



Upper Truckee River Johnson Meadow Acquisition

Project Number	03.01.01.0001		
Action Priority	Improve Public Access		
Implementers	Tahoe Resource Conservation District, California Tahoe Conservancy, U.S. Forest Service - Lake Tahoe Basin Management Unit		
Supporting Agencies	California Department of Fish & Wildlife, California Tahoe Conservancy, Tahoe Fund		
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Stage	Completed	Duration	2015 - 2018
Total Project Cost	\$8,315,000	Funding Request	\$0

Sustainable Recreation Program > Improve Public Access

This project included the acquisition of a 206+ acre meadow property along the Upper Truckee River. Significant restoration opportunities (See EIP Project #01.02.01.0030 Upper Truckee River Johnson Meadow Restoration Project) will be pursued following acquisition, including filling an erosive gully channel and restoring the main river channel to function more naturally and benefit water quality and wildlife habitat. Dispersed public recreation opportunities will be provided with a future project.



Upper Truckee River at Highway 50 bridge, looking upstream into Johnson Meadow, December 29, 2016

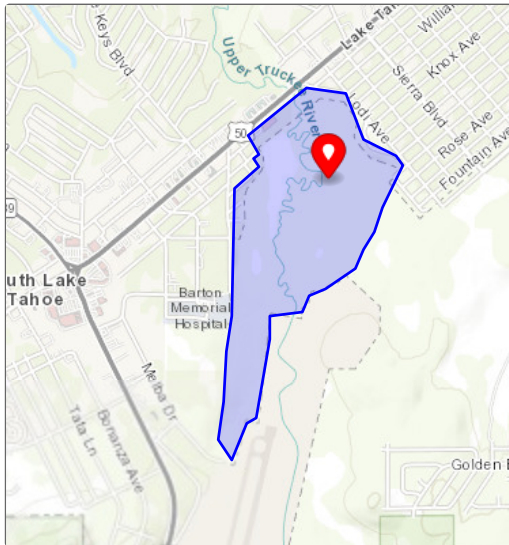
Targeted Performance Measures

- Acres of Environmentally Sensitive Land Acquired

Threshold Categories

- Soil Conservation
- Water Quality

Location



Targeted Funding

■ Secured Funding: Proposition 1 (CDFW), \$4,000,000
■ Secured Funding: Proposition 1 (CTC), \$4,215,000
■ Secured Funding: Tahoe Fund (Tahoe Fund), \$100,000

Photos

Before



Upper Truckee River at Highway 50 bridge, December 29, 2016



Truckee River ridge at Johnson Meadow, January 2017

After



Johnson Meadow