

Community Pride Work Days ~

Ivy House, Fox Lot, Mooney Lot, Randolph Creek & Old City Hall Garden



"Many hands make light work" ~ John Heyward

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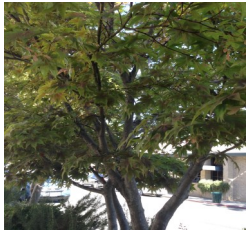
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"A Garden Walk"

Prepared for
the City of Placerville
by Community Pride Committee

City Gardens~



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

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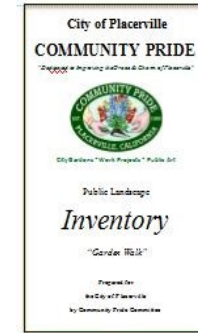
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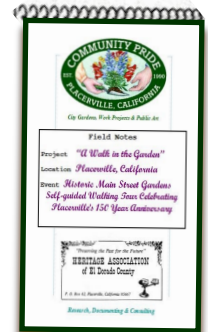
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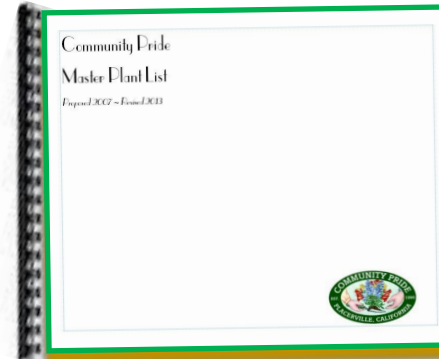
REDWOODS AT BROADWAY GARDEN



On the corner are redwoods with sweet gum trees along Broadway. The rest is an oak woodland with a few Chinese pistache trees, pines, redbud, and toyon with daffodils dotting the hillside in the spring. Junipers anchor the eastern edge of the garden.



Located at Broadway & Mosquito Road.



Master Plant List

For more info...

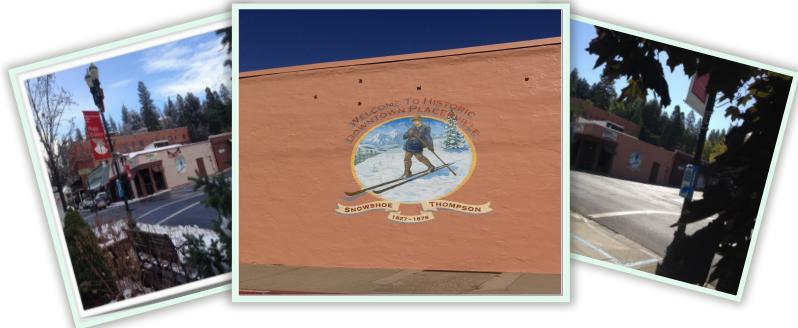
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Downtown Historic Map & Garden Walk ~



Located at Old City Hall, this 1888 map highlights historic Placerville buildings. For more info & historic points of interest along our garden, art & creek projects, scan or visit our web page and download our special "Village of Gold" Placerville sesquicentennial historic spaces & garden walk honoring our towns 150th anniversary. See our gardens & projects inventory & master plant lists above.

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.

IVY HOUSE GARDEN ~



River rock garden with colorful flowers, flowering bulbs, magnolia and ground covers under a lovely cork oak tree.

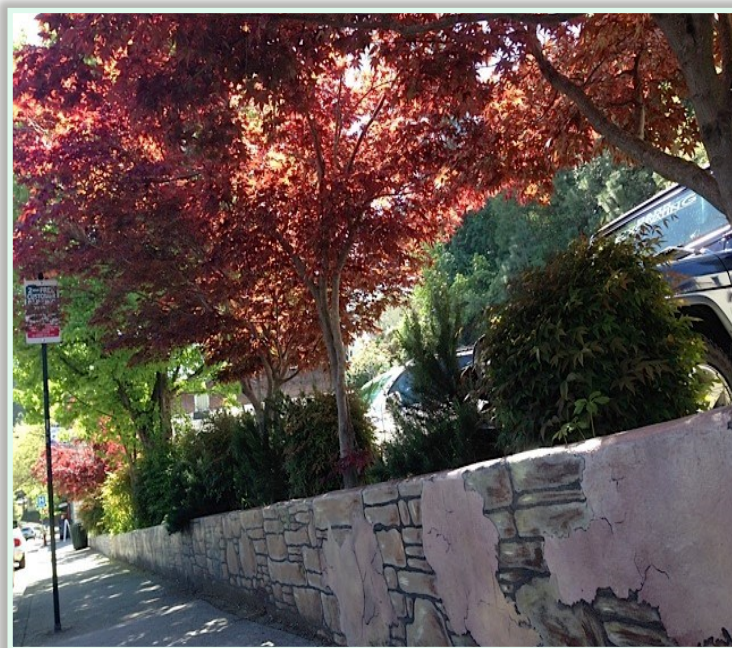


Located at Main Street & Clay Street at Cedar Ravine

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.

FAIRY MURALS ~



Murals of garden fairies.



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

GARDEN WALL MURAL ~



Mural along Mooney Lot garden wall.



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

EDC CHAMBER GARDEN ~



El Dorado County Chamber of Commerce Building Garden



Located on Main Street.

MAIN ST & BEDFORD AVE GARDEN ~



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



Located on Main street at Bedford Avenue.

CALTRANS ADOPT-A-HWY WILDFLOWERS AT CREEK & TRAIL ~



Caltrans Adopt-A-Highway Wildflowers at the creek at old City Hall, the El Dorado Trail and various other locations within our 2 mile project with the goal to create a “Flaming Gorge” of California Golden Poppies.

Randolph Creek Project creek maintenance & native plants



Scan here for our Plant Palette Sampler

Old City Hall at Creek Wildflowers seeding poppies

Randolph creek project, Enhance this 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 with 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.

OLD CITY HALL GARDEN ~



Trees, plants, flowers, ferns, a park bench, and historic map and garden walk plaque line the old City Hall building and parking lot.

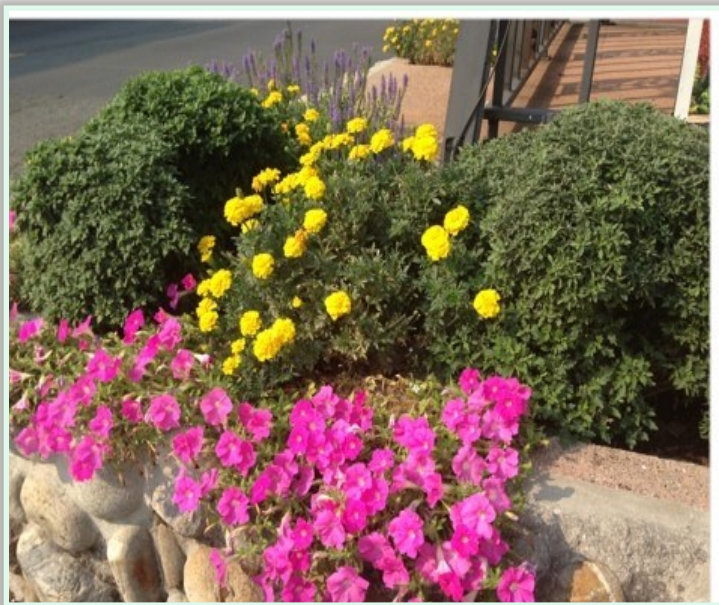


Located at the foundations of Old City Hall & Parking Lot.

BELL TOWER GARDEN ~



River rock flower boxes with trailing ground cover and colorful Victorian style flowers along ornate wrought iron railings at the base of the Bell Tower.



Located on downtown Main Street.

WELCOME SIGN MOUNTAIN MEADOW AT HANGTOWN CREEK PROJECT~



.New Gateway to Sierra Mountain Meadow planned for this area with wildflowers and the Hangtown Creek Project is a nature study area at Canal Street and US 50 at lower Main Street.



Located on US 50 between Canal Street and Spring Street.

MONUMENT GARDEN PROJECT ~

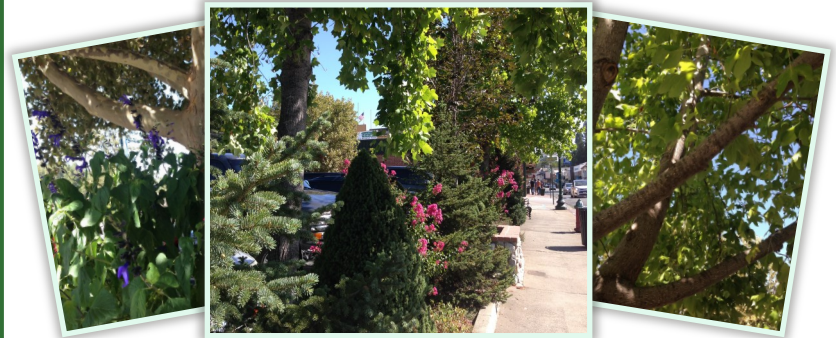


Monument fundraising garden project.



Located on Bedford Ave at Main Street.

FOX LOT GARDENS ~



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



Located on Main Street at the Fox Parking Lot.

PARKING GARAGE GARDEN ~

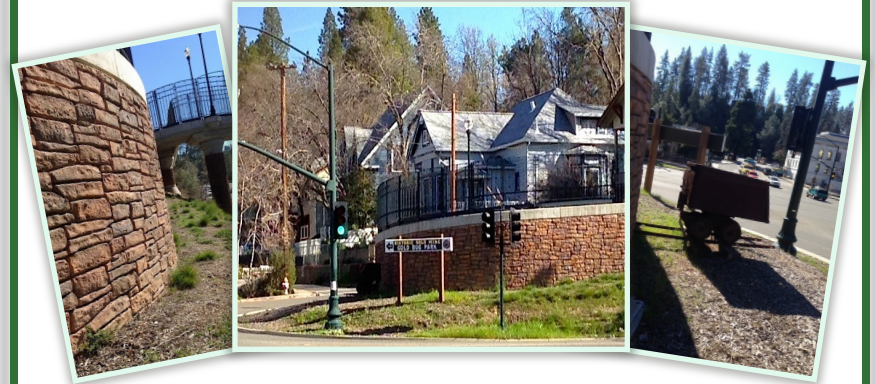


Located at the parking garage east of Center Street, this planned “art in the garden shadow dance” project of “brick & bamboo” will utilize bamboo in such a way that it provides graceful movement & shadowing.



Located on US 50 at Center Street near City Hall.

ORE CART GARDEN PROJECT ~



Ore Cart “River of Gold” Garden Project to be rebuilt with roses at the Gold Bug Park Sign located at Bedford Ave. and US 50.



Located at the corner of US 50 & Bedford Avenue.

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 are in the planter).



Located near the museum at Gold Bug Park.

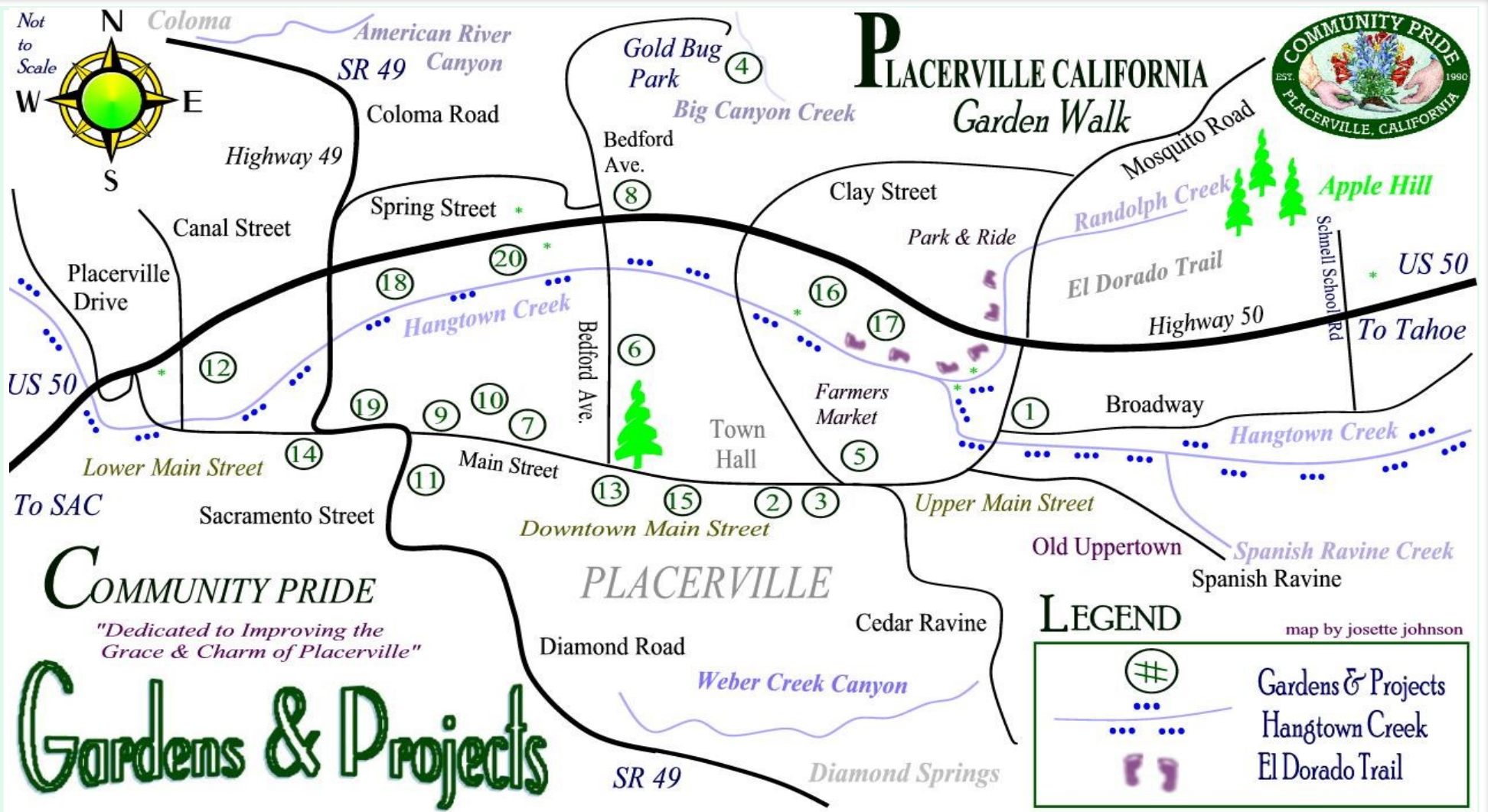
MAIN ST & SR 49 GARDEN ~



This garden at SR 49 & Main Street is planted with shrubbery and a lovely coral bark maple tree along the sidewalk of an old homestead lined with an old river rock retainer wall.



Located at lower Main Street at SR 49.



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