

Decision No. 80309

**ORIGINAL**

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of County of Ventura to  
replace an existing inadequate grade  
separation crossing with a new  
structure in the same location over  
the Southern Pacific Railroad (Main  
Line from Los Angeles) located in  
the community of Santa Susana in the  
County of Ventura.

Application No. 52917  
(Filed October 6, 1971)  
(Amended April 3, 1972)

O R D E R

County of Ventura is hereby authorized to replace the existing grade separation of Santa Susana Pass Road Overhead (Crossing No. E-440.3-A) and construct a temporary highway detour bridge for use during construction, to be identified as Crossing No. E-440.29-A, over the tracks of Southern Pacific Transportation Company in the County of Ventura as described and in the manner as shown in the application as amended.

Grade separation for Santa Susana Pass Road Overhead has been established as Priority No. 17 on the 1972 Grade Separation Priority List by Decision No. 79466 in Case No. 9257.

Clearances shall be in accordance with the provisions of General Order No. 26-D.

Walkway areas adjacent to Southern Pacific Transportation Company's tracks shall be maintained free of obstructions and shall promptly be restored to their original condition in the event of damage during construction.

Construction and maintenance costs shall be borne in accordance with an agreement to be entered into between the County of Ventura and Southern Pacific Transportation Company and a copy of said executed agreement, together with plans approved by the railroad shall be filed with the Commission prior to commencement of construction. Should the parties fail to agree, the Commission will apportion the costs by further order.

Within thirty days after completion, pursuant to this order, applicant shall so advise the Commission in writing. This authorization shall expire if not exercised within three years unless time be extended, or if above conditions are not complied with. Authorization may be revoked or modified if public convenience, necessity or safety so require.

The effective date of this order shall be twenty days after the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 25<sup>th</sup> day of JULY, 1972.

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President  
*William Symons Jr.*  
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Commissioners

Commissioner Vernon L. Sturgeon, being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.

Commissioner J. P. Vukasin, Jr., being necessarily absent, did not participate in the disposition of this proceeding.