

## Ski Area Erosion Control

### Fact Sheet

Organization Performing SEP	Sierra Business Council
Description of Work Performed, Other Details	SEP funds provided the seed funds to start the California Alpine Resort Environmental Cooperative (CAREC), a partnership between ski resorts, government agencies, non-governmental organizations (NGOs), private companies, and scientists. Funds were also used to facilitate an interactive process in order to develop guiding principles for ski area operators to minimize erosion is based on field trails, literature reviews from other areas, and ongoing monitoring and adaptive management. Other grant funds through 314(h) funded the publication of a draft (2005) and final (2009) Sediment Source Control Handbook, which can be downloaded from the Sierra Business Council website at <a href="http://www.sbcouncil.org/pdf/SSCH_Final_Web.pdf">http://www.sbcouncil.org/pdf/SSCH_Final_Web.pdf</a> .
SEP Status	Completed
Watershed in which SEP was performed:	Upper Truckee, Lower Truckee, Mono.
County in which SEP was performed:	Nevada, Placer, El Dorado, and Mono
Latitude of Project	39.3
Longitude of Project	120.2
Begin Date	2003
End Date	2004
Project Budget	\$25,000
Water Quality Benefit or Objective	Water Quality Enhancement
Associated Enforcement Order	91-017
Enforcement Order Date	2/15/91
Discharger Funding SEP	Squaw Valley Ski Corp
Violation Leading to Enforcement Order	Red Dog Diesel Spill
Total Assessed Penalty	\$125,806
Number of SEPs Funded Under Enforcement	3
Lahontan RWQCB Staff Assigned to SEP Oversight	Doug Cushman