire Blvd. between Tower Dr. and La Cienega Blvd.; transitional grinding and pavement recycling on Wilshire Blvd. between Tower Dr. and La Cienega Blvd.; hauling out grindings from the closures on Wilshire Blvd.; hauling out concrete debris from the N. Gale yard; placing slurry in the k-rail closures between S. Gale Dr. and La Cienega Blvd.; installing station and utility support materials within the station and appendages; receiving various construction materials deliveries to the site; hoisting materials and equipment into and out of the tunnel from the La Cienega and Gale yards; transporting machinery and materials throughout the site; and cleaning and maintaining the site. EI ICMs were present on site during all construction activities. ICMs conducted routine noise measurements at selected noise monitoring locations as well as compliance checks in accordance with the MOAs and associated attachments, exhibits, traffic closure notifications, and traffic management plans. At the conclusion of each work shift, daily monitoring reports were prepared by the respective ICM. Any violations for that date were also prepared by the ICM then reviewed and submitted to the COBH and Metro by EI's Project Manager.

#### **VIOLATION SUMMARY**

During the week, EI ICMs identified no violations during construction activities. Daily monitoring reports and photographs of construction activities are provided as Attachment A (*Daily Monitoring Reports*). Daily noise monitoring data are provided in Attachment B (*Noise Monitoring Data Log*).

#### **CONCLUSION**

To date, 360 violations have been issued, 30 of which have been rescinded since the beginning of construction on the C1045 Contract for the Purple Line Extension Project – Segment 1. Project construction activities are ongoing and EI ICMs continue to monitor all construction activities applicable to the MOAs on a daily basis.

If you have any questions or comments regarding this letter, please contact me directly at 310.469.8989 or jeremiahgeorge@enviro-intel.com.

Sincerely,

#### ENVIRONMENTAL INTELLIGENCE, LLC

Jeremiah George Project Manager

Attachments: Attachment A: Daily Monitoring Reports

Attachment B: Noise Monitoring Data Log

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Brett Barnett, Psomas



Daily Monitoring Report 9/24/2023 - 9/30/2023



#### Summaries (7)

Date Tuesday, September 26, 2023

Monitor Annamarie Hand
Location La Cienega Station
Time 04:45:00 to 15:15:00

Compliant Yes

Summary Contractors/Subcontractors: STS; Century Sweeping; Dynalectric; JNA; PSG/ Marvella; UMEC; LKC; Rascom; Link Nilsen/ EMF; Global Electric;

DPSI; ECA; Cemex.

Representatives: German Garcia (Metro); Thomas Wukadinovich (STS); Walter Sanchez (STS); Adnan Aldwir (Psomas).

Work Location(s): N. Gale yard closure; N. Gale yard; La Cienega yard; Below the deck on Wilshire Blvd.; Wilshire Blvd. EB/ WB 1 K-Rail closure.; Wilshire Blvd. EB 2.; S. Hamilton full closure at Wilshire Blvd.

The ICM was in possession of applicable COBH-approved closure notifications and TCP for the day's work from 04:45 to 15:15 hours September 26th, 2023. EI ICM Annamarie Hand met with Thomas Wukadinovich (STS) to discuss the shift's activities. At the beginning of the shift, the ICM calibrated the noise meter at 94.00 dB.

Work for the shift included: Concrete placement in the La Cienega yard; Prepping the curb and gutter; Installation of HDPE, plumbing, fire water pipes, rebar, conduit, ducts, and CMU; Deliveries of miscellaneous materials; Hoisting machinery, debris, materials and equipment in/out of the station in the N. Gale and La Cienega yards; Transportation of machinery and materials in the N. Gale yard, N. Gale yard closure, and k-rail closures; Work within the station, excavated appendages, and in k-rail closures; General cleaning and clearing of debris from the appendage, closures, yards, and within the station.

Note: Non-project related construction on S. Gale Dr. at Wilshire Blvd.

Date Tuesday, September 26, 2023

MonitorDylan McGovernLocationLa Cienega StationTime14:30:00 to 00:00:00

Compliant Yes

**Summary** Contractors/Subcontractors: STS; Psomas; Metro.

Representatives On-Site: N/A.

Work Location(s): Wilshire Blvd. between Gale Dr. and La Cienega Blvd.

The ICM was in possession of applicable COBH-approved closure notifications and TCP for the day's work from 14:30 hours on September 26th, 2023 to 00:00 hours on September 27th, 2023. EI ICM Dylan McGovern met with STS crews to discuss the day's activities. At the beginning of the shift, the ICM calibrated the noise meter to 94.00 dB.

Work for the day included: STS working underground in station below Gale yard and underground in station below La Cienega yard. Note: Ventilation system was audible in La Cienega yard and noise reading was recorded on N. Hamilton Dr. as under threshold.





## Daily Monitoring Report 9/24/2023 - 9/30/2023



Wednesday, September 27, 2023 **Date** 

Annamarie Hand Monitor La Cienega Station Location 04:45:00 to 15:15:00 Time

Yes Compliant

Summary

Contractors/Subcontractors: STS; Century Sweeping; Dynalectric; JNA; PSG/ Marvella; UMEC; LKC; Rascom; Link Nilsen/ EMF; Global Electric; DPSI; ECA; Cemex.

Representatives: German Garcia (Metro); Thomas Wukadinovich (STS); Walter Sanchez (STS); Charlie Briceno (Psomas).

Work Location(s): N. Gale yard closure; N. Gale yard; La Cienega yard; Below the deck on Wilshire Blvd.; Wilshire Blvd. EB/ WB 1 K-Rail closure.

The ICM was in possession of applicable COBH-approved closure notifications and TCP for the day's work from 04:45 to 15:15 hours September 27th, 2023. EI ICM Annamarie Hand met with Thomas Wukadinovich (STS) to discuss the shift's activities. At the beginning of the shift, the ICM calibrated the noise meter at 94.00 dB.

Work for the shift included: Concrete placement in the La Cienega yard; Prepping the curb and gutter; Installation of HDPE, plumbing, fire water pipes, rebar, conduit, ducts, and CMU; Deliveries of miscellaneous materials; Hoisting machinery, debris, materials and equipment in/out of the station in the N. Gale and La Cienega vards: Transportation of machinery and materials in the N. Gale vard. N. Gale vard closure, and k-rail closures; Work within the station, excavated appendages, and in k-rail closures; General cleaning and clearing of debris from the appendage, closures, yards, and within the station.

Note: Non-project related construction on S. Gale Dr. at Wilshire Blvd.

Date Wednesday, September 27, 2023

Monitor Dylan McGovern Location La Cienega Station 14:30:00 to 00:00:00 Time

Compliant

Summary Contractors/Subcontractors: STS; Psomas; Metro.

Representatives On-Site: N/A.

Work Location(s): Wilshire Blvd. between Gale Dr. and La Cienega Blvd.

The ICM was in possession of applicable COBH-approved closure notifications and TCP for the day's work from 14:30 hours on September 27th, 2023 to 00:00 hours on September 28th, 2023. EI ICM Dylan McGovern met with STS crews to discuss the day's activities. At the beginning of the shift, the ICM calibrated the noise meter to 94.00 dB.

Work for the day included: STS working underground in station below Gale yard; STS utilizing crane in Gale yard to move construction materials from the station to the yard.

Note: Ventilation system was audible in La Cienega yard and noise reading was recorded on N. Hamilton Dr. as under threshold.





# Daily Monitoring Report 9/24/2023 - 9/30/2023



Date Thursday, September 28, 2023

Monitor Annamarie Hand
Location La Cienega Station
Time 04:45:00 to 15:15:00

Compliant Yes

Summary

Contractors/Subcontractors: STS; Century Sweeping; Dynalectric; JNA; PSG/ Marvella; UMEC; LKC; Rascom; Link Nilsen/ EMF; Global Electric; DPSI: ECA: Cemex: Railworks.

Representatives: German Garcia (Metro); Thomas Wukadinovich (STS); Walter Sanchez (STS); Gene Higginbotham (Psomas).

Work Location(s): N. Gale yard closure; N. Gale yard; La Cienega yard; Below the deck on Wilshire Blvd.; Wilshire Blvd. EB/ WB 1 K-Rail closure.

The ICM was in possession of applicable COBH-approved closure notifications and TCP for the day's work from 04:45 to 15:15 hours September 28th, 2023. EI ICM Annamarie Hand met with Thomas Wukadinovich (STS) to discuss the shift's activities. At the beginning of the shift, the ICM calibrated the noise meter at 94.00 dB.

Work for the shift included: Panel removal and spot welding access hatches on the North Wilshire Blvd. sidewalk; Concrete placement for the curb and gutter on Wilshire Blvd. from Tower Dr. to La Cienega Blvd; Forming the curb and gutter from Tower Dr. to La Cienega Blvd; Installation of HDPE, plumbing, fire water pipes, rebar, conduit, ducts, and CMU; Deliveries of miscellaneous materials; Hoisting machinery, debris, materials and equipment in/out of the station in the N. Gale and La Cienega yards; Transportation of machinery and materials in the N. Gale yard, N. Gale yard closure, and k-rail closures; Work within the station, excavated appendages, and in k-rail closures; General cleaning and clearing of debris from the appendage, closures, yards, and within the station.

Note: Non-project related construction on S. Gale Dr. at Wilshire Blvd.

Date Friday, September 29, 2023

MonitorAnnamarie HandLocationLa Cienega StationTime04:45:00 to 15:15:00

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Summary

Contractors/Subcontractors: STS; Century Sweeping; Dynalectric; JNA; PSG/ Marvella; UMEC; LKC; Rascom; Link Nilsen/ EMF; Global Electric; DPSI; ECA; Cemex; Railworks; National Concrete Washout; Pavement Recycling Systems.

Representatives: German Garcia (Metro); Thomas Wukadinovich (STS); Walter Sanchez (STS); Charlie Briceno (Psomas).

Work Location(s): N. Gale yard closure; N. Gale yard; La Cienega yard; Below the deck on Wilshire Blvd.; Wilshire Blvd. EB/ WB 1 K-Rail closure.; Wilshire Blvd. EB 2 La Cienega Blvd. to Tower Dr.; Hamilton Dr. full closure at Wilshire Blvd.

The ICM was in possession of applicable COBH-approved closure notifications and TCP for the day's work from 04:45 to 15:15 hours September 29th, 2023. EI ICM Annamarie Hand met with Thomas Wukadinovich (STS) to discuss the shift's activities. At the beginning of the shift, the ICM calibrated the noise meter at 94.00 dB.

Work for the shift included: Transitional grinding and pavement recycling on Wilshire Blvd. between Tower Dr. and La Cienega Blvd.; Hauling out grindings from the closures on Wilshire Blvd.; Hauling out concrete debris from the N. Gale yard; Concrete placement in the N. Gale yard; Slurry placement in the k-rail closures between S. Gale Dr. and La Cienega Blvd; Installation of HDPE, seismic angles, conduit, ducts, and CMU; Deliveries of miscellaneous materials; Hoisting machinery, debris, materials and equipment in/out of the station in the N. Gale and La Cienega yards; Transportation of machinery and materials in the N. Gale yard, N. Gale yard closure, and k-rail closures; Work within the station, excavated appendages, and in k-rail closures; General cleaning and clearing of debris from the appendage, closures, yards, and within the station.

Note: Non-project related construction on S. Gale Dr. at Wilshire Blvd.





Daily Monitoring Report 9/24/2023 - 9/30/2023



Date Saturday, September 30, 2023

Monitor Annamarie Hand
Location La Cienega Station
Time 04:45:00 to 13:15:00

Compliant Yes

Summary Contractors/Subcontractors: STS; Century Sweeping; Rascom; ECA; Railworks.

Representatives: German Garcia (Metro); Thomas Wukadinovich (STS).

Work Location(s): N. Gale yard closure; N. Gale yard; La Cienega yard; Below the deck on Wilshire Blvd.; Wilshire Blvd. EB/ WB 1 K-Rail closure.

The ICM was in possession of applicable COBH-approved closure notifications and TCP for the day's work from 04:45 to 13:15 hours September 30th, 2023. EI ICM Annamarie Hand met with Thomas Wukadinovich (STS) to discuss the shift's activities. At the beginning of the shift, the ICM calibrated the noise meter at 94.00 dB.

Work for the shift included: Stripping exterior face of walls for Appendage AB/AC; Installation of HDPE; Hoisting machinery, debris, materials and equipment in/out of the station in the N. Gale and La Cienega yards; Transportation of machinery and materials in the N. Gale yard, N. Gale yard closure, and k-rail closures; Work within the station, excavated appendages, and in k-rail closures; General cleaning and clearing of debris from the appendage, closures, yards, and within the station.





34.065765

-118.376117



# Photos (31)

 UID:
 11047
 Latitude:

 Date:
 Sep 26, 2023
 Longitude:

 Type:
 Construction Activity
 Elevation:

Notes

Photo shows La Cienega yard where STS crews are working underneath in the station.



 UID:
 11046
 Latitude:
 34.06527

 Date:
 Sep 26, 2023
 Longitude:
 -118.374367

 Type:
 Construction Activity
 Elevation:
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Notes

Photo shows Gale yard where STS is staging crane and deck panels.



 UID:
 11045
 Latitude:
 34.065033

 Date:
 Sep 26, 2023
 Longitude:
 -118.374478

 Type:
 Construction Activity
 Elevation:
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Notes

Photo shows underground area where STS is working below Gale yard.



 UID:
 11036
 Latitude:
 34.064774

 Date:
 Sep 26, 2023
 Longitude:
 -118.375142

 Type:
 Construction Activity
 Elevation:
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Notes

Photo shows duct work in the SCE vault in the STS closure on S. Hamilton Dr. at Wilshire Blvd.



 UID:
 11038
 Latitude:
 34.064608

 Date:
 Sep 26, 2023
 Longitude:
 -118.374225

 Type:
 Construction Activity
 Elevation:
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Notes

 $Photo \ shows \ STS \ working \ in \ the \ excavated \ appendage \ in \ the \ k-rail \ closure \ on \ Wilshire \ Blvd. \ at \ S. \ Gale \ Dr. \ description \ descriptio$ 









 UID:
 11039
 Latitude:
 34.064543

 Date:
 Sep 26, 2023
 Longitude:
 -118.373895

 Type:
 Construction Activity
 Elevation:
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Notes

Photo shows STS prepping the curb and gutter for future concrete placement on Wilshire Blvd. between Tower Dr. and Hamilton Dr.



 UID:
 11037
 Latitude:
 34.06487

 Date:
 Sep 26, 2023
 Longitude:
 -118.375229

 Type:
 Construction Activity
 Elevation:
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Notes

Photo shows STS working in the k-rail closure on Wilshire Blvd. between Hamilton Dr. and La Cienega Blvd.



 UID:
 11034
 Latitude:
 34.065247

 Date:
 Sep 26, 2023
 Longitude:
 -118.375792

 Type:
 Construction Activity
 Elevation:
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Notes

Photo shows Cemex placing concrete in the STS La Cienega yard.



 UID:
 11035
 Latitude:
 34.065725

 Date:
 Sep 26, 2023
 Longitude:
 -118.376011

 Type:
 Construction Activity
 Elevation:
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Note

Photo shows Cemex placing concrete in the STS La Cienega yard.



 UID:
 11043
 Latitude:
 34.064713

 Date:
 Sep 27, 2023
 Longitude:
 -118.374577

 Type:
 Construction Activity
 Elevation:
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Photo shows Cemex placing concrete through the excavated appendage in the STS k-rail closure on Wilshire Blvd. at S. Gale Dr.



 UID:
 11040
 Latitude:
 34.064934

 Date:
 Sep 27, 2023
 Longitude:
 -118.37456

 Type:
 Construction Activity
 Elevation:
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Photo shows Cemex placing concrete in the STS N. Gale yard.







34.065323



UID: Date: Sep 27, 2023 Type: Construction Activity

Longitude: -118.374211

Elevation:

Latitude:

Notes

Photo shows Cemex placing concrete in the STS N. Gale yard.



UID: 11044 Latitude: 34.06487 Sep 27, 2023 Longitude: -118.375239 Date: Construction Activity Elevation: Type:

Notes

Photo shows STS placing structural backfill for the curb and gutter on Wilshire Blvd. between S. Hamilton Dr. and La Cienega Blvd.



Latitude: 34.064618 UID: 11042 Date: Sep 27, 2023 Longitude: -118.37421 Type: Construction Activity Elevation:

Notes

Photo shows Cemex placing concrete through the excavated appendage in the STS k-rail closure on Wilshire Blvd. at S. Gale Dr.



Latitude: 34.065325 UID: 11050 -118.374302 Sep 27, 2023 Longitude: Date: Elevation: Construction Activity Type:

Photo shows STS staging skidsteer and forklift inside Gale yard.



Latitude: 34.065645 UID: 11048 Date: Sep 27, 2023 Longitude: -118.375838 Construction Activity Elevation: Type:

Notes

Photo shows underground area below La Cienega yard where STS crews are working.



UID: 11049 Latitude: 34.064972 Sep 27, 2023 Longitude: -118.374522 Date: Elevation: Type: Construction Activity

Notes

Photo shows underground area below Gale yard where STS crews are working.









 UID:
 11054
 Latitude:
 34.064876

 Date:
 Sep 28, 2023
 Longitude:
 -118.375274

 Type:
 Construction Activity
 Elevation:
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Notes

Photo shows STS forming the curb and gutter on Wilshire Blvd. between Hamilton Dr. and La Cienega Blvd.



 UID:
 11051
 Latitude:
 34.064593

 Date:
 Sep 28, 2023
 Longitude:
 -118.374143

 Type:
 Construction Activity
 Elevation:
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Notes

Photo shows Cemex placing concrete for the curb and gutter on Wilshire Blvd. at S. Gale Dr.



 UID:
 11052
 Latitude:
 34.06433

 Date:
 Sep 28, 2023
 Longitude:
 -118.373101

 Type:
 Construction Activity
 Elevation:
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Notes

Photo shows STS forming the curb and gutter on Wilshire Blvd. at Tower Dr.



 UID:
 11053
 Latitude:
 34.064736

 Date:
 Sep 28, 2023
 Longitude:
 -118.374637

 Type:
 Construction Activity
 Elevation:
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Notes

Photo shows STS crane lifting out debris from the tunnel in the N. Gale yard.



 UID:
 11055
 Latitude:
 34.065322

 Date:
 Sep 28, 2023
 Longitude:
 -118.374073

 Type:
 Construction Activity
 Elevation:
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Notes

Photo shows STS unloading a delivered office container in the N. Gale yard.



 UID:
 11058
 Latitude:
 34.065034

 Date:
 Sep 29, 2023
 Longitude:
 -118.375107

 Type:
 Construction Activity
 Elevation:
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Notes

Photo shows grinding and pavement recycling on Wilshire Blvd. at Hamilton Dr.







34.064928



UID: 11059 Date: Sep 29, 2023 Type: Construction Activity

Longitude: -118.374574 Elevation:

Latitude:

Notes

Photo shows Cemex placing concrete in the STS N. Gale yard.



UID: 11057 Latitude: 34.064754 Sep 29, 2023 Longitude: -118.374929 Date: Construction Activity Type:

Elevation:

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Photo shows grinding and pavement recycling on Wilshire Blvd. at Hamilton Dr.



Latitude: 34.064709 UID: 11056 Date: Sep 29, 2023 Longitude: -118.374581

Type: Construction Activity Elevation:

Photo shows grinding and pavement recycling on Wilshire Blvd. at Hamilton Dr.

Latitude: 34.065045 UID: 11060 -118.375968 Sep 29, 2023 Longitude: Date:

Elevation: Construction Activity

Type:

Photo shows Cemex placing slurry in the STS k-rail closure between S. Hamilton Dr. and La Cienega Blvd.



Latitude: 34.064942 UID: 11062 Date: Sep 30, 2023 Longitude: -118.374561 Type:

Construction Activity Elevation:

Notes

Photo shows STS crane lifting out debris from the tunnel in the N. Gale yard.



UID: 11063 Latitude: 34.064888 Sep 30, 2023 Longitude: -118.375272 Date: Elevation: Type:

Construction Activity

Notes

Photo shows STS working in the excavated appendage and k-rail closure on Wilshire Blvd. between Hamilton Dr. and La Cienega Blvd.









 UID:
 11061
 Latitude:
 34.065305

 Date:
 Sep 30, 2023
 Longitude:
 -118.374262

 Type:
 Construction Activity
 Elevation:
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Notes

Photo shows STS unloading debris lifted out from the tunnel in the N. Gale yard.



 UID:
 11064
 Latitude:
 34.065051

 Date:
 Sep 30, 2023
 Longitude:
 -118.375986

 Type:
 Construction Activity
 Elevation:
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Notes

Photo shows STS working in the excavated appendage and k-rail closure on Wilshire Blvd. between Hamilton Dr. and La Cienega Blvd.







## Attachment B – Construction Noise Monitoring Results

Receptor ID	Time of Measurement	Measured Noise Level Leq (15- Minute)	Applicable Noise Threshold	Exceeded Threshold?	Notes
September 26, 2023					
SLC-2	17:34	59.8	72.4	No	STS crews working in the station underground below Gale yard.
SLC-7	17:51	63.7	72.4	No	STS crews working in the station underground below Gale yard.
SLC-1	18:12	56.8	65.5	No	STS crews working in the station underground below Gale yard as well as below La Cienega yard; Note: Ventilation system was audible in La Cienega yard and noise reading was recorded on N. Hamilton Dr. as under threshold.
September 27, 2023					
SLC-7	18:34	60.6	70	No	STS crews working in the station underground below Gale yard.
SLC-2	18:55	58.3	70	No	STS crews working in the station underground below Gale yard.
SLC-1	19:17	54.5	67.2	No	STS crews working in the station underground below Gale yard as well as below La Cienega yard; Note: Ventilation system was audible in La Cienega yard and noise reading was recorded on N. Hamilton Dr. as under threshold.