

**13. CONSIDERATION OF PROPOSALS FOR
WETLAND MITIGATION BANKING SERVICES
UNDER THE PPEA OF 2002**

As directed last month, we published a solicitation for conceptual phase proposals for development, construction, and operation of a compensatory wetland and stream mitigation bank located adjacent to the Turner Tract Industrial Park off of Rose Valley Road. The bank will generate a minimum of 45 wetland credits and 12,500 stream credits.

Proposals are due Friday afternoon (April 24) and we hope to provide a preliminary report to you Monday morning. Assuming one or more proposals are acceptable, we may seek your consideration in accepting one or more of them for conceptual phase review.

I've attached a copy of the solicitation for your reference.

MOTION REQUIRED:

Provided one or more proposals are deemed acceptable for conceptual phase review, we may present a resolution for your consideration accepting the proposal(s) for review and authorizing the County Administrator to develop a proposal review and evaluation committee with supporting consultants and staff as needed.