



**IDAHO TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT
BRIDGE ASSET MANAGEMENT**

LOCAL AGENCY COMMUNICATION VERIFICATION

BRIDGE INFORMATION

Bridge Key: **12810**

District: **Ada County Highway District**

Features: **Eckert Rd over the Boise River**

Team Leader: **Will Strehler**

BRIDGE OWNER/REPRESENTATIVE INFORMATION

Name: Dale Kuperus

Title: District Engineer

Agency: Ada County Highway District

Contact Information: dkuperus@achdidaho.org

Alternate ACHD Representative: Tom Laws or Brian McCarthy

CRITICAL FINDINGS NOTIFICATION Date:

Critical Finding (describe):

Critical finding for widespread moderate to major decay in the timber piles that **does** affect capacity of the structure. Pier 6 is in the worst condition with 5 of 6 timber piles in CS4 for decay. Pier 2 is also of heightened concern due to 3 piles in a row with CS4 decay. See the attached timber resistivity supplement.

We are recommending the structure be restricted for load immediately with a load posting of 3-tons.

Priority:

Notification of corrective action must be sent to the Database Manager (Patty.Fish@itd.idaho.gov) within:

2 days

10 days

30 days

Other (describe): **As soon as possible, no later than Monday 2/3/2025**

Describe owner's completed or scheduled (include dates) actions to address the Critical Finding.

Immediate closure of structure.

BRIDGE CONDITION DISCUSSION

Comments:

ACHD has chosen to close the structure out of an abundance of caution. Structure is currently being studied for replacement. Replacement will be fast tracked.

Discussed future projects in area with owner representative

Yes – critical finding impacts the entire Eckert Rd corridor. Urgent repairs to be made on structure 12805 as well.

All questions regarding the aforementioned program by the local agency were answered and all noteworthy bridge inventory changes were identified. Local Agency shall retain a copy for their records.

Signed  _____ Team Leader Date: 1/31/2025

Signed _____ Local Agency Date: