



Draft Report 2017

Alignment Proposals for the Inyo National Forest and the Town of Mammoth Lakes

Map ID #W02

July 21, 2017





**Map ID #W02 Key Agreements
As of July 21, 2017**

- A. Alignment:** This project is intended to establish a non-motorized snowplay area adjacent to the Sherwins Trailhead on the moraine nearest the staging area.
- 1. Trailhead and Destination(s):** Sherwins Trailhead
 - 2. Naming:** Sherwins Snowplay Zone
 - 3. Control Points/Narrative:** See attached SHARP ID #W02 map.
 - 4. Map Reference:** SHARP TTC: Map ID #W02, 07/21/17
- B. Design Specifications:**
- 1. Facility Type:** Snowplay Zone
 - 2. Users:** Snowplay Users (Non-motorized)
 - 3. Surface:** Snow
 - 4. User Experience/Aesthetics:** This area is intended to be the ideal location for snowplay near the Sherwins Trailhead because of its moderate slope, gentle terrain, and aspect (north-facing, retains snow best) to provide sledding and other complementary wintertime recreation opportunities. This area will be open to non-motorized snowplay only.
 - 5. Facility Amenities:** Facility amenities will be limited to signage.
- C. Winter/Summer Interface:** None
- D. Signage and Wayfinding Special Considerations:** As directed by the *Mammoth Lakes Trail System Wayfinding and Signage Standards Manual*.

TO BE COMPLETED BY AGENCIES/JURISDICTIONS

- A. Environmental Review:** "SHARP Projects – NEPA" as submitted to USFS.
- B. Construction & Maintenance:** Town of Mammoth Lakes under CCS and potentially SUP.
- C. Funding Considerations & Ownership:** Funding construction through Measure R and MLTS Trail Facilities Construction Reserve Account; ownership via USFS with maintenance provided by the MLTS.



D. Cost Estimator:

Total Area of Facility	12.7 Acres
Facility Construction Cost	\$0
Snow Removal/Grooming	None
Total Estimated Cost Per Season	\$0
Type of Amenity	Snowplay Signage
# of Amenities	1
Cost per Amenity	\$100
Total Cost of Amenities	\$100
Rehabilitation Cost	TBD
Total Cost Estimate for SHARP #W02	\$100




- a. **Total Area of Facility:** 12.7 Acres
 - b. **Snow Removal/Grooming:** The facility will not be groomed.
 - c. **Estimated Cost of Amenities:** Amenities will be limited to Snowplay Signage (\$100/per double-sided sign).
 - d. **Rehabilitation Cost Estimate:** TBD
 - e. **First-Guess Cost Estimate:** \$100
 - i. **Preferred Alignment:** \$100
 - ii. **Alternative Alignment:** TBD
- E. Other Special Considerations:** Snow removal at the Sherwins Trailhead will need to include the southernmost point of the parking area to allow for easier access to the Sherwins Snowplay Zone.




SHARP TTC: Map ID #W02

CONCEPT: Non-motorized snowplay area adjacent to the borrow pit staging area.

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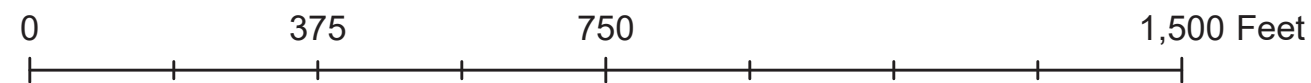
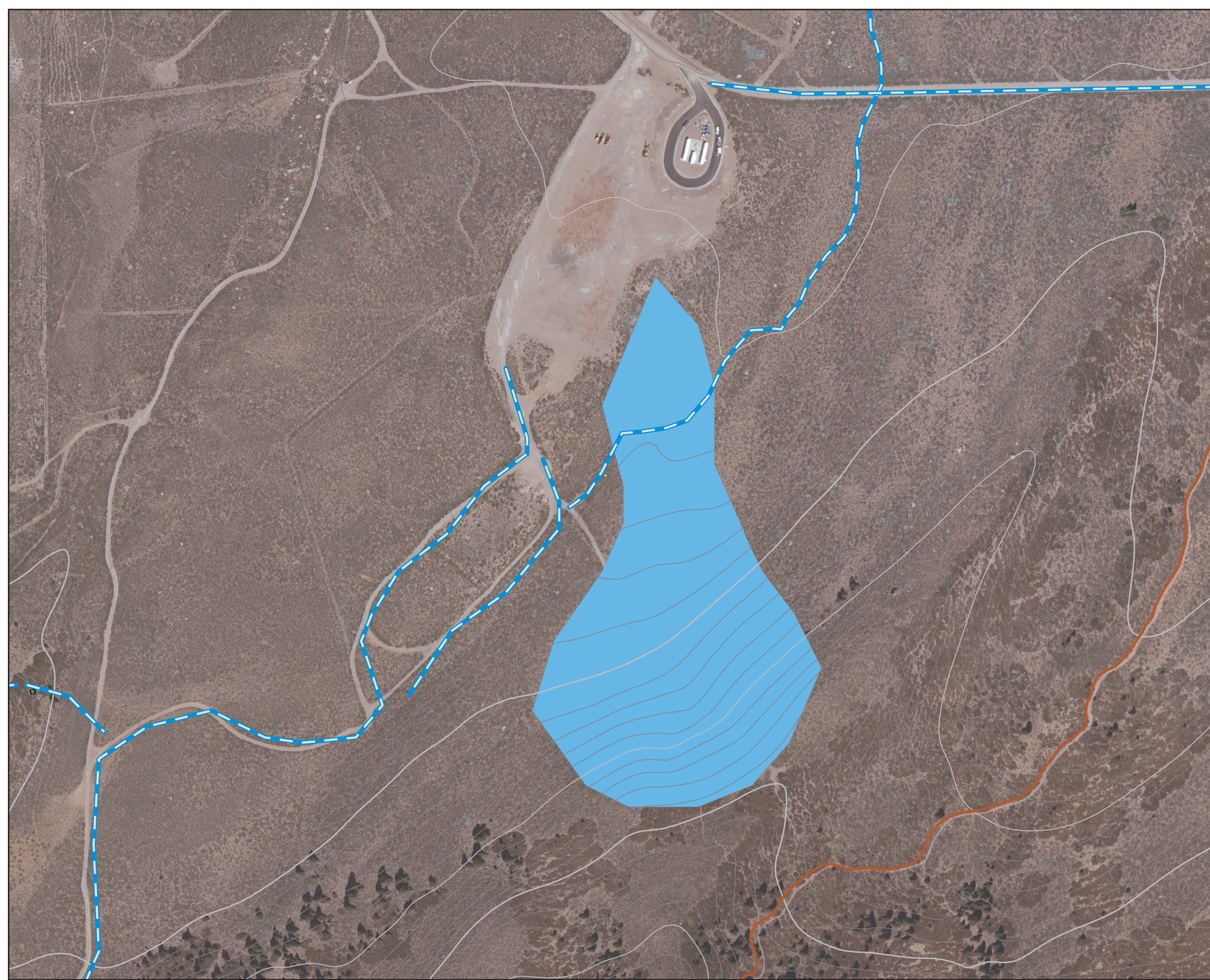
Legend

-  Proposed Snowplay Area
-  SHARP Proposed Trails
-  INF_Trails

- 10ft Contours**
-  Contour Line, Major
-  Contour Line, Minor
-  Contour Line, Intermediate

SHARP TTC

- The SHARP TTC is committed to staying true to the original wording and intent of the SHARP proposals, as crafted by the Sherwins Working Group, and will therefore not revisit or revise any part of any recommendation unless warranted by agency sideboards or other opportunities or constraints as identified by land management agencies such as the INF.
- This map is for informational purposes and may not have been prepared for, or be suitable for legal, engineering, or surveying purposes. Users of this information should review or consult the primary data and information sources to ascertain the usability of the information.





**Project Cover Sheet:
Map ID #W02**

ORIGINAL SHARP CONCEPT	Non-motorized snowplay area adjacent to the Borrow Pit Staging Area. Situating a non-motorized snowplay area on the moraine that is nearest the Borrow Pit Staging Area (see Winter Map ID #01) to provide sledding and other complementary wintertime recreation opportunities. This area will be open to non-motorized snowplay only.
ORIGINAL SHARP RATIONALE	This area is ideal for snowplay due to its moderate slope, gentle terrain, and aspect (north facing, which best retains snow). Its proximity to the Borrow Pit Staging Area makes it highly visible and therefore attractive to potential users, enables them to access the snowplay area via a very short walk, and offers bathrooms and other facilities nearby, which is important for families with small children.
RELATED PROJECTS	SHARP project ID #S01 - See SHARP Summer Proposals for details. SHARP project ID #W01 - See SHARP Winter Proposals for details. SHARP project ID #W03 - See SHARP Winter Proposals for details.
WORKFLOW CHECKLIST TASK	DATE COMPLETED
Group overview in-house meeting to present work plan and desired deliverables	January 2017 - March 2017
Group overview field trip and technical analysis in-house	January 2017 - March 2017
Drafting/staking	January 2017 - March 2017
Technical review field trip	None
Draft revision	January 2017 - March 2017
Final review meeting	March 21, 2017
Presentation to USFS	None
AGENCY SIDEBOARDS	None
DESIRED OUTSIDE PARTICIPANTS	Town of Mammoth Lakes, and Inyo National Forest
ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW	"SHARP Projects – NEPA" as submitted to USFS.
OTHER NOTES	None
PARTICIPANTS	2017 Participants: Joel Rathje, John Wentworth, Andrew Mulford, and Kelly Workman.