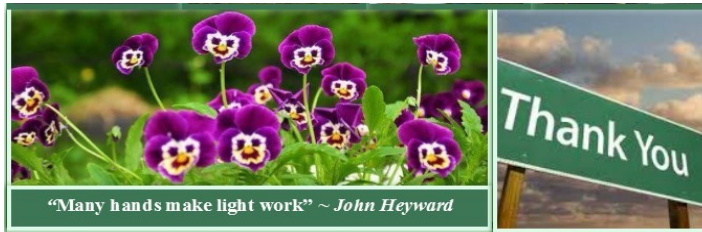


Community Pride Volunteers~

Work Days at El Dorado Trail, Randolph Creek, Redwoods, Gold Bug Garden, Old City Hall Lot, Upper Broadway, and Monument Garden Project



"Many hands make light work" ~ John Heyward

City of Placerville

COMMUNITY PRIDE

"Dedicated to Improving the Grace & Charm of Placerville"



City Gardens * Work Projects * Public Art

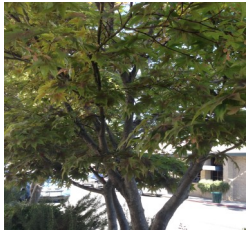
GARDEN WALK

with Public Art & Historic Points of Interest
And our 30-Year History Special Edition



#3 Our Monument Garden Project to honor local servicemen who made the ultimate sacrifice and for all veterans. A place for peaceful reflection at Bedford Ave and Main Street

City Garden Projects & Map ~



Trident Maple at Mooney Lot



Bloodgood Maple at Mooney Lot & old City Hall Garden



Flameglow Maple at old City Hall Garden



Orange Maple at old City Hall Garden

DOWNTOWN MAIN STREET

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Main Street Maples~ Photos on these two pages show the variety of maple trees Community Pride has planted along upper, lower and downtown Main Street

FOX LOT PROJECT ~



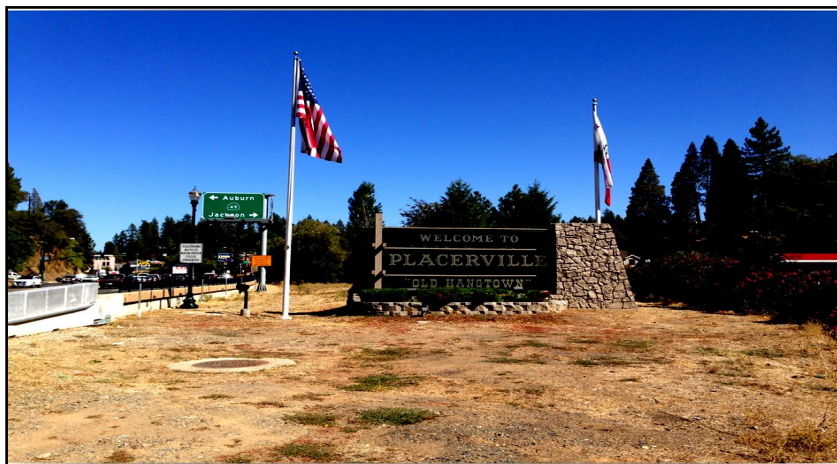
Before & After of Fox Lot Garden Project

Phase one: Stone & Brick flower planters along sidewalk with our signature mountain theme plants, Phase two: shade trees in the center and Phase three: a storm-water garden along Hangtown Creek.

Future plans include replacing chain-link with wrought iron fencing.



GATEWAY GARDEN PROJECT~



Old original gateway photo (right-provided by the Winji family) shows original "Gateway to Lake Tahoe" west of gateway garden at Main St.



Our first Caltrans Adopt-A-Hwy garden project (before left) and after (below) & new location (top of page).



A colorful array of water-wise wildflowers will replace our mountain theme garden with lawn at the entrance to Placerville near the crossroads of historic SR 49 & Scenic US 50.



Public Art & Historic Landmarks~

PUBLIC ART ~

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SEE ~ Recent Grants Awarded to Community Pride Volunteers: Monument on Front Cover & Page 7, Fox Lot Page 10, Lamp Light Project Page 24, and Garden Wall Mural Restoration Page 23)

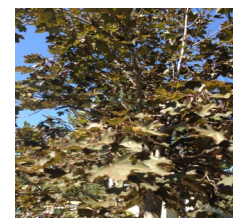
CALL TO VOLUNTEERS ~

Volunteer Work Days at Gold Bug Gardens, Hangtown Creek Project, Monument Garden, Redwoods at Broadway, Randolph Creek Project, El Dorado Trail Garden, and Old City Hall Gardens.....Pg. 28

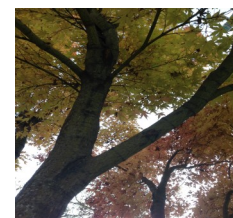
To volunteer and help beautify Placerville's public spaces call town hall at 642-5232 and please leave your contact information, Thank You!



Lace Leaf Maple at old City Hall Garden



Black Maple at Fox Lot Garden



Coral Maple at SR49 & Main Garden



Big Leaf Maple at Clay, creek at old City Hall & Welcome Sign



TOUR STARTS HERE AT OLD CITY CLOCK LANDMARK

Located at old City
Hall Parking Lot
Public Restroom,
Drinking Fountain,
& Park Bench



OLD MAP & PHOTO WALK

See rare 1888 map & photos
at old city hall lot and enjoy
some time traveling to
Placerville's golden past along
historic Main Street

Donated by: Mr. & Mrs. Keith Johnson



Lamp Light Project ~

Old Lamp Lights were restored at this corner with flowers and repair of the Snowshoe Thompson, Pony Express, and Cary Hotel metal sculptures at the old monument. Located at Sacramento St & west entrance to historic Main Street

OLD CITY HALL GARDENS ~



Flowering gardens along sidewalk, a fern garden with poppies & pollinators in back along creek, and conifers at the base of buildings. Includes graffiti maintenance at lot sign, the park bench and the old map & photo walk display.



Located at the foundations of Old City Hall & Parking Lot.

MAIN ST & BEDFORD AVE GARDEN ~

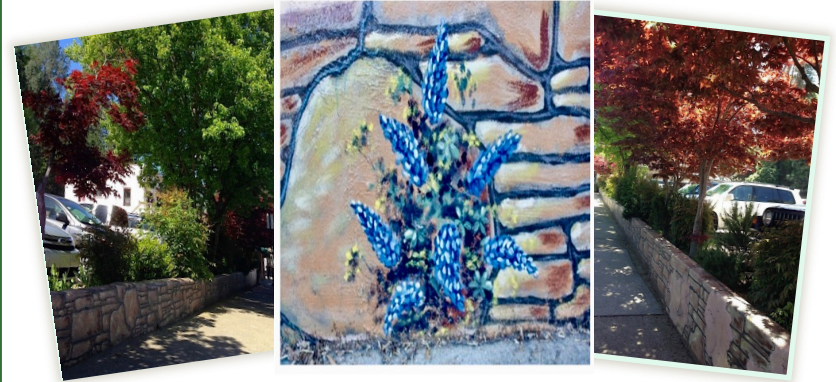


Colorful flowers at this entrance to downtown Main Street at Bedford.



Located on Main street at Bedford Avenue.

GARDEN WALL MURAL ~



Mooney Lot garden wall with old stone, brick, local flora & fauna, and whimsical creatures.



Located on Main Street at the Mooney Parking lot near the old Soda Works building.

FAIRY MURALS ~



Murals of garden fairies at garden stones, old city hall buildings, and the electric box facing Main Street



Located at old City Hall on Main Street at the old City Hall Gardens and Public Restroom.

MONUMENT GARDEN PROJECT ~



Main Street and Bedford Ave

EDC CHAMBER GARDEN ~



El Dorado County Chamber of Commerce
Building Butterfly Flower Garden



Located on Main Street.

SNOWSHOE THOMPSON MURAL~



Local hero Snowshoe Thompson carried mail from Placerville to Genoa, Nevada and back in the harshest of winter conditions and was not paid for his years of public service. His feats of strength & courage earned him the title "The Hero of the Sierra." Our mural is located at the site of the original post office.



Located at SR 49 & Main Street.

BROADWAY ENTRANCE GARDENS ~



Located at the west entrance to Broadway at Mosquito Road and the east entrance to Broadway at Schnell School Rd. These bookend gardens will help to give Broadway a distinct look with a Pollinators Paradise for birds, bees, butterflies and bipeds



Redwood planter strip at Mosquito & corner at Schnell

BELL TOWER LANDMARK~



Wrought Iron Railings by Community Pride Fundraising

FOX LOT GARDENS ~



Colorful layers of trees, shrubs and a storm water garden along Hangtown Creek; brick and river rock planter boxes with oak, maple & sycamore shade this downtown parking lot



Located on Main Street at the Fox Parking Lot

RANDOLPH CREEK PROJECT~



A natural area with good public exposure along the El Dorado Trail using regular active management, removing non-native plants, and establishing native plants and wildflowers garden project without irrigation.

EL DORADO TRAIL SHADE TREE & ZEN GARDEN ~



A Valley Oak shade tree and Zen rock garden project with wildflowers are planned for this location. Native sycamore trees shade this section of trail near Locust Street, softening the urban feel and providing a promenade of shade



Located on El Dorado Trail near Locust Street

WELCOME SIGN MOUNTAIN MEADOW AT HANGTOWN CREEK PROJECT~



Welcome Sign Gateway to Sierra Mountain Meadow is planned for this area with at Canal Street and US 50 at lower Main Street



Hangtown Creek at US 50 between Canal Street & Spring Street

ORE CART GARDEN PROJECT ~



Ore Cart "River of Gold" Garden Project at the Gold Bug Park Sign located at Bedford Ave. and US 50.



US 50 & Bedford Avenue

MOONEY LOT GARDEN ~



Maple trees with low maintenance color ground covers, a rock garden, and fern grotto.



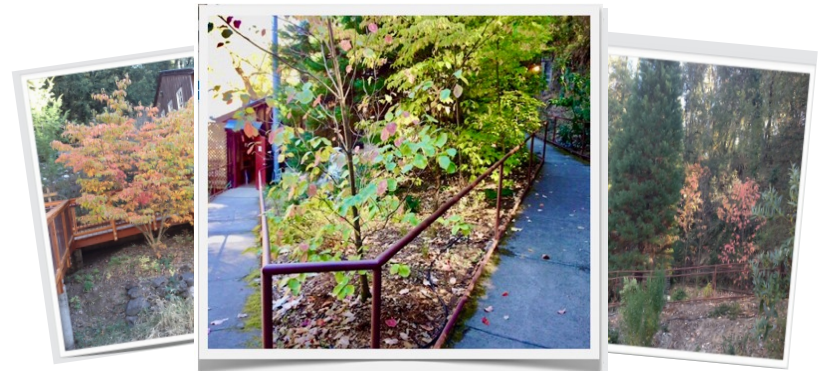
Located on Main Street at the Mooney Parking Lot.

DRUID TORCH MONUMENT~



Located at Cedar Ravine and the east entrance to upper Main Street

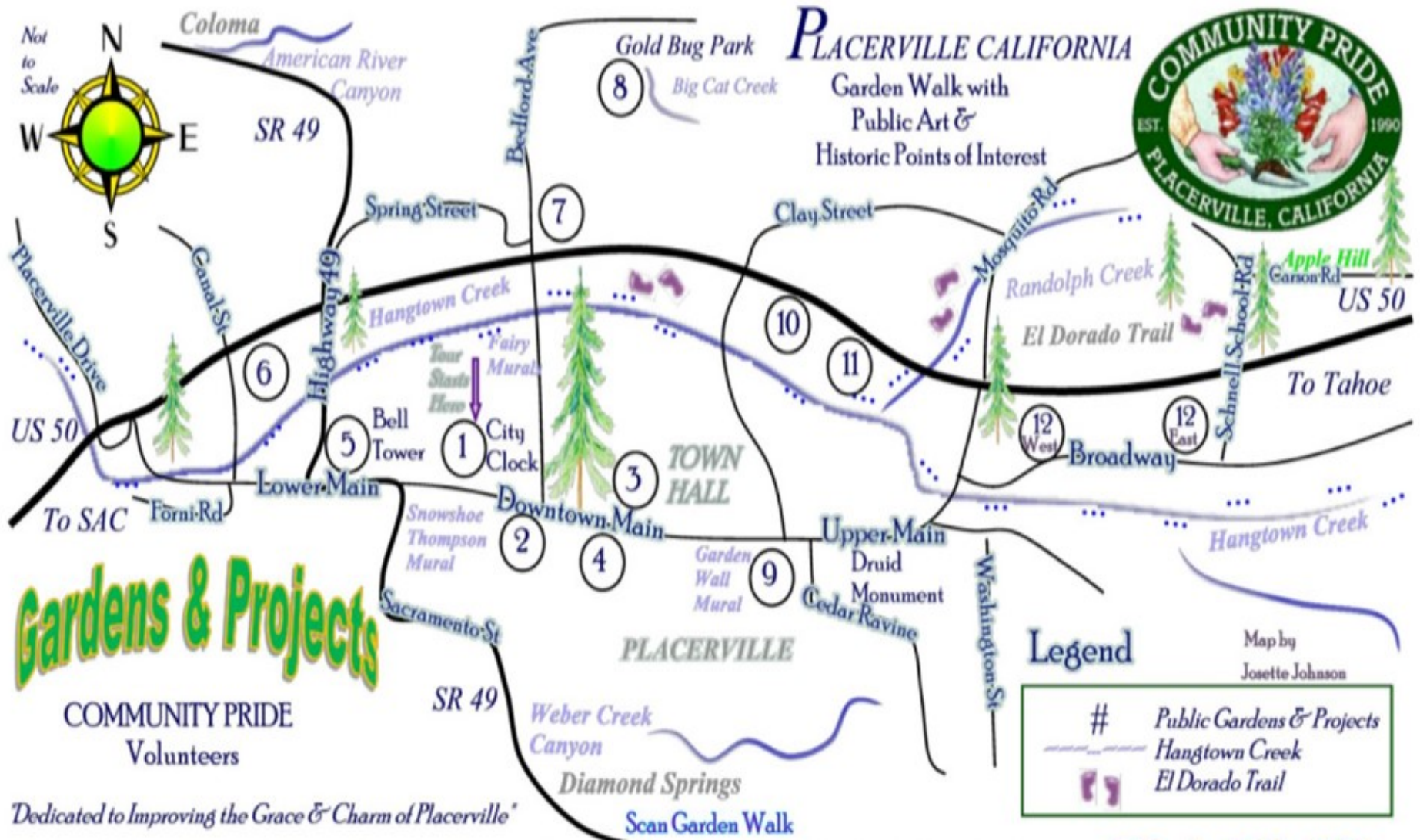
GOLD BUG PARK GARDEN PROJECT ~



A shade garden dominated by a giant sequoia and dogwood trees with native plants columbine, western bleeding heart, false solomon's seal, scarlet monkeyflower, blue-eyed grass, rushes, Spiraea, wild ginger, sword fern, black-eyed susans, sunflower and native strawberries.



Located near the museum at Gold Bug Park.



City Clock Landmark

- 1. Old City Hall Gardens
- 2. Main St. at Bedford Garden
- 3. Monument Garden Project
- 4. EDC Chamber Garden

Bell Tower Landmark

- 5. Fox Lot Garden
- 6. Welcome Sign Garden
- 7. Ore Cart Garden
- 8. Gold Bug Garden



Druid Torch Landmark

- 9. Mooney Garden & Mural
- 10. El Dorado Trail Garden
- 11. Randolph Creek Project
- 12. Broadway Entrance Gardens

Public Art & Map Walk

- * Snowshoe Thompson Mural
- * Fairy Murals
- * Garden Wall Mural
- * Tour Starts at Map