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FHWA obtained official species lists from the Fish and Wildlife Service's IPaC service on 10/16/2020. The Northern Long Eared Bat is the only species generated from our inquiry. FHWA received verification letters authorizing this action to continue under the January 5, 2016 Programmatic Biological Opinion on Final 4(d) Rule for the Northern Long Eared Bat. In accordance with the 4(d) rule, this activity *may affect, but is not likely to adversely affect* the Northern Long Eared Bat.