



**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

**STERLING CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, INC. AFFILIATE, MYERS & SONS, IS APPARENT  
LOW BIDDER ON A CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION PROJECT  
VALUED AT APPROXIMATELY \$28.5 MILLION**

HOUSTON, TX – June 5, 2013 – Sterling Construction Company, Inc. (NasdaqGS: STRL) (“Sterling” or “the Company”) today announced that its affiliate, Myers & Sons Construction, L.P., was apparent low bidder on the California Department of Transportation (CalTrans) Route 405/101 to Route 405/5 Project, with a bid of \$28,478,485. The CalTrans project consists of replacing over 440,000 square feet of failing concrete with 18,300 cubic yards of rapid strength lean concrete base and 12,300 cubic yards of precast prestressed concrete panels along Route 405 in Los Angeles. The project is estimated to take two years to complete.

Peter MacKenna, Sterling’s Chief Executive Officer, commented, "Sterling and Myers & Sons are pleased to have this opportunity to continue the advancement of precast concrete panels in the California market. With this additional project, Myers & Sons is now among the largest precast panel contractors in the state."

Sterling is a leading heavy civil construction company that specializes in the building and reconstruction of transportation and water infrastructure projects in Texas, Utah, Nevada, Arizona, California and other states where there are construction opportunities. Its transportation infrastructure projects include highways, roads, bridges and light rail and its water infrastructure projects include water, wastewater and storm drainage systems.

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