## Exhibit 'C' CROWN-SCHAAD TSM 2023-02 MITIGATION MONITORING AND REPORTING PROGRAM JULY 2024

This mitigation measure monitoring and reporting checklist was prepared pursuant to California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines Section 15097 and Section 21081.6 of the PRC (PRC). The timing of implementing each mitigation measure is identified in the checklist, as well as identifies the entity responsible for verifying that the mitigation measures applied to a Project are performed. Project applicants are responsible for providing evidence that mitigation measures are implemented. As lead agency, the City of Kerman is responsible for verifying that mitigation is performed/completed.

Mitigation Measures	Party Responsible	Timing of Verification	Responsible for Monitoring Compliance	Verification of Completion	
	for Implementing Mitigation			Date	Initials
Biological Resources					
<ul> <li>Mitigation Measure BIO-1: Burrowing owls avoidance. The Project shall implement the following measures to avoid any potential impacts of nesting habitat of the Project in compliance with the federal Migratory Bird Treaty Act and relevant Fish and Game Codes:         <ul> <li>Avoidance. Initiate grading/ground disturbance from Sept 1 – February 1 during the non-breeding period.</li> <li>Preconstruction Surveys. If construction is initiated during the nesting period (Feb 1 – Aug 30), conduct a preconstruction survey to confirm that no burrowing owl has taken up residence in any parcels with ground burrowing mammals. If burrowing owl occupation is found, consult with the California Department of Fish and Wildlife to determine the appropriate avoidance and minimization measures.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Project Applicant	Prior to issuance of a construction permit  NEEDS ONGOING COMPLIANCE	City of Kerman Building Division		
Mitigation Measure BIO-2: San Joaquin kit fox Avoidance. The following measures are recommended to avoid any potential impact to San Joaquin kit fox during construction. These measures are designed to avoid and minimize	Project Applicant	Prior to issuance of a construction permit	City of Kerman Building Division		

any impact on San Joaquin kit fox in the unlikely event an individual is present <u>NEEDS</u>	
within the Study Area at any time during construction.  ONGOING	
<u>COMPLIANCE</u>	
Prior to Construction: Prepare and conduct an employee	
education program prior to the start of construction. The program	
should consist of a brief presentation by persons knowledgeable in	
kit fox biology and legislative protection to explain endangered	
species concerns to contractors, their employees, and military and/or	
agency personnel involved in the Project. The program should	
include the following: A description of the San Joaquin kit fox and its	
habitat needs; a report of the occurrence of kit fox in the Project area;	
an explanation of the status of the species and its protection under	
the Endangered Species Act; and a list of measures being taken to	
reduce impacts to the species during Project construction and	
implementation (as summarized below). A fact sheet conveying this	
information should be prepared for distribution to the previously	
referenced people and anyone else who may enter the Project site.	
Avoidance and Minimization Measures During Construction:	
The following measures should be included within the worker	
education program and in any Project specification and contract.	
1. Project-related vehicles should observe a daytime speed limit of	
20 mph throughout the site in all Project areas, except on county	
roads and State and Federal highways; this is particularly	
important at night when kit foxes are most active. No nighttime	
construction should occur, given the species is primarily	
nocturnal.	
2. To prevent inadvertent entrapment of kit foxes or other animals	
during the construction phase of a Project, all excavated, steep-	
walled holes or trenches more than 2 feet deep should be	
covered at the close of each working day by plywood or similar	
materials. If the trenches cannot be closed, one or more escape	
ramps constructed of earthen fill or wooden planks shall be	
installed. Before such holes or trenches are filled, they should be	
thoroughly inspected for trapped animals. If at any time a	
trapped or injured kit fox is discovered, the Service and the	

- California Department of Fish and Game (CDFG) shall be contacted as noted under measure 13 referenced below.
- 3. Kit foxes are attracted to den-like structures such as pipes and may enter stored pipes and become trapped or injured. All construction pipes, culverts, or similar structures with a diameter of 4-inches or greater that are stored at a construction site for one or more overnight periods should be thoroughly inspected for kit foxes before the pipe is subsequently buried, capped, or otherwise used or moved in any way. If a kit fox is discovered inside a pipe, that section of pipe should not be moved until the Service has been consulted. If necessary, and under the direct supervision of the biologist, the pipe may be moved only once to remove it from the path of construction activity until the fox has escaped.
- 4. All food-related trash items such as wrappers, cans, bottles, and food scraps should be disposed of in securely closed containers and removed at least once a week from a construction or Project site.
- 5. No firearms shall be allowed on the Project site.
- 6. No pets, such as dogs or cats, should be permitted on the Project site to prevent harassment, mortality of kit foxes, or destruction of dens.
- 7. The use of rodenticides and herbicides in Project areas should be restricted. This is necessary to prevent primary or secondary poisoning of kit foxes and the depletion of prey populations on which they depend. All uses of such compounds should observe labels and other restrictions mandated by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, California Department of Food and Agriculture, and other State and Federal legislation, as well as additional Project-related restrictions deemed necessary by the Service. If rodent control must be conducted, zinc phosphide should be used because of a proven lower risk to kit fox.
- 8. A representative shall be appointed by the Project proponent who will be the contact source for any employee or contractor

<ul> <li>10. Any contractor or employee responsible for inadvertently killing or injuring a San Joaquin kit fox shall immediately report the incident to their representative. This representative shall contact the CDFG immediately in the case of a dead, injured, or entrapped kit fox.</li> <li>11. The Sacramento Fish and Wildlife Office and CDFG shall be notified in writing within three working days of the accidental death or injury to a San Joaquin kit fox during Project-related activities. Notification must include the date, time, and location of the incident or the finding of a dead or injured animal and any other pertinent information.</li> <li>12. New sightings of kit fox shall be reported to the California Natural</li> </ul>				
Diversity Database (CNDDB). A copy of the reporting form and a topographic map marked with the location of where the kit fox was observed should also be provided to the Service at the address below.				
Mitigation Measure CUL-1: In order to avoid the potential for impacts to historic and prehistoric archaeological resources, the following measures shall be implemented, as necessary, in conjunction with the construction of each phase of the Project:  a. Cultural Resources Alert on Project Plans. The Project proponent shall note on any plans that require ground disturbing excavation that there is a potential for exposing buried cultural resources.	Project Applicant	Prior to issuance of a construction permit  NEEDS ONGOING COMPLIANCE THROUGHOUT CONSTRUCTION	City of Kerman Building Division	

- b. Stop Work Near any Discovered Cultural Resources. Should previously unidentified cultural resources be discovered during construction of the Project, the Project proponent shall cease work within 50 feet of the resources, and City of Kerman shall be notified immediately. The Project archaeologist meeting the Secretary of the Interior Professional Qualifications Standards for archeology shall immediately to evaluate the find pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21083.2.
- c. Mitigation for Discovered Cultural Resources. If the professional archaeologist determines that any cultural resources exposed during construction constitute a historical resource and/or unique archaeological resource, he/she shall notify the Project proponent and other appropriate parties of the evaluation and recommended mitigation measures to mitigate the impact to a less-than-significant level. If the archaeologist and, if applicable, a Native American monitor or other interested tribal representative determine it is appropriate, cultural materials collected from the site shall be processed and analyzed in a laboratory according to standard archaeological procedures. The age of the materials shall be determined using radiocarbon dating and/or other appropriate procedures; lithic artifacts, faunal remains, and other cultural materials shall be identified and analyzed according to current professional standards. The significance of the site(s) shall be evaluated according to the criteria of the California Register of Historical Resources (CRHR) and if applicable, National Register of Historic Places (NRHP). The results of the investigations shall be presented in a technical report following the standards of the California Office of Historic Preservation publication "Archaeological Resource Management Reports: Recommended Content and Format (1990 or latest edition)." Mitigation measures may include avoidance, preservation in-place, recordation, additional archaeological testing and data recovery, among other options. Treatment of any significant cultural resources shall be undertaken with the approval of the City of Kerman. The archaeologist shall document the resources using DPR 523 forms and file said forms with the California Historical Resources Information System, Southern San Joaquin Valley Information Center (SSJVIC). The resources shall be photo documented and collected by the archaeologist for submittal to the City of

Kerman. The archaeologist shall be required to submit to the City of Kerman for review and approval a report of the findings and method of curation or protection of the resources. This report shall be submitted to the SSJVIC after completion. Recommendations contained therein shall be implemented throughout the remainder of ground disturbance activities. Further grading or site work within the area of discovery shall not be allowed until the preceding steps have been taken.	
d. Data Recovery. Should the results of item c. yield resources that meet CRHR significance standards and if the resource cannot be avoided by Project construction, the Project applicant shall ensure that all feasible recommendations for mitigation of archaeological impacts are incorporated into the final design and approved by the City prior to construction. Any necessary data recovery excavation, conducted to exhaust the data potential of significant archaeological sites, shall be carried out by a qualified archaeologist meeting the SOI's PQS for archeology. Data recovery shall be conducted in accordance with a research design reviewed and approved by the City, prepared in advance of fieldwork, and using the appropriate archaeological field and laboratory methods consistent with the California Office of Historic Preservation Planning Bulletin 5, Guidelines for Archaeological Research Design, or the latest edition thereof. If the archaeological resource(s) of concern are Native American in origin, the qualified archaeologist shall confer with the City and local California Native American tribe(s). As applicable, the final Data Recovery reports shall be submitted to the City prior to issuance of any grading or construction permit. Recommendations contained therein shall be implemented throughout all ground disturbance activities. Recommendations may include, but would not be limited to, Cultural Resources Monitoring, and/or measures for unanticipated discoveries. The final report shall be submitted to the SSJVIC upon completion.	
e. Disposition of Cultural Resources. Upon coordination with the City of Kerman, any pre-historic archaeological artifacts recovered shall be donated to an appropriate Tribal custodian or a qualified scientific institution where they would be afforded applicable cultural resources laws and guidelines.	

f. Cultural Resources Monitoring. If mitigation measures are recommended by reports written under item c. or d., the Project applicant shall retain a qualified archaeologist to monitor Project-related, ground-disturbing activities which may include the following but not limited to: grubbing, vegetation removal, trenching, grading, and/or excavations. The archaeological monitor shall coordinate with any Native American monitor as required. Monitoring logs must be completed by the archaeologist daily. Cultural resources monitoring may be reduced for the Project if the qualified archaeologist finds it appropriate to reduce the monitoring efforts. Upon completion of ground disturbance for the Project, a final report must be submitted to the City for review and approval documenting the monitoring efforts, cultural resources find, and resource disposition. The final report shall be submitted to the SSJVIC.					
Geology and Soils	r <u>-</u> .			,	
Mitigation Measure GEO-1: If any paleontological resources are encountered during ground-disturbance activities, all work within 25 feet of the find shall halt until a qualified paleontologist as defined by the Society of Vertebrate Paleontology Standard Procedures for the Assessment and Mitigation of Adverse Impacts to Paleontological Resources (2010), can evaluate the find and make recommendations regarding treatment. Paleontological resource materials may include resources such as fossils, plant impressions, or animal tracks preserved in rock. The qualified paleontologist shall contact the Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County or another appropriate facility regarding any discoveries of paleontological resources.	Project Applicant	During ground disturbance activities  NEEDS ONGOING COMPLIANCE THROUGHOUT CONSTRUCTION	City of Kerman Building Division		
If the qualified paleontologist determines that the discovery represents a potentially significant paleontological resource, additional investigations, and fossil recovery may be required to mitigate adverse impacts from Project implementation. If avoidance is not feasible, the paleontological resources shall be evaluated for their significance. If the resources are not significant, avoidance is not necessary. If the resources are significant, they shall be avoided to ensure no adverse effects or such effects must be mitigated. Construction in that area shall not resume until the resource-appropriate measures are recommended or the materials are determined to be less than					

significant. If the resource is significant and fossil recovery is the identified form of treatment, then the fossil shall be deposited in an accredited and permanent scientific institution. Copies of all correspondence and reports shall be submitted to the City of Kerman, Community Development Department.  Hazards and Hazardous Material  Mitigation Measure HAZ-1: Test for Agricultural Pesticides. Prior to construction activities onsite, a limited Phase II investigation shall be conducted to assess the surface soil of the project site for residual organochlorine and lead arsenate pesticides. The Phase II investigation shall be conducted in accordance with guidelines developed by the Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) and Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for site assessments. The Phase II investigation shall estimate the potential threat to public health and the environment if concentrations of pesticides are encountered using methods outlined in DTSC's Preliminary Endangerment Assessment Guidance Manual and DTSC's Screening Level Human Health Risk Assessment guidance for implementing screening level risk analysis. The Phase II investigation shall be submitted to the City of Kerman Community Development Department for review and approval by an independent third-party reviewer. If the Phase II testing reveals concentrations of organochlorine pesticides and lead arsenic above health-based screening levels for residential exposure, remediation of the site shall be required to address residual organochlorine and lead arsenate pesticides above health-based level of concern. Remediation may include excavation and disposal of impacted soil or capping elevated areas beneath paved areas. The Construction Contractor shall implement the recommendations outlined in the Phase II.	Project Applicant	Prior to ground disturbing activities	City of Kerman Building Division	
Mitigation Measure NOI-1: Noise sensitive land uses (e.g., residential uses, schools, churches) within 500 feet of the exterior boundaries of the Project site shall be notified about the estimated duration and hours of construction activity at least 30 days before the start of construction, with the exception of construction activities related to emergency work. The notice shall be an	Project Applicant	At least 30-days before construction	City of Kerman Building Division	

informational document containing the estimated duration and hours of construction activity, a primary contact for complaints, and reference to compliance with Kerman Municipal Code Chapter 9.26 Prohibition of Unreasonably Loud and Unnecessary Noise. The notice shall be mailed by first class mail to every owner whose name and address appears on the last equalized County Assessment Roll for any property within 500 feet of the exterior boundaries of the Project site. Proof of mailing shall be provided to the City of Kerman, Community Development Department. Separate notices and proof of mailings shall be sent and submitted for all phases of construction.		ONGOING THROUGHOUT CONSTRUCTION		
Mitigation Measure NOI-2: Temporary sound barriers shall be erected between the construction area/site and existing residential structures. Sound barriers shall be of sufficient height and length to block the line of sight between the construction site and residential structures and shall be continuous with no gaps or holes between panels or the ground. Sound barriers shall be constructed of material with a weight of two (2) pounds per square foot and shall have a minimum Sound Transmission Class (STC) rating of 28. Sound blankets may be used in place of temporary sound barriers; however, it must be demonstrated the sound blankets meet a STC rating of 28 and shall be of sufficient length to overlap each other and the ground surface. Implementation of temporary sound barriers shall be indicated in the General Construction Notes for the project and verified by the City of Kerman Building Division during the building permit process.		Prior to issuance of building permit ONGOING THROUGHOUT CONSTRUCTION	City of Kerman Building Division	
Tribal Cultural Resources				
See Cultural Resources	Project Applicant			