

Date: September 6, 2013

TO: DISTRIBUTION

RE: DESERT CONSERVATION PROGAM PROJECT COMPLETION NOTIFICATION:

MOJAVE MAX EDUCATION PROGRAM 2009-RRCIA-806A

The work for the above referenced project has been completed. Please see the attached for all project related information.

The purpose of the above referenced project was:

To provide public information and education to the community through the Mojave Max Education Program, and to help spread the message of "respect, protect and enjoy our desert" by educating teachers and students with science-based facts about the desert tortoise and the Mojave Desert.

The major accomplishment or findings of this project include:

The Mojave Max Program has reached thousands of students with its message to protect desert tortoises and their habitat. Students who participate in educational programs are taught very specific things they can do to be better stewards of the environment. This project is conducted in support of the MSHCP, and we can report the following accomplishments:

- Reached over 30,000 students;
- Conducted 37 Teacher Training classes;
- Conducted 24 Mojave Max assemblies at various Clark County schools;
- Received over 10,000 entries to the Mojave Max Emergence contest;
- The Mojave Max mascot participated in over 60 community events, reaching over 50,000 people

For more information about this project and/or for other Project Reports or Symposium Reports, please visit our website at: http://www.clarkcountynv.gov/Depts/dcp/Pages/default.aspx

If you have any questions, please contact Heather Green at (702) 455-1605.

Sincerely,

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Desert Conservation Program Interested Parties List
Multiple Species Habitat Conservation Plan Implementing Agencies
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