Placerville Historic Markers Inventory Co-initiated project by Stan Morris and Dee Owens

The project's goal is to identify, record, and inventory, with high-quality mapping tools, all of the City of Placerville's historic markers and monuments. Utilizing GPS devices, existing information, MS Excel, and online mapping applications (see Google Map link at the bottom of document), data on all accessible historic sites and locations with markers will be collected, organized, and published. The project, presented to the City of Placerville's Historical Advisory Committee on January 17, 2013 by Stanley W. Morris, is an independent effort of the initiators to support and enhance historical preservation and improve the experience of local tourism.

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Balyes Building	Placerville	Heritage Association of El Dorado County	1980	LITIK	PIC#	10 0691068/4288694	248 Main Street. Heritage Association "Tombstone" plaque (March 12th, 1980) mounted on exterior wall. Also find a Balyes Building wall plaque painted on the front/left side of the building and the Snowshoe Thompson mural on the exterior West wall.
Bee-Bennett House	Placerville	Grand Parlor, Native Sons of the Golden West	1986	Bee-Bennett House			643 Bee Street, Sequoia Restaurant
Bell from the Original Bell Tower	Placerville	City of Placerville	1865	Bell from the Original Bell Tower			104 Placerville Drive, El Dorado County Historical Museum
Branch Saloon / Bingham's Jewelry; Seligham Bldg.	Placerville	Heritage Association of El Dorado County		Branch Saloon / Bingham's Jewelry; Seligham Bldg.	235	10 0691146/4288742	327 Main Street
Burial Site of Three Unfortunates Hanged	Placerville	James W. Marshall Chapter No. 49, E Clampus Vitus	1959	Burial Site of Three Unfortunates Hanged	231-232	10 0691083/4288765	Located on the N/W corner of Center Street and Hwy 50, across from City Hall Building.
Carson Trail	Placerville	Trails West				10S 0691188/4288359	
Carson Trail	Placerville	Trails West				10S 0695053/4284463	
Carson Trail	Placerville	Trails West				10S 0690826/4287797	
Cemetery of Lost Souls	Placerville	El Dorado County Historical Society	2001	Cemetery of Lost Souls			104 Placerville Drive, El Dorado County Historical Museum

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City Clock	Placerville	Western Sign Co. Inc.	1979	City Clock		10S E 691247 N 4289076	Located at the WS Kirk/City Hall Parking Lot, adjacent to the public restrooms. This standalone clock on Main Street was originally standing on the sidewalk in front of present day River City Bank (originally the Bank of America Building).
City of Placerville Aquatic Center Dedication	Placerville	City of Placerville					3071 Benham Street, Benham Park City Pool
City of Placerville City Hall Dedication	Placerville	City of Placerville				10 0691525/4288849	3101 Center Street. Wall plaque dedicating the new City Hall Building is located at the front entry of the building. Also find a black, granite stone in the garden planter on the south side of the building dedicated to Carl Borelli , an etching on the stone reads: "Carl Borelli, Mayor of Placerville, Mr Placerville."
City of Placerville Town Hall Dedication	Placerville	City of Placerville	1981 - Feb.		316-318	10 0691525/4288849	549 Main Street
City of Placerville Volunteer Fire Department Dedication	Placerville	City of Placerville	1950		286-289		3034 Sacramento Street
Confidence Hall	Placerville	Marguerite Parlor #9, Native Daughters of the Golden West		Confidence Hall	260-261	10 0691343/4288885	487 Main Street
Confidence Fire Engine	Placerville	Heritage Association of El Dorado County	1954 - May	Confidence Fire Engine	260-261	10 0691343/4288885	487 Main Street. Tombstone style plaque is located on the floor inside the building.
Court House Civil War Canons	Placerville	G. A. R. Placerville Post No. 108		Court House Civil War Canons		10 0691379/4288889	495 Main Street
Davis & Roy News Depot, Shelley Inch Building	Placerville	Heritage Association of El Dorado County		Davis & Roy News Depot, Shelley Inch Building	239-242	10 0691217/4288777	409 Main Street, Placerville News Company

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Constitution Railroad Plaza	Placerville	City of Placerville and Private Contributors		Constitution Railroad Plaza	294-296	10 0690925/4288689	Located behind Shell Station at 151 Main Street. Caboose, 967 'commemorative bricks', and three planters. Inventory is at the City's Recreation and Parks District Office.
Douglas Hines Building Bricks	Placerville	Heritage Association of El Dorado County	1998	<u>Douglas Hines Building Bricks</u>	258-258	10 0691328/4288876	Located at the W.S. Kirk/City Hall Parking Lot.
Druid Monument	Placerville	Druids of California, Grove #1	1926	<u>Druid Monument</u>		10 0691670/4288786	Main Street and Cedar Ravine
Edwin Markham	Placerville	E Clampus Vitus	1961 Jan. 2				
El Camino Real Bell	Placerville	State of California	1948	El Camino Real Bell			Located at the corner of Coloma Street and Bee Street, marking the intersection of Highway 49 and the "old road to Sacramento."
El Dorado County Courthouse	Placerville	El Dorado County	1971		301-307	10 0691379/4288889	495 Main Street
El Dorado County Courthouse Annex	Placerville		1974		311-313	10 0691425/4288887	515 Main Street. Also find a granite cornerstone at the S/W corner of the building, dedicating the original construction to City officials.
El Dorado County Veterans Monument	Placerville	Friends of the Veterans Monument	2006	El Dorado County Veterans Monument			360 Fair Lane. The El Dorado County Veterans Monument was first envisioned by former United States Marine, Richard W. Buchanan. Facebook page: https://www.facebook.com/eldorado.vets.mon ument
El Dorado Trail Memorial Plaques (See Web link for a list and specific locations of all plaques.)	Placerville	City of Placerville		El Dorado Trail Memorial Plaques			Markers begin at the 'Senior Hikers Bench', across the street from the Placerville Station on Mosquito Rd., and continue east along the trail to Jacquier Road.

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Emigrant Jane	Placerville	Marguerit Parlor No. 12, Native Daughters of the Golden West		- <u>Emigrant Jane</u>	263-264	10 0691353/4288887	489 Main Street
Episcopal Church of Our Savior	Placerville	National Register of Historic Places, #77000291	1977 Nov. 17	- <u>Episcopal Church of Our Savior</u>			2979 Coloma Street. Founded in 1861 by Rev. Charles Caleb Peirce, July 20th; the present structure was built in 1865.
Fausel House established 1861	Placerville	National Society Daughters of American Revolution	2012 - June		281-285		772 Pacific Street
Forum Café / Union Hall / The Blue Bell Café	Placerville	Heritage Association of El Dorado County		Forum Café / Union Hall / The Blue Bell Café	297-299	10 0691153/4288730	328 Main Street
Fountain Tallman Building	Placerville	The Marguerite Chapter No.12, Native Daughters of the Golden West		Fountain Tallman Building	300	10 0691444/4288876	524 Main Street. This site was placed on the National Register of Historical Places on September 13, 1984. The building's exterior was repaired and masonary restored in 2015, interior restoration work was done in 2014.
Hangman's Tree, "George" the Hanging Dummy.	Placerville		1933 (circa		233	10 0691120/4288731	305 Main Street
Hangman's Tree, State Historic Landmark #141	Placerville	State of California	,	Hangman's Tree, State Historic Landmark #141		10 0691120/4288731	305 Main Street. Street-sign in front of the building at the curb.
Hank Monk, To Remember Hank Monk	Placerville	E Clampus Vitus	1938 April 30	- <u>Hank Monk, To Remember Hank Monk</u>	225-226		Located at the Historic Cary House Hotel, 300 Main Street, in the Dining Room.
Hangman's Tree Historic Marker	Placerville	Marguerite Parlor No. 12 N.D.G.W. and Placerville Parlor No. 9 N.S.G.W.	1934 May	- <u>Hangman's Tree Historic Marker</u>	234	10 0691120/4288731	305 Main Street. The wall plaque was originally located at S/E corner of the building at 301 Main Street.
Historical Site #1	Placerville			<u>Historical Site #1</u>	262	10 0691343/4288885	487 Main Street.
Historical Site #2	Placerville			<u>Historical Site #2</u>	263-264	10 0691353/4288887	489 Main Street

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History of Old Town Center, Original Mason's Lodge	Placerville		1981	History of Old Town Center, Original Mason's Lodge	243	10 0691219/4288797	413 Main Street
Morning Star #20, I.O.O.F. Lodge Building	Placerville	Native Sons of the Golden West	2009 Sept.	- Morning Star #20, I.O.O.F. Lodge Building	255-256	10 0691312/4288854	467 Main Street
J. Wonderly House; N C Fasset Groceries	Placerville	Heritage Association of El Dorado County		J. Wonderly House; N C Fasset Groceries	319-320	10 0691611/4288826	585 Main Street
John Mohler Studebaker	Placerville	James Marshall Chapter No.49, E Clampus Vitus		- <u>John Mohler Studebaker</u>	314-315	10 0691502/4288857	541 Main Street
Joseph M. Staples - Deputy Sheriff	Placerville	Peace Officers & Their Friends	1992 July	- <u>Joseph M. Staples - Deputy Sheriff</u>	257	10 0691324/4288861	Located at the WS Kirk/City Hall Parking Lot. "In Respectful Memory of Joseph M. Staples"
Lincoln Highway	Placerville	California Automobile Association	1913	Lincoln Highway	332-334	10 0691559/4288816	564 Main Street
Lower Fairchild Bldg.	Placerville	Heritage Association of El Dorado County		Lower Fairchild Bldg.	244-245	10 0691229/4288822	429 Main Street
Luce Ditch Flume	Placerville						
Methodist Episcopal (M E.) Church	. Placerville	State of California, #767		Methodist Episcopal (M. E.) Church			1031 Thompson Way. Site originally at the corner of Cedar Ravine and Main Street. Also, find an EDC Chamber of Commerce commemorative plaque, dedicated on July 30, 1961, and the location of a pioneer cemetery.
Mountain Democrat	Placerville	Heritage Association of El Dorado County			249-250	10 0691245/4288834	441 Main Street. Located in a 2nd floor storeroom at Placerville Hardware.
On This Site in 1897 Nothing Happened	Placerville				227	10 0691084/4288701	254 Main Street
Old City Cemetery	Placerville	El Dorado County Historical Society, Pioneer Cemeteries Commission, City of Placervile	1983	Old City Cemetery			Located at Chamberlain Street and Rector Street.

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Old Uppertown	Placerville	El Dorado County		Old Uppertown Cemetery			Located at Mosquito Road and Hwy. 50. Chain-
Cemetery		Historical Society,					link fence gate, rear entrance, is located at the
		Historical Site #56,					top of the concrete stairs. Main entrance is at
		Pioneer Cemeteries					the west end of Pinecrest Court.
		Commission					
Old Veterans Building	Placerville	Native Sons of the	2004	- <u>Old Veterans Building</u>	335-337	10 0691498/4288860	542 Main Street, El Dorado County Chamber of
		Golden West	Mar.				Commerce
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Pearson's Soda Works	Placerville	National Register of	1985	Pearson's Soda Works	331	10 0691623/4288802	594 Main Street, Cosmic Cafe
		Historic Places					
Pioneer Jewish	Placerville	E Clampus Vitus		Pioneer Jewish Cemetery			Located at Myrtle Street and Myrtle Court.
Cemetery Placerville - Originally	Placerville	California Centennials		Placerville - Originally Known as 'Hangtown'	308	10 0691406/4288891	Located at the corner of Bedford Avenue and
Known as 'Hangtown'	r lacel ville	Commission and James		riacervine - Originally known as mangtown	300	10 0091400/4200091	Main Street.
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		W. Marshall Chapter					
		No.49, E. Clampus Vitus					
Placerville Hardware	Placerville	Marguerite Parlor #12,	1993	- Placerville Hardware	246-247	10 0691245/4288834	441 Main Street
		Native Daughters of the	June				
		Golden West					
Placerville Hardware	Placerville	Heritage Association of			251-254	10 0691245/4288834	441 Main Street
		El Dorado County					
Placerville Pony Express	Placerville	E Clampus Vitus	1960	- <u>Placerville Pony Express Station and Terminus</u>	229	10 0691051/4288678	Located at the corner of Main Street and
Station and Terminus			April				Sacramento Street.
Pony Express Riders	Placerville						Located just south of Main Street on
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Placerville Drive In				<u>Market</u>			
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Randolph Jewelers	Placerville	Marguerite Parlor No.	2005	- <u>Randolph Jewelers</u>	236	10 0691206/4288777	375 Main Street
		12, Native Daughters of	May				
		the Golden West					
Saint Patrick's Church	Placerville	Native Sons of the	1987	- <u>Saint Patrick's Church</u>	279-280		3109 Sacramento Street. Location of the first
		Golden West	June				Saint Patrick's Church.
Sam La Cara Monument	t Placerville						Located adjacent to the bus stop in the parking
							lot at Schnell School.
Sgt. J. Scott Lindsay	Placerville	Hangtown Optimist Club)	Sgt. J. Scott Lindsay	294-296	10 0690925/4288689	Located behind the Shell Station and adjacent
							to Highway 50, near the caboose.
Snowshoe Thompson	Placerville	Snowshoe Thompson		Snowshoe Thompson Monument	230	10 0691083/4288765	Located at the corner of Main Street and
Monument		Lodge No.78, Sons of					Sacramento Street.
		Norway, Yuba City					
		California					
Snowshoe Thompson	Placerville		2003	Snowshoe Thompson Mural on Balyes Building	228	10 0691068/4288694	248 Main Street. Located on building's west
Mural on Balyes							exterior wall. The mural was restored in 2015
Building							by the building owner, Pat Blackwell, and the
							original muralist, Oren Miller, and originated as
							a Placerville Community Pride Project.
Stone House	Placerville	Family and Friends of	1975	Stone House			847 Pacific Street. "The last remaining building
		John R. Berry					of the Gold Rush era Chinese community in Old
		,					Hangtown"
Superior Judge Thomas	Placerville	American Legion - Lions			309-310	10 0691409/4288900	Located in the Thomas Maul Memorial Park,
S. Maul		International					Bedford Avenue and Main Street.
Swift Berry, "Mr.	Placerville	James W. Marshall		Swift Berry, "Mr. Clamper" Monument			Located in the parking lot at Broadway and
Clamper" Monument		Chapter No. 49, Ancient					Mosquito Rd., across the street from the
		and Honorable Order of					business at 1160 Broadway.
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The Watt Redwood	Placerville	Han Family Trust					3067 Washington Street. The plaque is mounted on a brick pedestal located within the parking lot opposite the Police Department at Washington Street and Spanish Ravine. Reads: "This sequoia was planted c. 1935 in front of home of James Barthol Watt (1881-1947) and Lillian Mae Gregory Watt (1883-1986). In loving memory."
Tracy Building	Placerville	Heritage Association of El Dorado County		Tracy Building			325 Main Street, Heyday Cafe. A tombstone- style wall-plaque was setting on the floor in the rear hallway at time of survey.
Upper Central House / Ivy House	Placerville	Placerville Parlor #9, Native Daughters of the Golden West		Upper Central House / Ivy House	322-327	10 0691631/4288814	Located at the corner of Main Street and Clay Street.
Veterans' Memorial Plaque Project (See Web link for a detailed list and specific locations of all plaques.)	Placerville	City of Placerville, Carl Borelli		Veterans' Memorial Plaque Project			Nine plaques located at Town Hall Building, one on the El Dorado Trail, and the remaining along Main Street. The future location of all 27 Veterans' plaques will be the new Thomas Maul Park at Bedford Avenue and Main Street.
Veterans' Pyramid Monument	Placerville	Boy Scouts of America, Troop #52	1987				Located in the park at Broadway and Carson Rd., across the street from Starbucks.
Wells Fargo Express Office	Placerville						435 Main Street, and the location of 'Florence's Dress Shop.'
Wilcox Warehouse	Placerville						1160 Broadway. A plaque to commemorate the original 1850s stone building, no longer standing, originally Blair Lumber Co. site, is not visible.
WPA Plaque	Placerville		1940				Located at the El Dorado County Fairgrounds.

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Zeisz Brewery Ruins	Placerville	Joseph Stancil Sr.	1966 Zeisz Brewery Ruins			658 Main Street. The original cap-stone marker
						is now inset in the ruins, commemorating the
						remains of the building built by Bavarian
						brewer Jacob Zeisz in 1862.

Google Maps - Placerville Historic Markers