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SUMMARY

The Joint Land Use Study completed in 2018 recommended that a sound mitigation certification program be established for homebuilders to promote implementation of noise attenuation construction practices. While project staff was able to confirm with the cities of Benbrook and Fort Worth, which have ordinances requiring sound mitigation in the noise contours, that there are proper procedures in place to ensure that sound mitigation gets constructed, no additional efforts were made regarding a certification program for homebuilders. This is something that project staff will bring to a future meeting of the Regional Coordination Committee Technical Subcommittee to see if this is feasible moving forward.