







































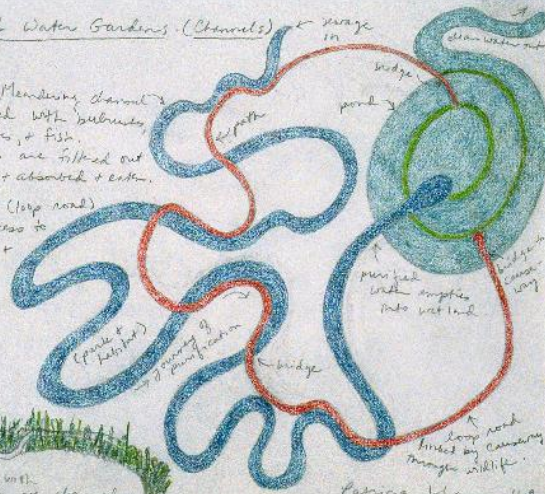






Municipal Water Gardens (Channels)

Mandering channel  
filled with substrate,  
microbes, & fish.  
Impurities are filtered out  
& trapped & absorbed & eaten.  
public path (loop road)  
provides access to  
park space &  
wildlife habitat.



Patricia Johnson 2009



# Welcome to Ellis Creek Water Recycling Facility



Our facility, which began operation in 2009, is a partnership between natural processes and state-of-the-art technology, and we have sought to create a balance between human infrastructure and nature.

Here 8 million gallons a day of wastewater from the City of Petaluma is cleaned and returned to the river or recycled for irrigation. Biosolids generated from the process are used to enrich the land.

Water from the Russian River is distributed to Petaluma's residents and businesses through 270 miles of pipeline. After it is used, wastewater is collected through an additional 200-mile underground network and brought to Ellis Creek where we purify over two billion gallons of water each year.

The most visible part of our water treatment process, constructed wetlands, provide many benefits, including low energy use, conservation of building materials and the creation of abundant wildlife habitat and public open space.

- A Treatment Wetlands
- B Oxidation Ponds
- C Polishing Wetlands
- D Preliminary Wastewater Treatment
- E Solids Treatment
- F Liquid Wastewater Treatment
- G Recycled Water Treatment

Wildlife photos courtesy of Bob Dyer



The gopher snake is harmless.



Killdeer eggs might be on the trails.

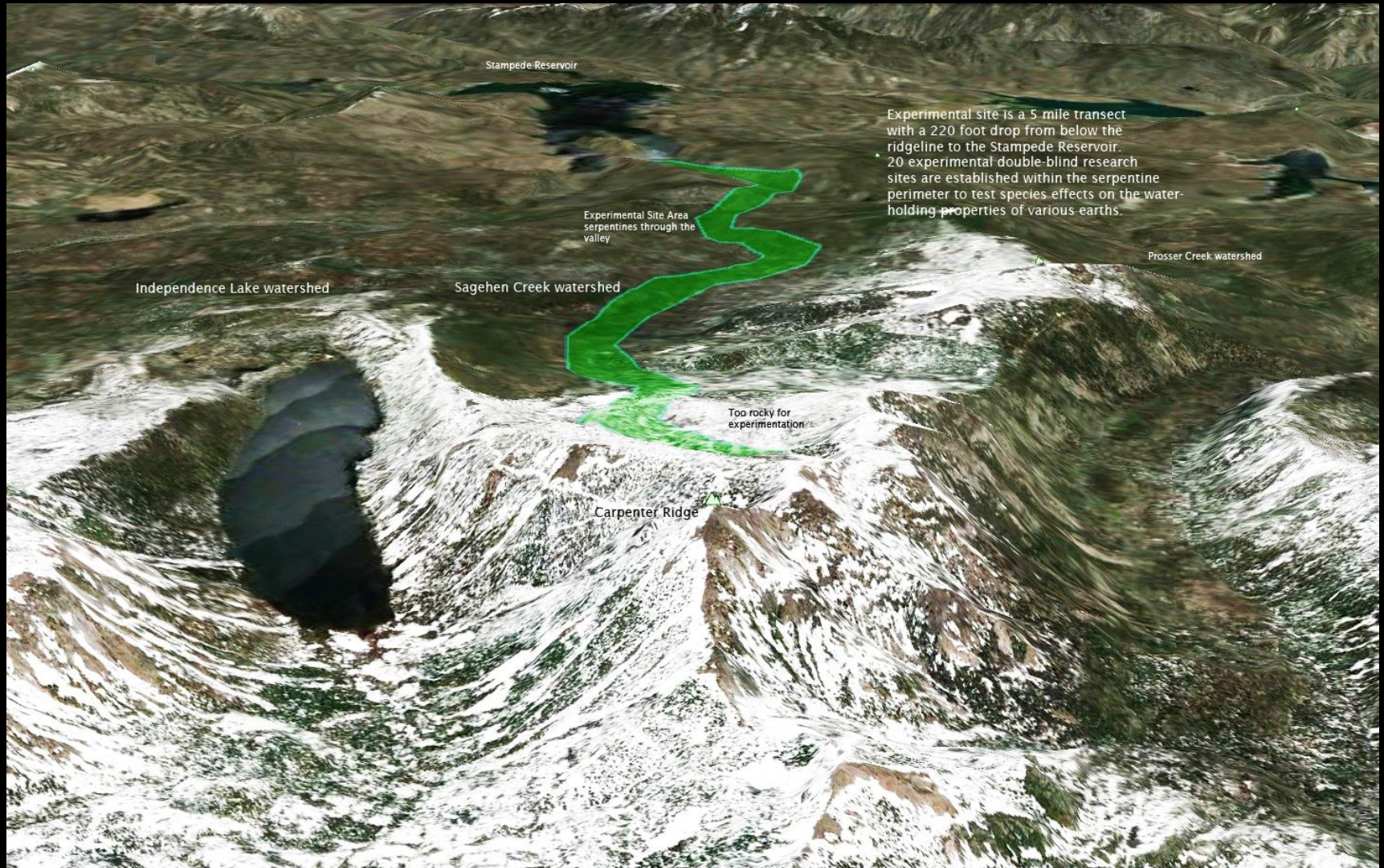


Adult Killdeer

Please keep DOGS on a short leash, ride BICYCLES carefully and stay on the trails, which are OPEN DAWN TO DUSK. One trail has restrictions to protect the wildlife, please follow them.







Stampede Reservoir

Experimental site is a 5 mile transect with a 220 foot drop from below the ridgeline to the Stampede Reservoir. 20 experimental double-blind research sites are established within the serpentine perimeter to test species effects on the water-holding properties of various earths.

Experimental Site Area  
serpentine through the valley

Prosser Creek watershed

Independence Lake watershed

Sagehen Creek watershed

Too rocky for experimentation

Carpenter Ridge

Google enhanced mapping of the serpentine corridor, experimental site for 40 installations and narrative path





Stampede Reservoir

Highway 89

Watershed Boundary

Prosser Creek

Sagehen Road

Sagehen Creek

Sagehen Watershed

Independence Lake

Carpenter Ridge

Site 1

Site 2

Site 3

Site 4

Site 5





Site 3: Plot B. Elevation: 2260 meters





Preparation of SITE 5 Top of Carpenters Ridge: Plot A Elevation: 2551 meters





Site 4: Plot B. Elevation: 2373 meters















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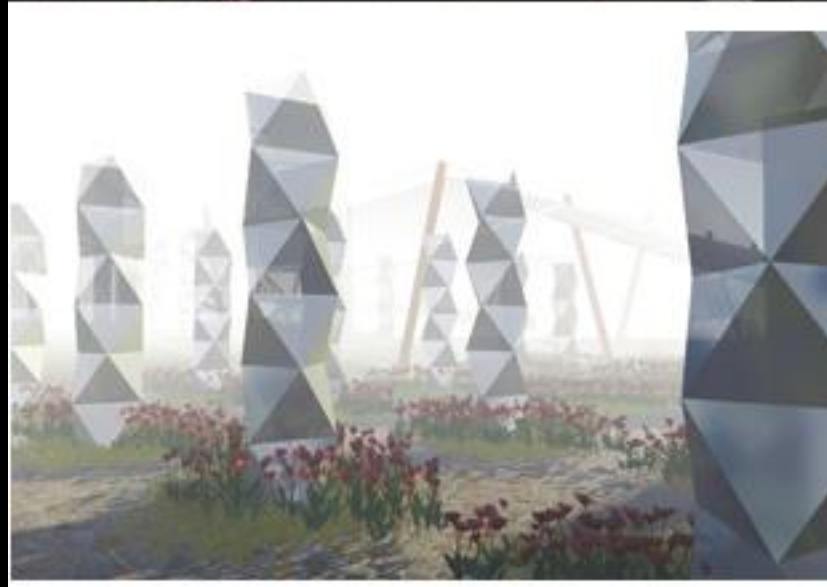
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Truckee River at McCarran Ranch, 2006





Truckee River at McCarran Ranch, 2011





# Truckee River through the Tracy Power Plant, 2011





Truckee River through the Tracy Power Plant, 2011





















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