Teichert Shifler Mining and Reclamation Project

Yolo County Planning Commission Wednesday, November 10, 2021

HEARING OVERVIEW

- 1. Staff Presentation
- 2. Applicant Presentation
- 3. Questions from Commissioners
- 4. Public Hearing
- 5. Commission Discussion
- 6. Commission Action

RECOMMENDED ACTIONS

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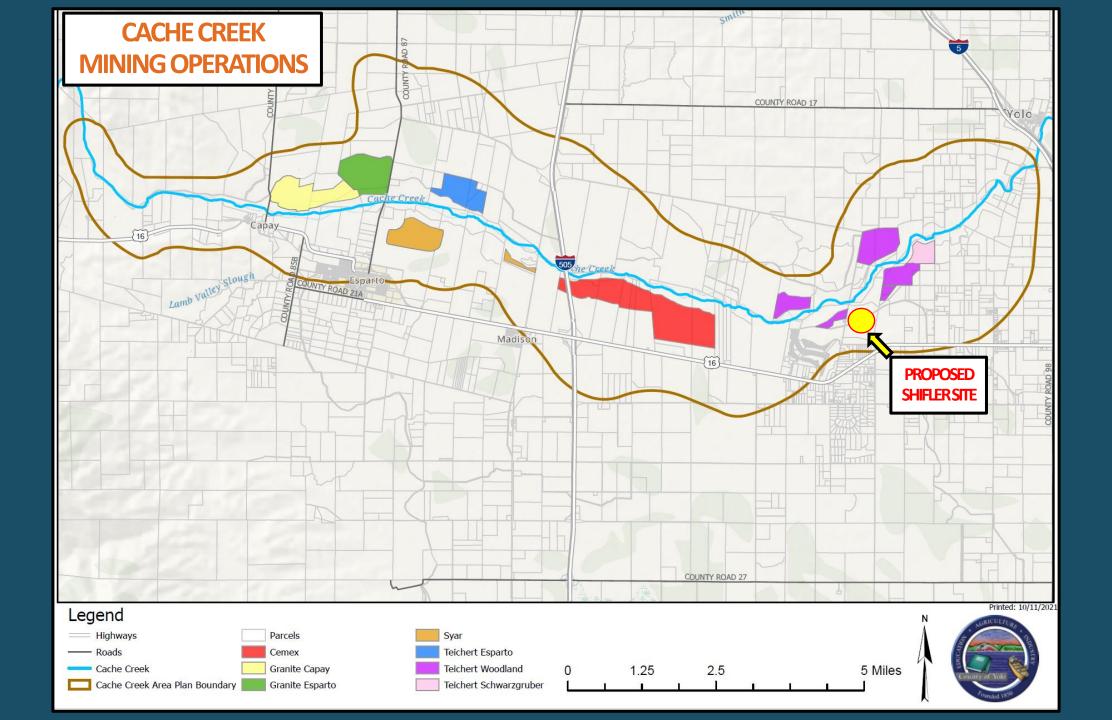
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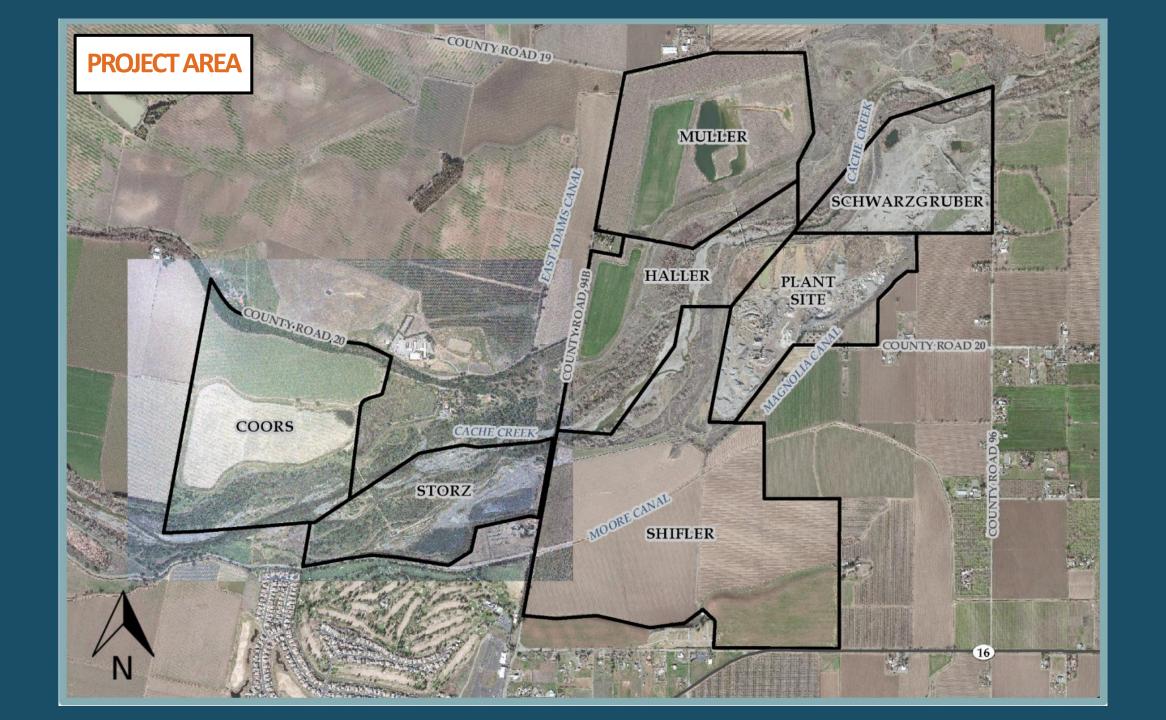
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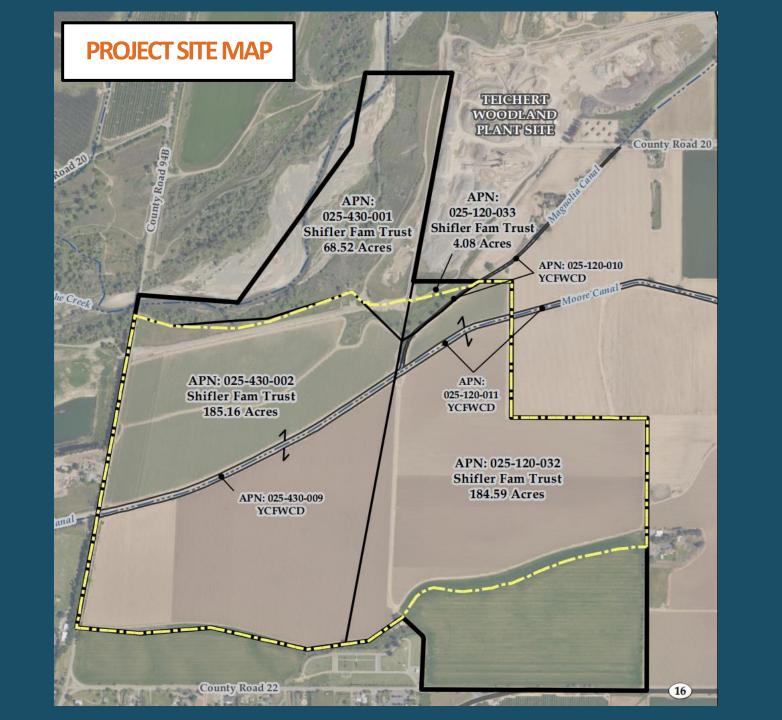
Component	Original	Recommended	Difference
Mining Area	277 acres	264 acres	-13 acres
Reclamation Area	277 acres	319 acres	+42 acres
Total Tonnage	41.6 mil tons mined	35.4 mil tons mined	-6.2 mil tons mined
20% Market Exceedance	Yes	No	No market exceedance option
Creek Buffer	200 feet minimum	250 feet minimum	+50 feet
Canal Relocation	Yes	No	Canals stay in place

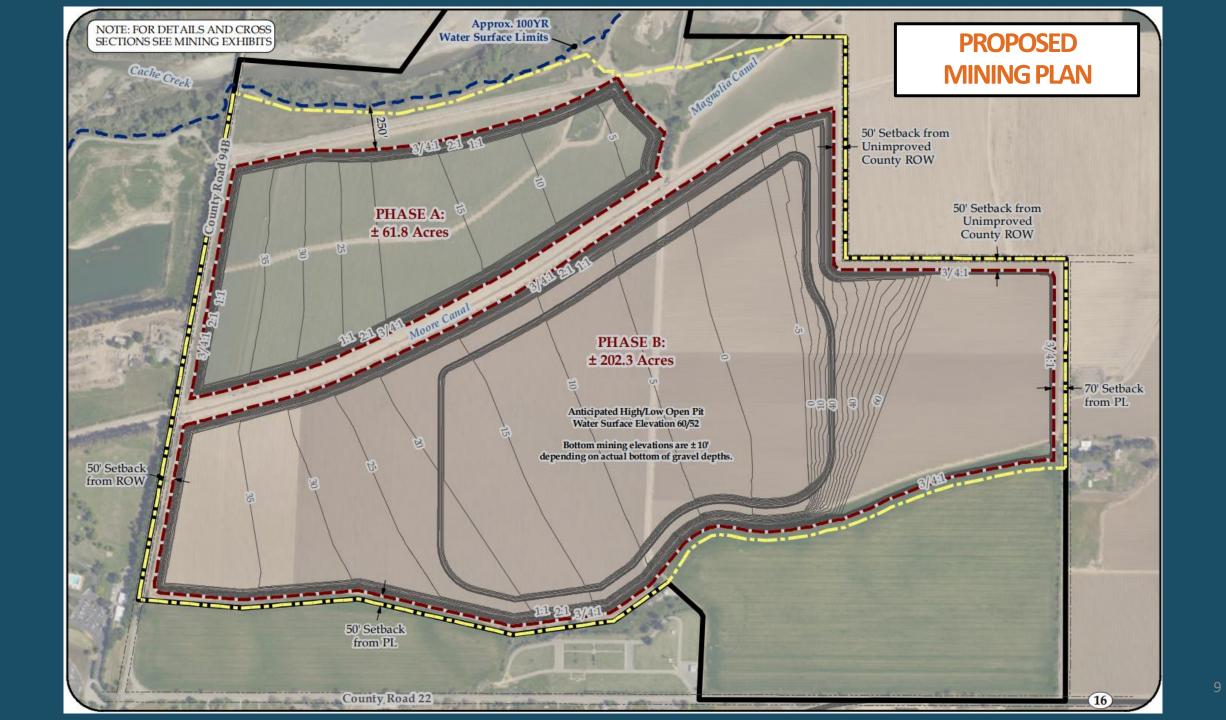
PROJECT PROPOSAL

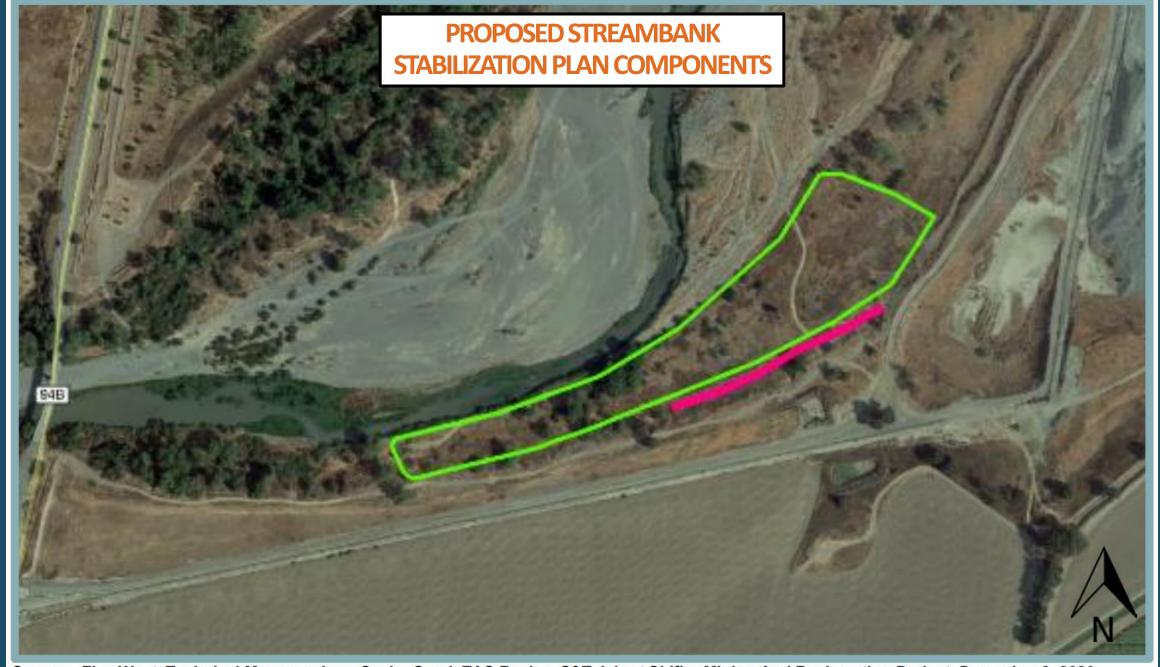
- Proposed project site 319 acres of 442-acre Shifler property
- Proposed mining area 264 acres (other mining-related activity on 55 acres)
- Mining of 35.4 mil tons total (30.0 mil tons sold) over 30 years
- Maximum mining of 2.6 mil tons annually (2.2 mil tons sold) with 20% Exceedance
- Transfer of tonnage allocation from Esparto and Schwarzgruber permits
- Mining depths of 40 to 110 feet
- Authorize mining within Streamway Influence Zone
- Processing to occur at Teichert Woodland Plant
- No change in approved haul route or hours of operation
- Reclamation to agriculture, lake, and habitat



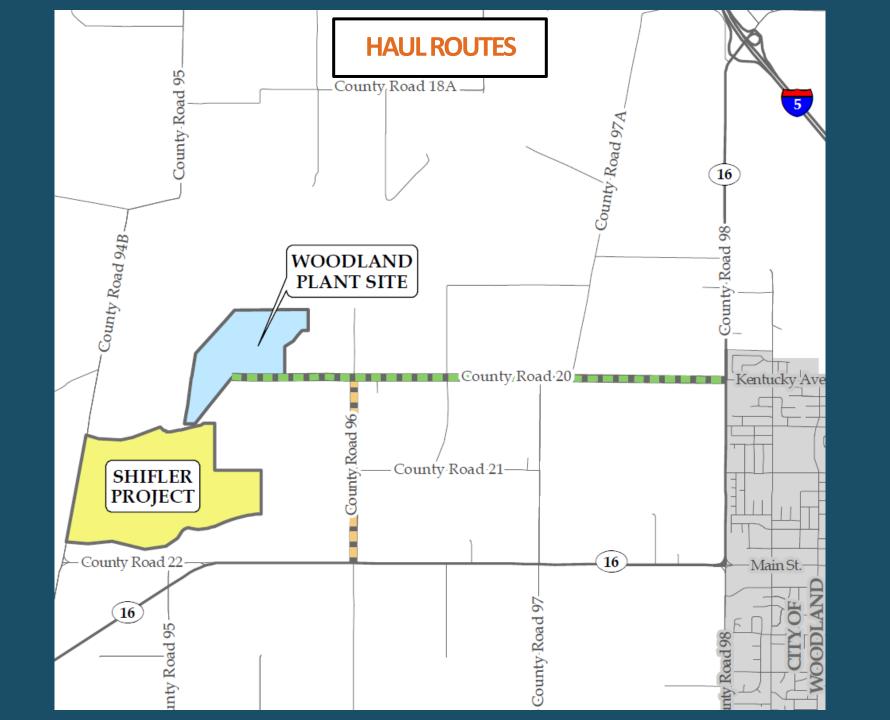








Source: FlowWest. Technical Memorandum: Cache Creek TAC Review Of Teichert Shifler Mining And Reclamation Project. December 3, 2020.



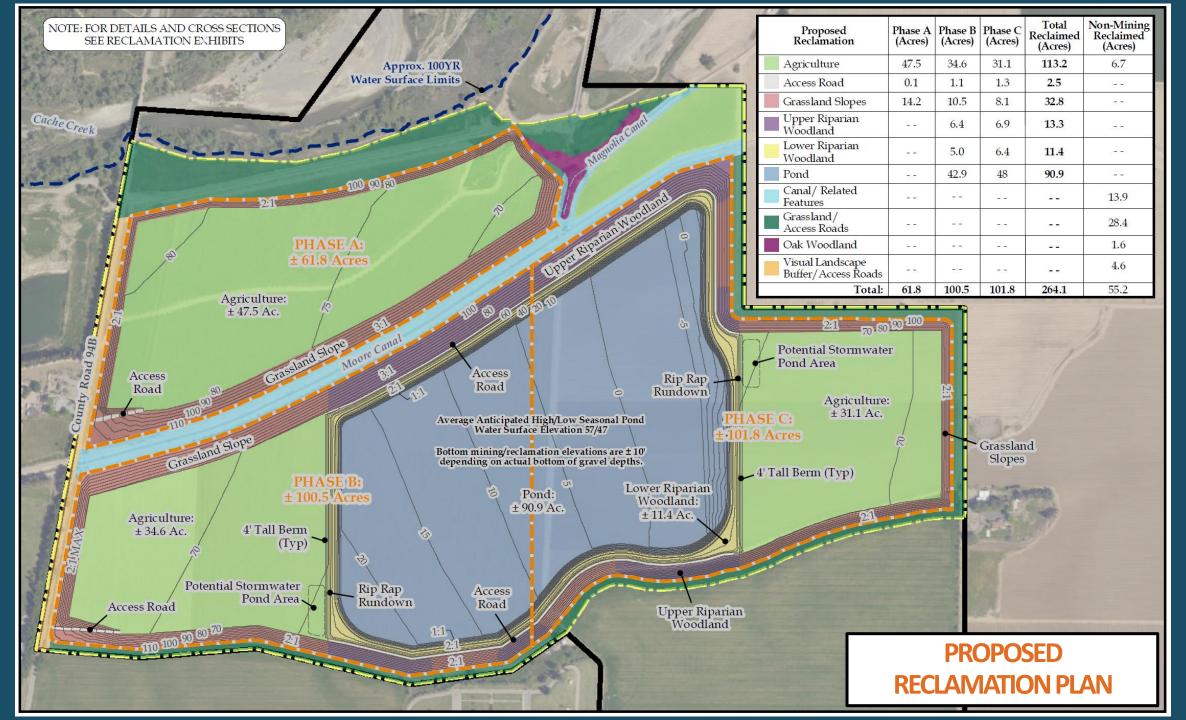
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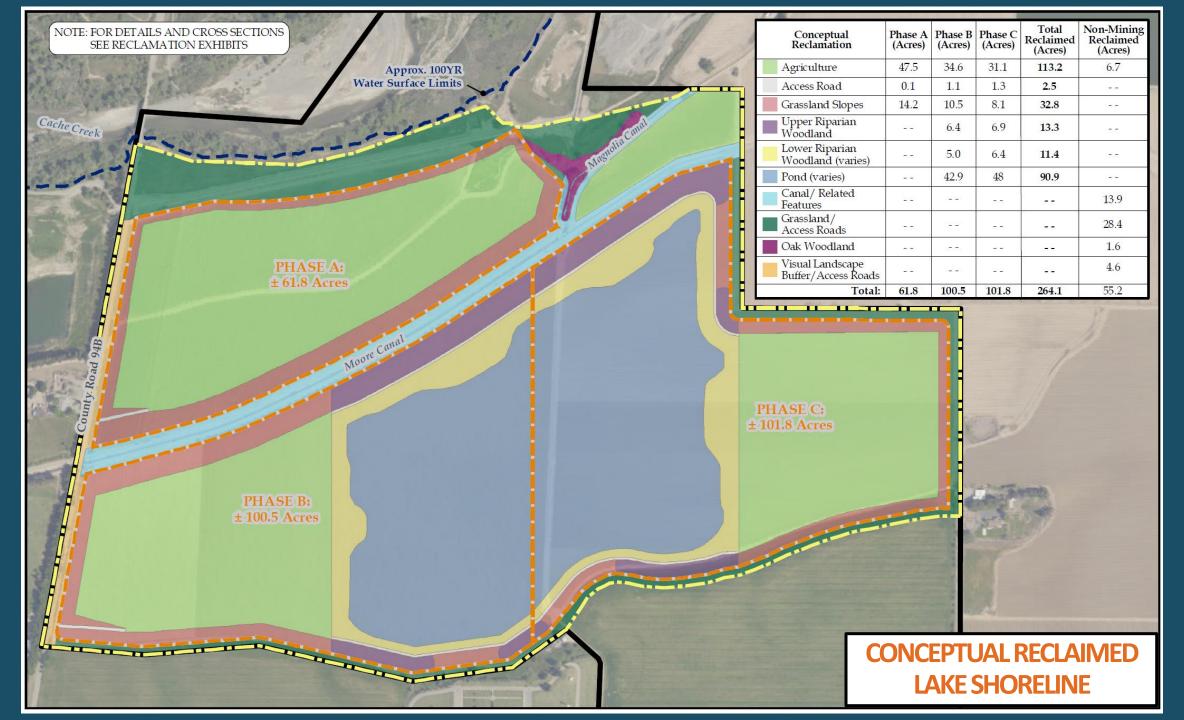
HAUL ROUTE

- East on CR 20 to CR 98/SR 16 north to I-5 and/or
- South on CR 96 to SR 16 west to I-505

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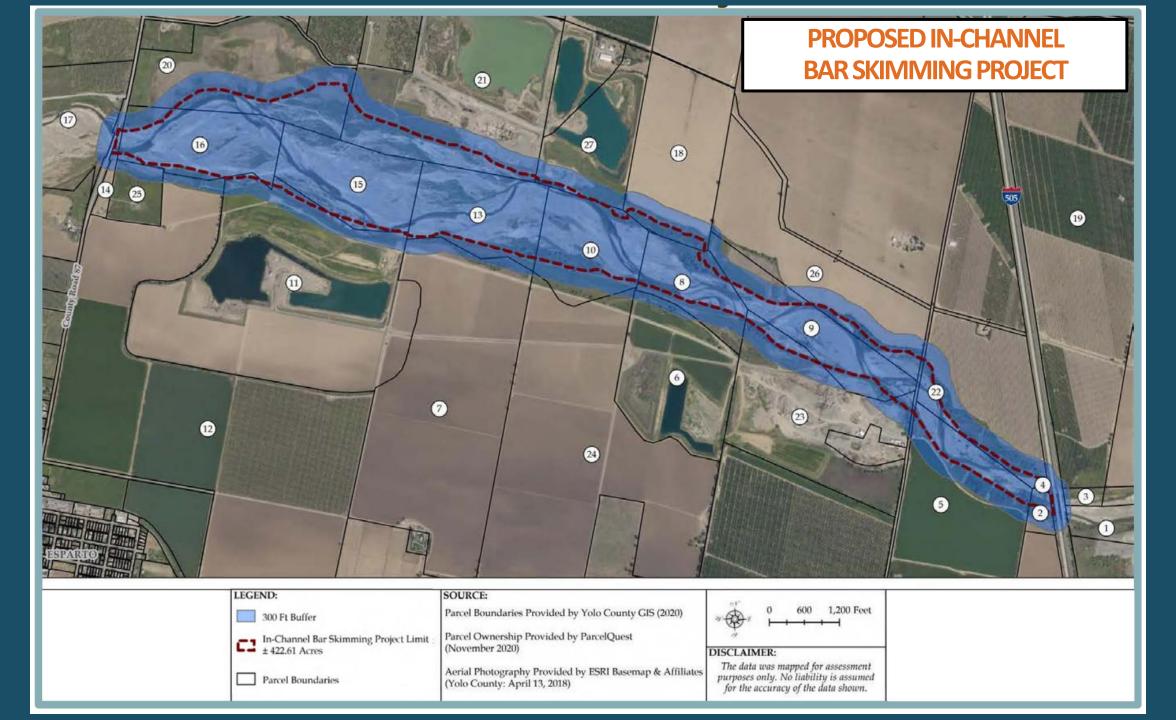
- 6 a.m. 6 p.m. Mon-Sat (mining)
- 6 a.m. 6 p.m. Mon-Fri (plant)
- August to October
 - 6 a.m. 10 p.m. Mon-Fri
 - 6 a.m. 6 p.m. Sat/Sun
- 24-hours (as needed to meet contracts)

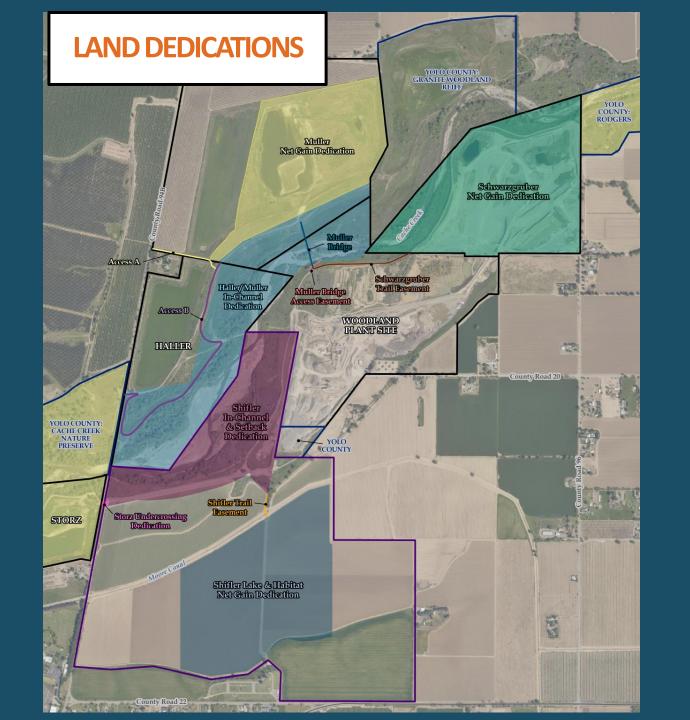




DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT PUBLIC BENEFIT ITEMS ("NET GAINS")

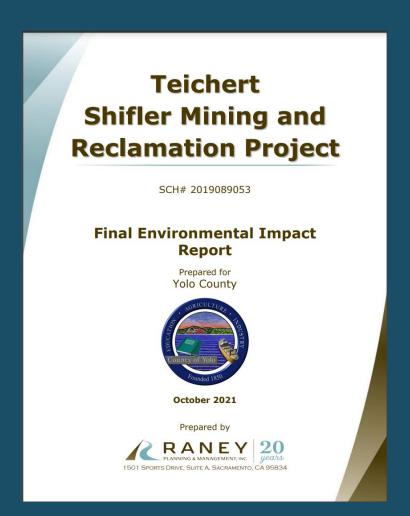
- In-Channel Maintenance Bar Skimming (CR 87 to I-505)
- Property Dedications
 - Shifler Lake
 - Shifler In-Channel
 - Schwarzgruber
- Cash Donations to Nature Preserve and Parkway Plan
- Safe Pedestrian Crossing of CR 94B for Trail Connection
- Woodland Plant as Sales Tax Place of Sale
- Early Dedication of Teichert In-Channel Haller/Muller
- Enhanced Reclamation of County Borrow Site Property
- Future Trail from Muller Bridge to Schwarzgruber Property
- Removal of Restrictions on Muller Access "B"





ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT

- Draft EIR Released December 11, 2020
- Final EIR Released October 15, 2021
- 6 Project Alternatives
- 4 Unavoidable Impacts
- 38 Comment letters
- 5 Master Responses
 - Merits of the Project
 - Property Values
 - Transportation and Circulation
 - Hydrology and Water Quality
 - Agricultural Concerns



SUSTAINABILITY

- Consistent with Climate Action Plan
- Consistent with CEQA (Section 15183.5(b))
- Consistent with CCAP Update Final EIR
- Local Source of Gravel
- Proximity to Market
- Upgrades Woodland Plant
- Electric Conveyor System
- Project-Level GHG Reduction Plan (MM 4.3-7)
- Electric Vehicle Charging Plan (MM 4.3-8)
- Applicant Green Energy Portfolio Commitments (Appendix I, Final EIR)

TRIBAL CONSULTATION

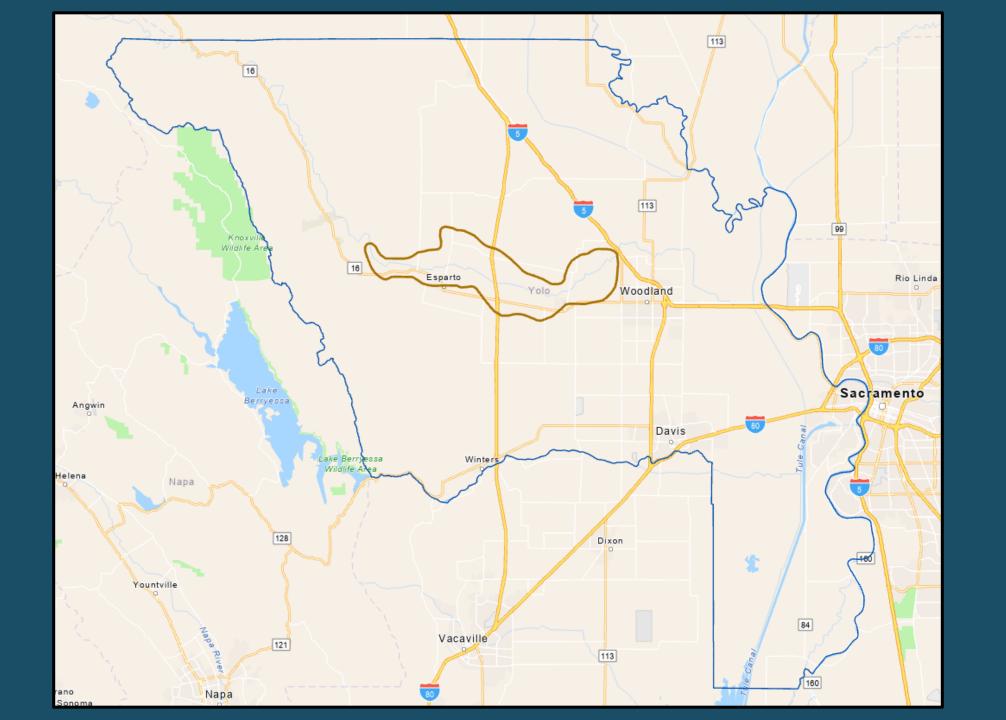
- CEQA Coordination
- Cultural Resources Assessment and Peer Review
- Tribal Cultural Resources Consideration and Field Testing
- Tribal Consultation
- Tribal Monitoring Agreement
- Operator Awareness Training

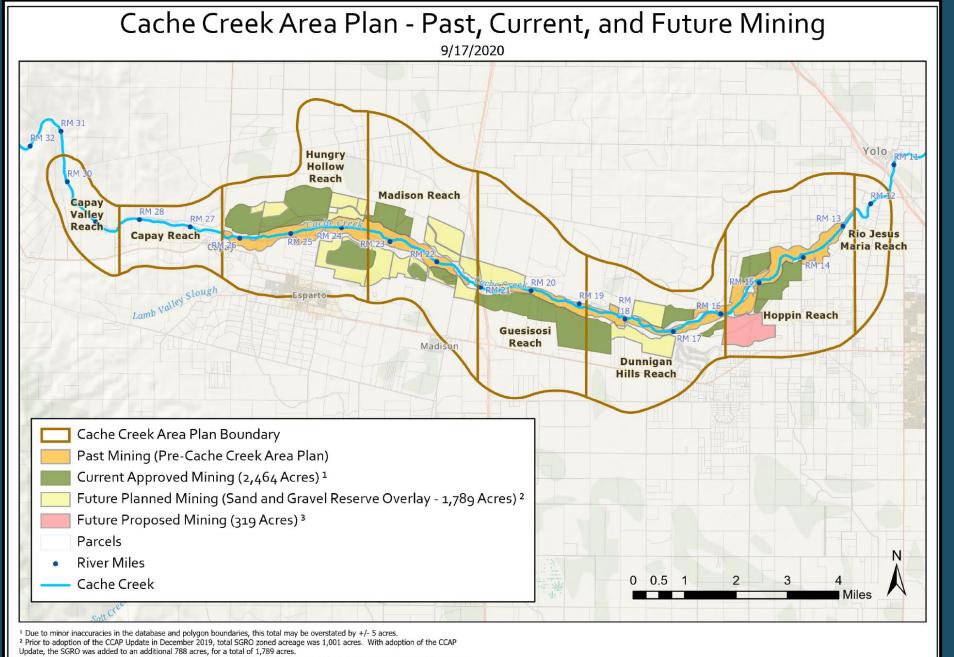
AGRICULTURAL MITIGATION

- CCAP Requirement
- CEQA Requirement
- Analyzed in CCAP Update FEIR
- Project impacts to 258 acres of farmland
- Reclamation of a minimum of 113 acres to agriculture
- Permanent protection of a minimum of 145 acres of farmland
- Dedication of 212 acres of additional Parkway land as "equivalent" net gains

CACHE CREEK AREA PLAN

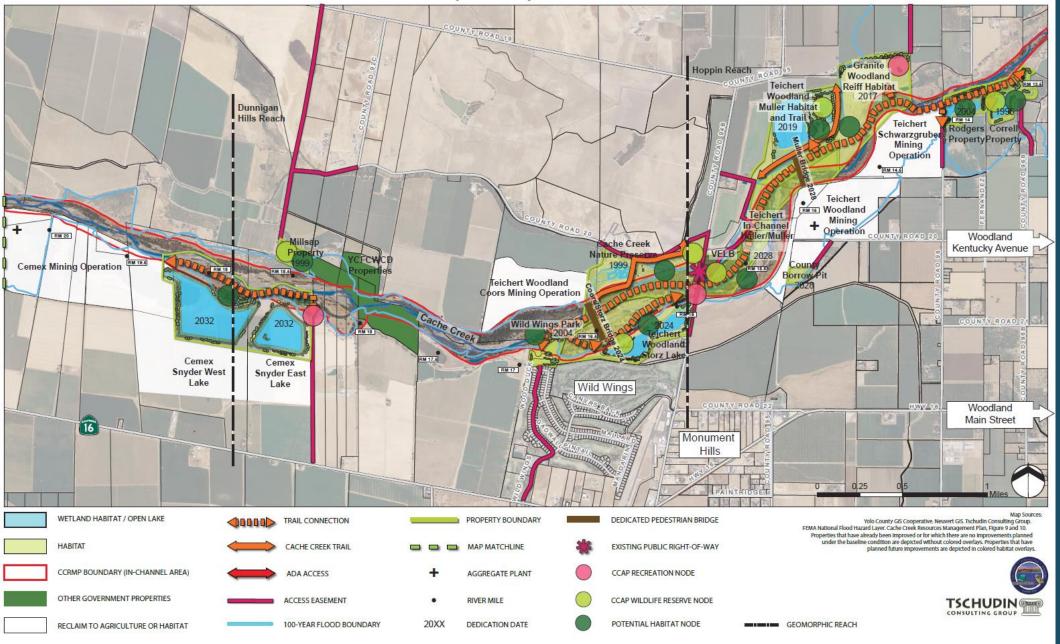
- State Mandate SMARA
- 1995 Technical Studies
- Adopted and Public Vote 1996
- Rigorous Regulatory Framework (plans, policies, regulations)
- Adaptive Management Watershed Focus Science Based
- Governs land uses along Lower Cache Creek (14.5 miles)
- 2017 Technical Studies
- Cache Creek Parkway Plan (Baseline Inventory) 2018
- Comprehensive Update 2019
- Balances Multiple Priorities

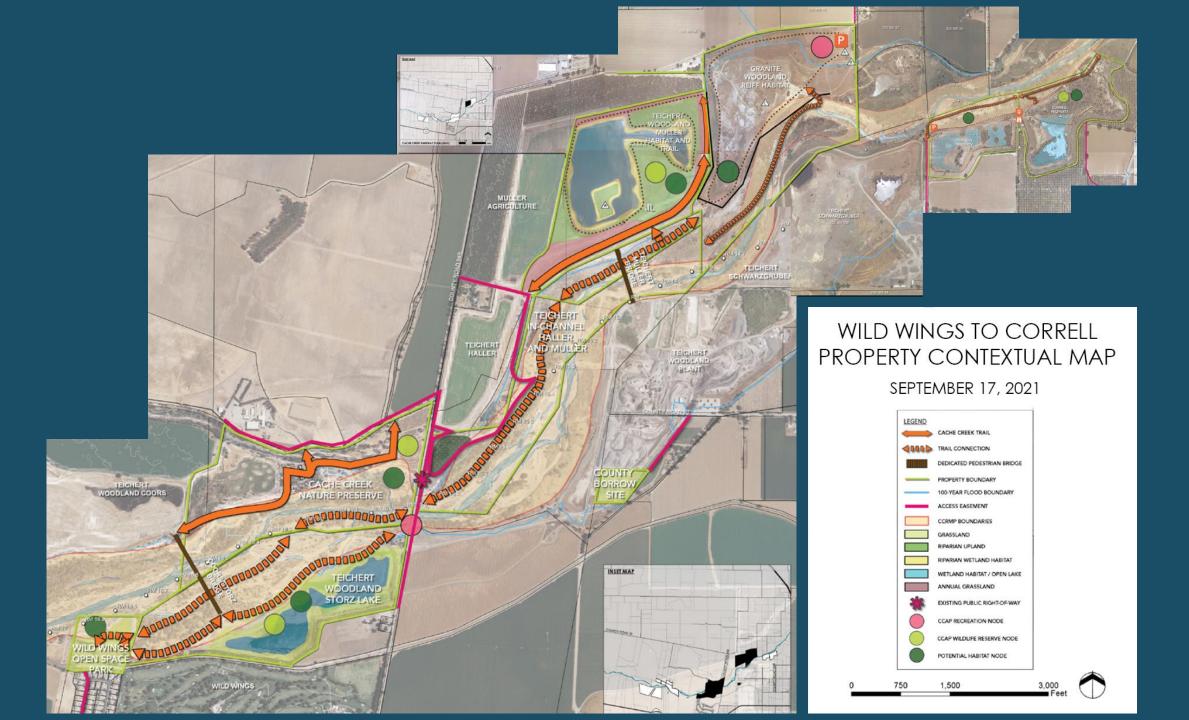




³ This reflects the actual proposed mining acreage in the Teichert Shifler application. An additional +/- 81 acres assumed for rezoning as a part of the CCAP Update represented portions of the Shifler property not ultimately included in the Teichert Shifler application.

CACHE CREEK PARKWAY PLAN (EAST) - BASELINE IMPROVEMENTS





CACHE CREEK NATURE PRESERVE







REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATION

- Documented important gravel reserve
- Consistent with General Plan, CCAP, and CAP
- Minimizes impacts to surrounding land uses and environment
- Minimizes and mitigates impacts to farmland
- Reduction in annual and total tonnage
- Consolidates plant sites and upgrades Woodland Plant
- Important net gains and open space benefits
- Economic and fiscal benefits

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FALL 2021 SCHEDULE



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