Upper Rio Grande
Sediment Removal Contracts

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Work under Contract

- Sierra County = 176,000 cy
- Doña Ana County-North = 100,000 cy
- Doña Ana County-Middle = 268,000 cy
- Doña Ana and El Paso Counties = 244,000 cy
- Hudspeth County = 400,000 cy
- Total Volume FY19 = 1,188,000 cy
- Work commenced = November 2019
- Base period of performance = FY20
- Option years = FY21 & FY22
Sierra County

- Contractor: Sierra Valley Contractors, LLC
- Areas Maintained:
  - Tipton Arroyo
  - Trujillo Arroyo
  - Montoya Arroyo
  - Holguin Arroyo
  - Tierra Blanca Creek to Sibley Arroyo
- Total Volume: 176,000 cy
Doña Ana County-North

- Contractor: Smithco Construction, Inc.
- Areas Maintained:
  Salem Bridge to Highway 187 Bridge
  Rincon Siphon
- Total Volume: 100,000 cy
Doña Ana County-Middle

- Contractor: Smithco Construction, Inc.
- Areas Maintained:
  - Rincon Arroyo to Bignell Arroyo
  - Hersey Arroyo
  - Rock Canyon to Rincon/Tonuco Drain
  - Mesilla Bridge to Mesilla Dam
- Total Volume: 268,000 cy
Doña Ana and El Paso Counties

- Contractor: Smithco Construction, Inc.
- Areas Maintained:
  - East Drain to Vinton Bridge
  - Canutillo Area
  - Country Club Bridge
  - Sunland Park Bridge to Montoya Drain
- Total Volume: 244,000 cy
- Schedule: Nov. 4, 2019-Feb. 4, 2020
Hudspeth County

- **Contractor:** Smithco Construction, Inc.
- **Areas Maintained:** Mc Clintock Arroyo to Frailes Arroyo, including Little Box Canyon
- **Total Volume:** 400,000 cu yd
- **Schedule:** Feb. 5, 2020-Aug. 11, 2020
Sediment Disposal

- No-Cost Agreement requirements:
  - Property is accessible from stockpile locations
  - Current on property tax dues
  - Proof of property ownership
  - Environmental, cultural, and historic resources review and clearance
  - Agency review by all divisions
  - Agreement signed by landowner and government
Sediment Disposal

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