

On-the Ground Efforts: Strengths and Weaknesses

Eastern and Southern Nevada

Tri-County Weed Control

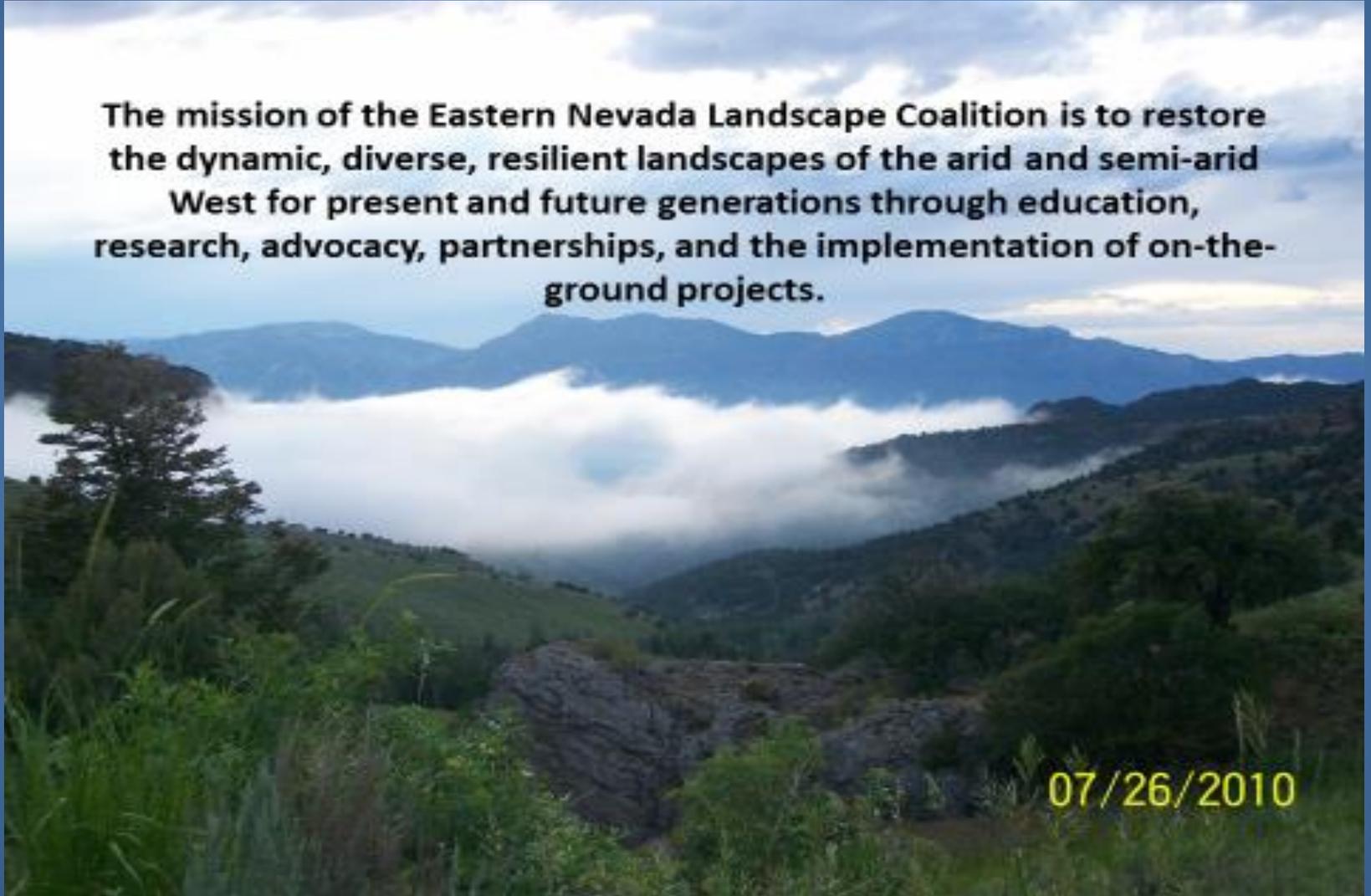
- Established in 2001
- County entity that works across county lines
- Completely self funded
- Focuses on inventory, monitoring, treatment, education and outreach



Eastern Nevada Landscape Coalition

The mission of the Eastern Nevada Landscape Coalition is to restore the dynamic, diverse, resilient landscapes of the arid and semi-arid West for present and future generations through education, research, advocacy, partnerships, and the implementation of on-the-ground projects.

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CWMAs

Newark/Long Valley 2002

Railroad Valley 2003

White River Valley 2003

Steptoe Valley 2004

Snake Valley 2005

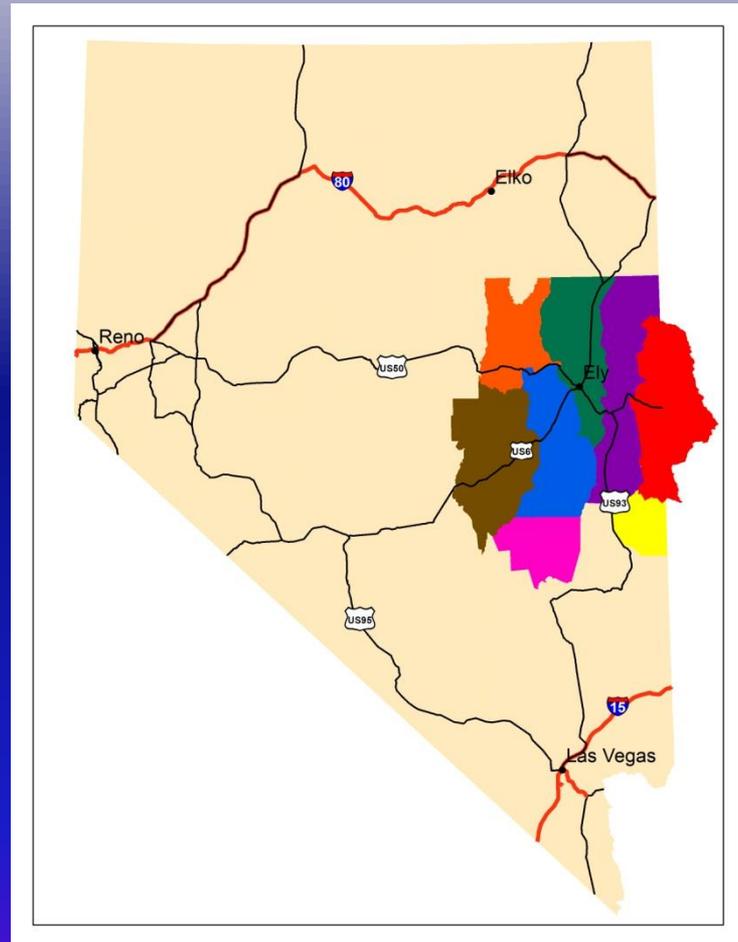
Spring Valley 2006

Panaca 2006, disbanded 2008

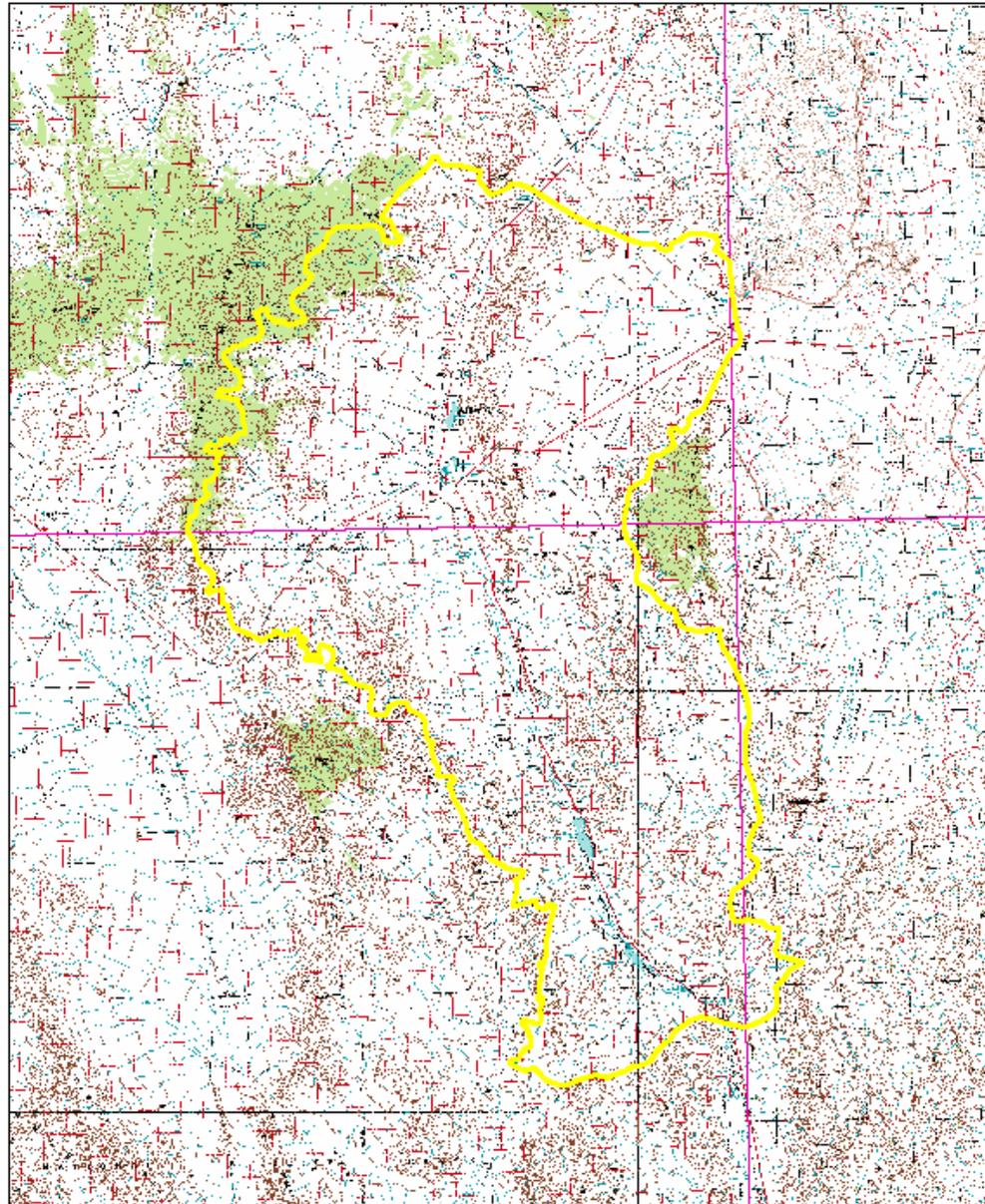
Upper Meadow Valley 2010

Golden Gate 2011

Southern Nevada 2014



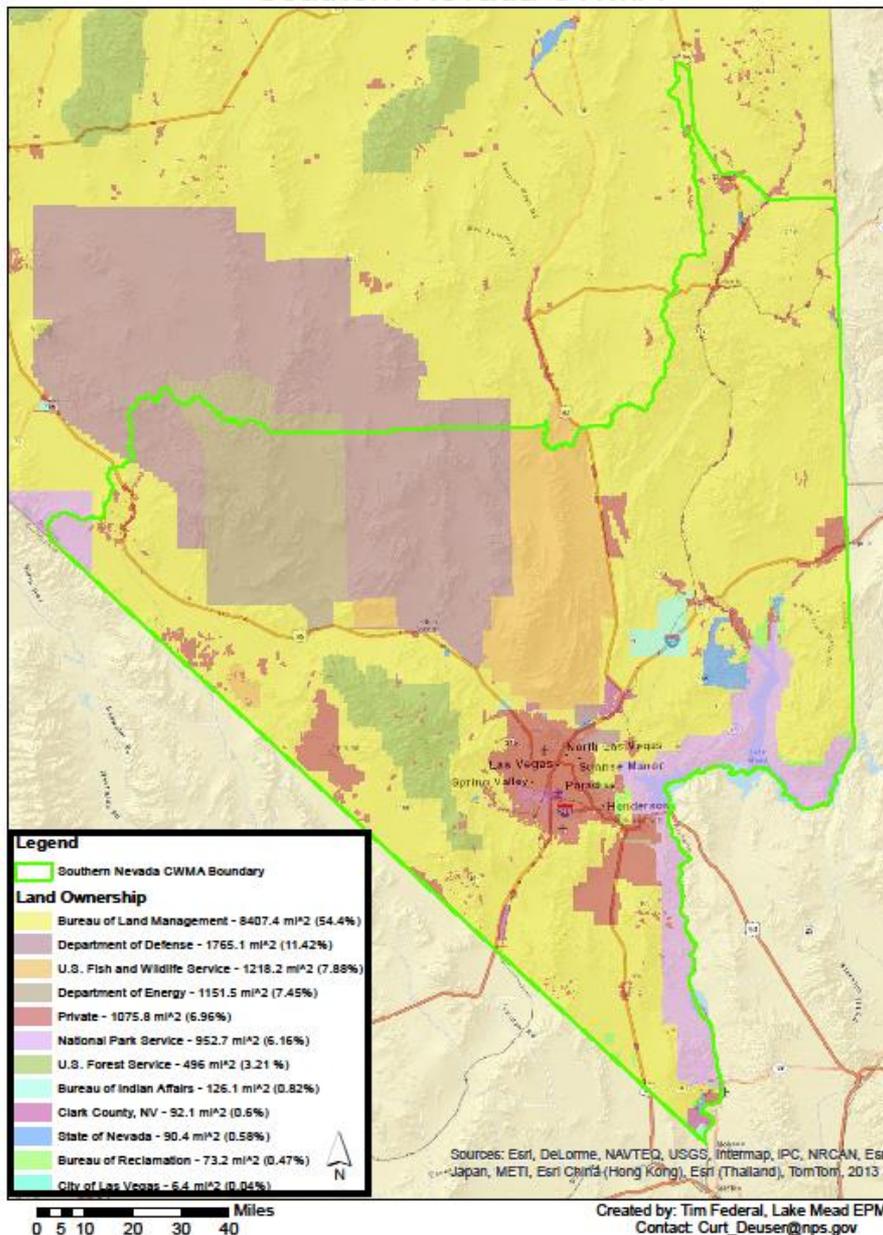
Pahrnagat Valley CWMA Boundary



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CWMA Boundary

Southern Nevada CWMA



Strengths

- Collaboration
- Unified under ENLC or works hand and hand with ENLC
- Focus on key infestations, critical habitat and EDRR weeds
- Outreach and education



Accomplishments

- Treated over 313,736 acres of weed infestations since 2003
- Inventoried over 8.6 million acres since 2002
- Identified over 1,200 infestations
- Annual White River Valley volunteer days



- Snake Valley Water Hemlock pull
- Snake Valley Community Center Clean-up
- Snake Valley Elementary School grounds
- Green Fountain Grass pull and exchange days (2 this year)
- Seeding corners of pivots



Weaknesses

- Lack of consistent funding for all lands
- Continuity in treatments
- Keeping people motivated
- Education and outreach
- Getting people to use the technology that is available



Goal – Healthy Landscapes in Nevada and throughout the West

