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Presentations

- Update on Current Plans
- Ansel Adams Gallery Rehabilitation Plan
- The Ahwahnee Comprehensive Rehabilitation Plan Environmental Assessment
- How to Comment: Intro to PEPC
- Fire Management
- Half Dome Trail Management

There will be an opportunity for questions after each presentation.

Webinar attendees may submit their questions via chat.

Update on Current Plans

The screenshot shows a Windows Internet Explorer browser window displaying the Yosemite National Park Planning page on nps.gov. The browser's address bar shows the URL: <http://www.nps.gov/yose/parkmgmt/planning.htm>. The page features a search bar, a navigation menu on the left, and a main content area with a header for Yosemite National Park. The main content area is titled "Park Planning" and includes a list of planning documents: "Litigation Update", "Fire Management Plan", "Reading Room", "Tuolumne River Plan", "Park Planning Calendar", and "Merced River Plan". There are also sections for "Keep up to date!" with a sign-up link for an electronic newsletter, "Environmental Impact Statements (EIS)" with two featured plans (Merced and Tuolumne Wild and Scenic River Management Plans), and "Environmental Assessments (EA)". The browser's taskbar at the bottom shows several open windows, including "Jane Friesen McCabe...", "Yosemite National Par...", "Fire_Management_D...", and "Introduction.p...".

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Keep up to date!

Sign up for the park's electronic newsletter to receive periodic email updates on park plans and projects.

Environmental Impact Statements (EIS)

Merced Wild and Scenic River Management Plan

The plan will guide future management of activities in the river corridor, including site-specific actions needed to protect the river in Yosemite Valley, El Portal, and Wawona. [More info...](#)

Stay tuned for Alternatives Development Workshop Dates

Tuolumne Wild and Scenic River Management Plan

It will establish long-term guidance for protecting water quality, free-flowing condition, and unique values for the portion of the Tuolumne River that flows through the park. [More info...](#)

Draft Tuolumne River Plan EIS coming soon - summer 2011

Watch the Tuolumne River Nature Notes video!

Environmental Assessments (EA)

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Tioga Road Rehabilitation Plan Environmental Assessment



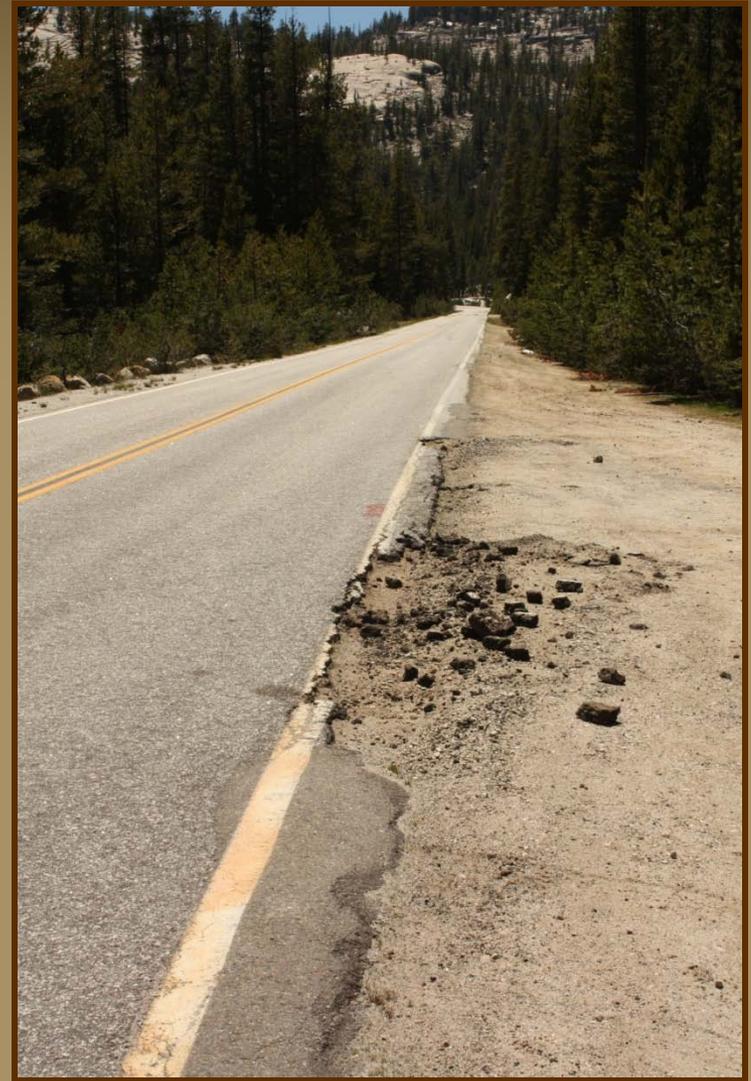
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Project Overview

This plan addresses the rehabilitation of approximately 41 miles of the Tioga Road.

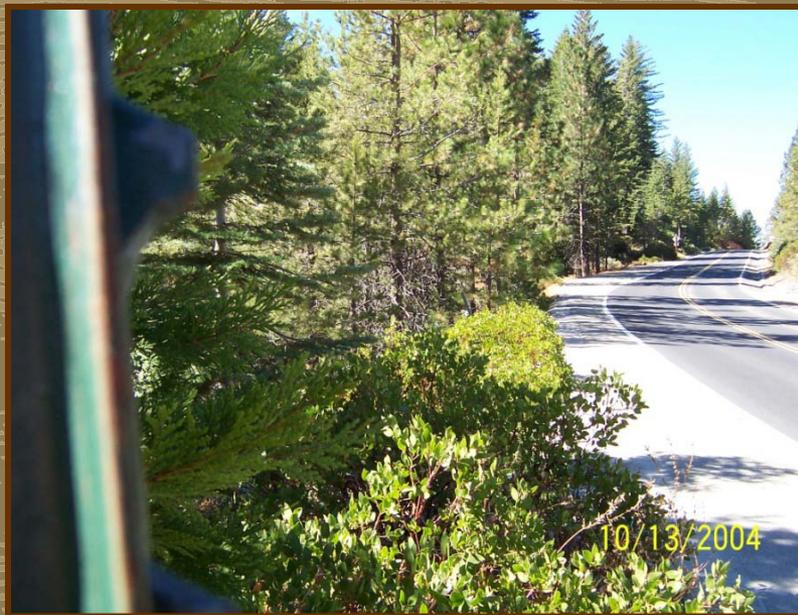
Overarching goals of this plan are to:

- Restore roadbed
- Repave areas that are currently paved
- Restore ditches and shoulders
- Replace undersized or failing culverts to facilitate drainage



Selective Thinning of Roadside Trees

- Improve sight distance and root penetration
- Reduce ice build-up on the road
- Reduce snow plow damage and interference



Before



After

Overall Project Timeline

WINTER 2010
Public Scoping

FALL 2010
Public Site Visit

WINTER 2011
Alternative Development

SUMMER 2011
Coming soon.....

Public review and comment period for the environmental assessment is scheduled for sometime during August/September 2011.

Fall 2011
Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI)

Summer 2012
Construction Begins



Stay Involved!

To stay involved with this project:

- Comment :

During the public review period comment online at the National Park Service Planning, Environment and Public Comment (PEPC) site: <http://parkplanning.nps.gov/tiogaroad>

- In Person:

Attend a monthly Open House in Yosemite Valley. Upcoming Open House dates include: July 27, August 31, and September 28.

- Visit online: www.nps.gov/yose/parkmgmt/tioga_rehab.htm

Badger Pass Ski Lodge Rehabilitation Plan



- Long-term plan to protect historic lodge integrity, safety, operations, and visitor experience
- Finding of No Significant Impact signed on June 30, 2011
- www.nps.gov/yose/parkmgmt/badgerlodge.htm

Badger Pass Ski Lodge

- Selected action was identified as Alternative 3 in EA (Rehabilitation and Improvements)
 - Remove later additions that do not contribute to historic character
 - Improve accessibility and visitor circulation
 - Replace temporary Nordic and Alpine rental facilities with permanent structures
- Implementation as funding becomes available
- Summer 2012 - structural improvements to deck

The image features a light beige background with a dark beige horizontal bar at the top. On the left side, there is a stylized map of the United States rendered in a fine, wavy, textured pattern. Overlaid on the western portion of this map is a dark silhouette of a mountain range, including a prominent peak. The word "QUESTIONS?" is written in a large, bold, serif font across the center of the map area.

QUESTIONS?

Project/Plan Representatives

- Mark Marschall
 - Half Dome Interim Permit System
 - Half Dome Trail Stewardship Plan
- Madelyn Ruffner
 - The Ahwahnee Comprehensive Rehabilitation Plan
 - Badger Pass Ski Lodge Rehabilitation Plan
 - Curry Village Rockfall Hazard Structures Plan
- Ann Roberts
 - The Ansel Adams Gallery Rehabilitation Plan
 - Invasive Plant Management Plan Update
- Renea Kennec
 - Tioga Road Rehabilitation Plan
- Taro Pusina
 - Fire Management Plan
- Jessica DeLora
 - PEPC