# NEW ENGLAND TRANSPORTATION CONSORTIUM QUARTERLY PROJECT PROGRESS REPORT 

A. PROJECT NUMBER AND TITLE:

NETC 20-3 Investigating Thermal Imaging Technologies and UAV to Improve Bridge Inspections
B. PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR(s) \& UNIVERSITY(s):

Kevin Ahearn, PE, AECOM
C. WEB SITE ADDRESS (If one exists):

None
D. START DATE (Per NETC Agreement):

2/19/2021
E. END DATE (Per NETC Agreement):

3/31/2023
$F$. ANTICIPATED COMPLETION DATE:
3/31/2023

## G. PROJECT OBJECTIVES:

Develop UAV-based inspection and analysis protocols using infrared thermal imaging to determine the existence and extend of concrete delamination, with emphasis on the underside of bridge decks.
H. REPORT PERIOD:

3rd Quarter, 2022
I. ACCOMPLISHMENTS THIS PERIOD:

Task 3 Interim Report was submitted on 7/15/22 and approved at the TC progress meeting on 8/11/22.
Task 4 is in progress with an anticipated submission date of $11 / 23 / 22$.

## J. PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED (If any):

None

## K. TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER ACTIVITIES:

None

## L. STATUS BY TASK:

| Task | Description | \% Complete |
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| Task 1 | Desk scan of current technologies | $100 \%$ |
| Task 2 | Field demonstration of chosen IR/UAV models and data analysis | $100 \%$ |
| Task 3 | Develop inspection and analysis protocols | $100 \%$ |
| Task 4 | Draft final report, technology transfer strategy, and toolbox | $30 \%$ |
| Task 5 | Final report | Not started |

M. PERCENT COMPLETION OF TOTAL PROJECT: 75\%
N. ACTIVITIES PLANNED FOR NEXT QUARTER:

The following activities are anticipated for the next quarter:
Task 4 Interim Report will be completed and submitted to TC for review.
O. FINANCIAL STATUS:

As of: October 10th, 2022
Total Project Budget: \$174,931.41
Total Expenditures: \$117,055.16
Note: This report should not require more than 2-3 paqes \& should be e-mailed to the NETC Coordinator so as to arrive no later than three (3) working days after the end of each calendar quarter.

