



Upper Griff Creek Bridge Replacement

Project Number	01.02.01.0067		
Action Priority	Restore Priority Meadows, Wetlands, and Lake Tahoe Tributaries		
Implementers	California Tahoe Conservancy		
Supporting Agencies	California Tahoe Conservancy, U.S. Forest Service - Lake Tahoe Basin Management Unit		
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Stage	Planning/Design	Duration	2016 - 2026
Total Project Cost	\$1,716,100	Funding Request	\$1,322,482

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This project will replace a log bridge spanning Griff Creek that collapsed in 2013. Since its collapse, the public has been traversing through the creek to gain recreational access. This use has degraded the sensitive stream environment. The USDA Forest Service, Lake Tahoe Basin Management Unit applied for and was awarded a California State Parks OHMVR Commission grant in August 2020 for \$243,618 to replace the bridge. Conservancy staff received authorization from their Board in June 2021 to provide up to \$150,000 in Habitat Conservation Fund (HCF) funding to serve as a match to the LTBMU grant. Anticipated construction of the new bridge will begin August 2026.

No Key Photo provided for this Project

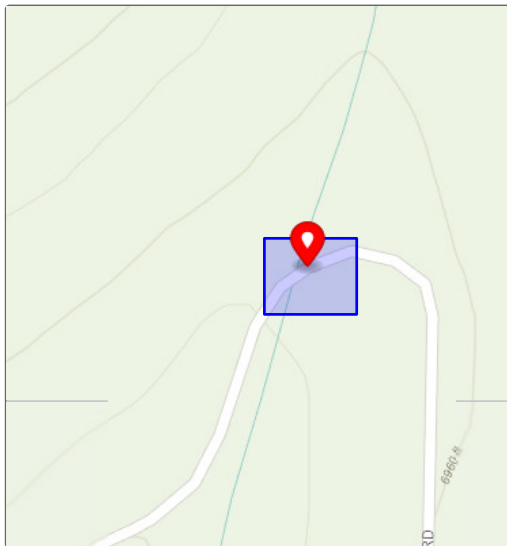
Targeted Performance Measures

- Acres of Habitat Protected
- Miles of Roads Decommissioned or Retrofitted

Threshold Categories

- Fisheries
- Soil Conservation
- Water Quality
- Recreation
- Vegetation Preservation

Location



Targeted Funding

- Secured Funding: California Tahoe Conservancy (CTC), \$150,000
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Photos

Before



User created bank erosion



Existing unpaved roadway/trail with collapsed bridge



Side view of collapsed bridge.