Memorandum

To: DEPUTY DISTRICT DIRECTORS, Construction
DEPUTY DIVISION CHIEF, Structure Construction
CONSTRUCTION MANAGERS
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RESIDENT ENGINEERS

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Subject: Charges for Construction Restaking Rate

Caltrans is responsible for placing construction survey stakes and marks required to complete the work as designated in the 2006 Caltrans Surveys Manual, Chapter 12, “Construction Surveys” and per Section 5-1.07, “Lines and Grades” of the 2006 Standard Specifications.

The statewide survey staking charge rates are increased from $340 per hour to $355 per hour for three men or less with two vehicles, and $425 for four men or more with three vehicles, for each Caltrans construction survey field crew. When consultants perform restaking under contract with Caltrans, the staking charges will be the actual charges invoiced by the consultant.

The contract provides for a deduction from monies due the contractor when the contractor, in the opinion of the engineer, carelessly or willfully destroys or damages survey stakes because of the contractor's activities. The resident engineer must deduct the cost to replace construction survey stakes or marks from payment due the contractor in accordance with Section 3-911, “Payment of a Progress Estimate after Contract Acceptance” of the Construction Manual.

If you have questions regarding this directive, please contact Sey Hossnieh, Division of Construction, at 916-654-3088 or sey_hossnieh@dot.ca.gov.

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