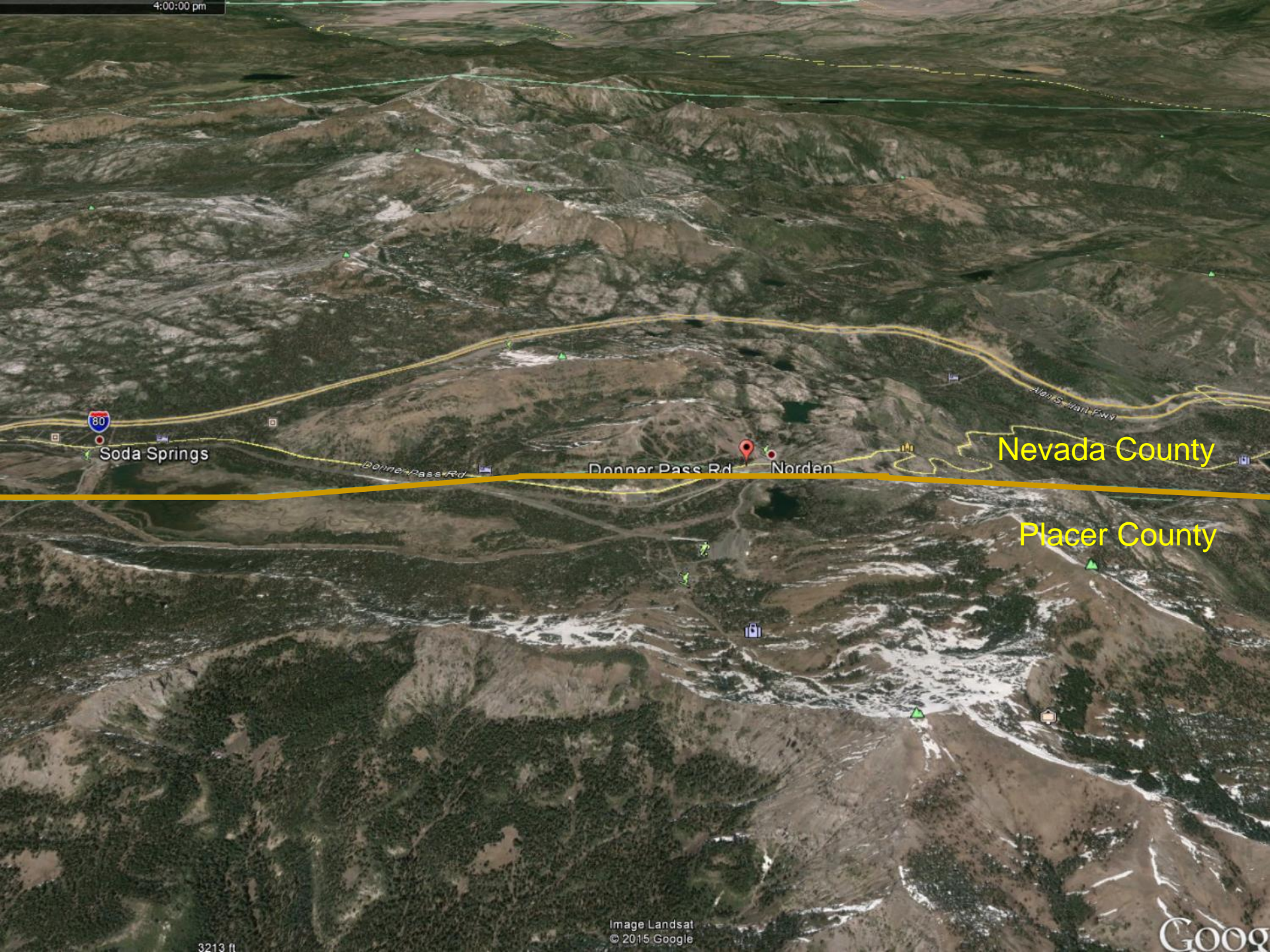

Nevada County Department of Public Works Donner Pass Road Improvements

Federal Lands Access Program Agreement





Soda Springs

Donner Pass Rd

Donner Pass Rd

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Nevada County

Placer County

Alameda-Sutter Fwy

Donner Pass Road - Background

- Part of original Lincoln Highway (1913)
 - U.S. 40 (1926)
 - Interstate 80 constructed in 1960s
 - Donner Pass Road abandoned to county by state
 - Vital access road to residents, businesses, and recreational opportunities
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Donner Pass Road

- Pavement in extremely poor condition
 - Difficult to maintain
 - Interim maintenance efforts unreliable and ineffective
 - 2013 study determined costs from \$3.5-\$10 million or more to repair
 - Unlikely to be completed in near future
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Federal Lands Access Program - FLAP

- Relatively new funding source (MAP-21)
 - Providing funding for larger projects that provide access to federal lands (USFS)
 - Board of Supervisors authorization on 1/13/15
 - Original application asked for \$6.56 million
 - Project shortlisted in April 2015
 - Scoping meeting with Central Federal Lands Highway Division (CFLHD) June 2015
 - \$10.309 million awarded by CFLHD August 2015
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Project Scope

- Rehabilitate pavement on 6.54 miles (I-80 to Truckee)
 - Work in both Nevada and Placer Counties
 - Widen shoulders and provide bike lanes where feasible
 - Pave selected pullouts
 - Nevada County responsible for \$310,000 local match (currently programmed in CIP)
 - Placer County responsible for \$154,228
 - Tentatively scheduled for 2019
 - May be advanced by CFLHD based on project readiness
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Project Management

- CFLHD will administer the project, including design and construction
 - County responsible for CEQA and Right of Way
 - County will coordinate efforts on Placer County's behalf
 - Placer and Nevada Counties will enter into a Cooperative Agreement
 - Placer County has expressed support
 - Agreement approval at subsequent Board meeting
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Project Support

- United States Forest Service
 - Placer County
 - Town of Truckee
 - Donner Summit Area Association
 - Truckee Trails Foundation
 - Donner Summit Historical Society
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Today's Action and Next Steps

- Approve the agreement between CFLHD and County
 - County would enter into an agreement with Placer County in early 2016
 - Design to begin in 2016
 - Construction in 2019 (or sooner)
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End of Presentation
