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# Palomino Farms

**\*875\* ± Acres | Washoe County, NV**



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# Introduction



The \* 875-acre \* Palomino Farms stands as a cherished agricultural hallmark of the Palomino Valley, located just a 8-minute drive north of Sparks, NV and 30-minute drive to Reno, NV, one of the fastest-growing metropolitan regions in the United States.

Palomino Farms is a multifaceted and innovative farm with high-quality alfalfa and alfalfa orchard grass mix production at its heart. 220.60 irrigated acres under one Zimmatic and one Valley pivot, coupled with 46.25 acres under wheel line irrigation, produces approximately 4.2 to 5.35 tons per acre of alfalfa orchard grass mix and 3.55 to 4.3 tons per acre of high-quality alfalfa. The crop is bolstered by 1,266 + acre feet of underground water rights, two 600+ ft. ag wells, and two 150 HP pumps for each. Additionally, there are approximately 450 acres of rangeland to boot.

Palomino Farms has been on the cutting edge of innovative and sustainable water solutions in an ever-changing world through OneWater Nevada Initiative, a collaboration with the University of Nevada, Reno, City of Reno, City of Sparks, Washoe County, and the Truckee Meadows Water Authority. This promising initiative would pipe recycled water from nearby northern Nevada urban communities, significantly reducing the need for groundwater pumping on the farm. Additionally, extensive research and testing has confirmed that an opportunity exists for a massive volume of Truckee River water to be stored in a large underground aquifer beneath Palomino Farms.

Home sweet home is a comfortable 1,100 sq. ft. updated three bedroom, two bath home with lawn, including a large kitchen with stainless steel appliances, and a cozy living room. Ranch infrastructure includes a pole hay barn, equipment shed, shop, and outbuildings.

It's extremely rare to find such a productive alfalfa farm with enviable water rights and buildable lots in Washoe County. Come discover the endless opportunities with Palomino Farms!



# Highlights

- Investment Opportunity!
- \*875\*-acre agricultural property in Palomino Valley, NV
- 8-minute drive to Sparks, NV & 30-minute drive to Reno, NV
- High-quality alfalfa and grass hay production
- 220.60 irrigated acres under center-pivot irrigation
- 46.25 irrigated acres under wheel line & mainline irrigation
- Approximately 3.55 to 4.3 ton per acre of high-quality alfalfa yield
- 1,266+ acre-feet of underground water rights
- Two 600+ ft. agricultural wells
- 450 acres of rangeland
- Participation in the OneWater Nevada Initiative
- Potential for recycled water from Northern NV urban communities to be used for irrigation
- Reduced reliance on groundwater pumping
- 1,100 sq. ft. 3-bedroom, 2-bathroom home
- Pole hay barn, equipment shed, shop, and outbuildings
- Productive alfalfa farm with valuable water rights
- Potential for development in Washoe County

*\*\*Please note on the acreage, (\*875\*) indicates subject to lot line adjustment.\*\**

# Water & Irrigation

An impressive 1,266+ acre-feet of water rights are integral for Palomino Farm's productive hay operation. Two ag wells, one with a 125 HP pump at 494 GPM and one with a 150 HP pump at 1,300 GPM, respectively. One Zimmatic Eight pivot irrigates 80 acres of high-quality alfalfa and one Valley Seven pivot irrigates 140.60 acres of high-quality alfalfa. Three wheel lines (one @ 600 ft. and two @ 1280 ft.) irrigate 46.25 acres of Alfalfa orchard grass mix. There are 266.85 total acres under both pivot and wheel line irrigation. Additionally, there are seasonal riparian rights from Cottonwood Creek that winds through the middle of the farm.



In an ever-changing world with natural resource constraints, Palomino Farms in collaboration with the University of Nevada, Reno, City of Reno, City of Sparks, Washoe County, and the Truckee Meadows Water Authority have been working together on OneWater Nevada Initiative. The ongoing initiative seeks innovative and sustainable long-term water management solutions. One solution would be to utilize recycled water piped from nearby Washoe County urban communities, lessening the need for groundwater pumping for ag irrigation at Palomino Farms, while Truckee Meadows Water Authority would pipe and inject potable water into the Palomino Valley aquifer for later use.

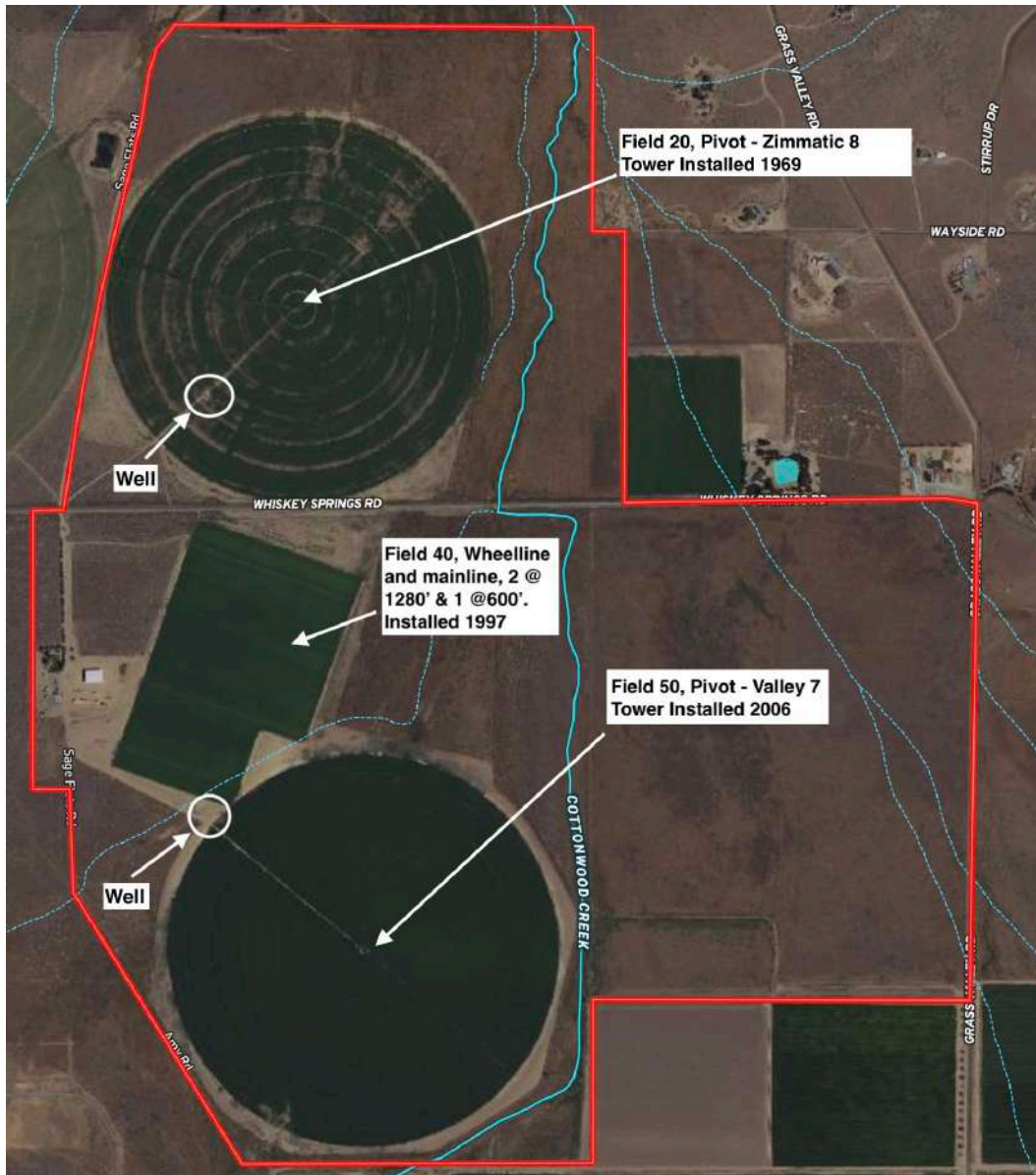
Most importantly, the significant amount of money invested in science and research has shown that there may be an opportunity to store up to 50,000 acre feet of Truckee River water in an underground aquifer at Palomino Farms. A promising initiative for both Palomino Farms and the farm's nearby Spanish Springs, Sparks, and surrounding Northern Nevada communities.

*\*Learn more about OneWater Nevada here: <https://palomino-farms.com>*

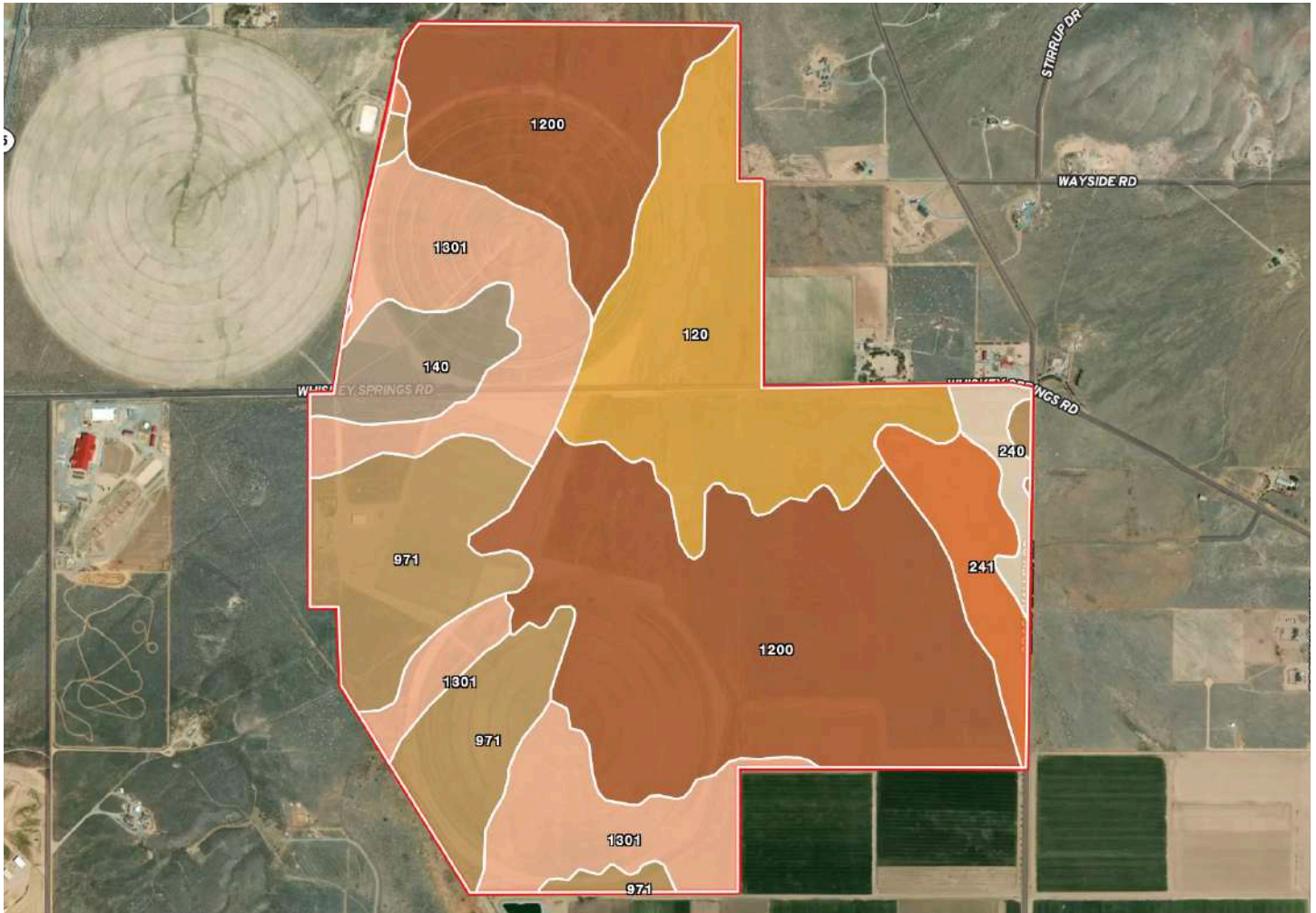
# Hay



A productive hay operation producing 3.55 - 4.3 total tons per acre of high-quality alfalfa and 4.2-5.35 total tons per acre of alfalfa orchard grass mix. Approximately 1,200± to 1,450± total tons of high-quality alfalfa and 600± to 750± total tons of alfalfa orchard grass mix with 3 ± cuttings are harvested each year. The large approximately 10,800-square-foot pole hay barn holds 700± tons the bountiful hay crop that is sold to many wholesale and retail stores across Northern Nevada, California & Arizona.



# Soil



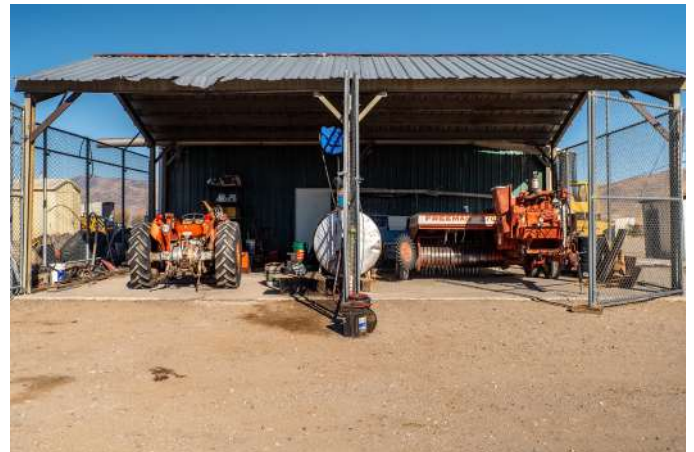
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120	Doten silty clay, 0 to 2 percent slopes	148.0	17.0%
140	Haybourne loamy sand, 2 to 4 percent slopes	35.6	4.1%
240	Updike loam	14.1	1.6%
241	Updike loam, gravelly substratum	37.2	4.3%
530	Sagouspe sand	0.9	0.1%
971	Aladshi sandy loam, 2 to 4 percent slopes	128.9	14.8%
1200	Mellor silt loam	350.0	40.1%
1301	Rose Creek variant, loamy fine sand	157.4	18.0%
<b>Totals for Area of Interest</b>		<b>872.1</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

*For more in-depth soil information, please contact our office*

# Improvements



The farm headquarters includes a 1,100-square-foot, three-bedroom, two-bath home with a two-car garage. Additional farm buildings include a 10,800-square-foot metal open hay pole barn, an 856-square-foot shop, an equipment shed, a 40-ton truck scale, and miscellaneous metal storage buildings.



## Improvements Cont'd

The 1,100-square-foot main home offers three bedrooms, two bathrooms, and a two-car attached garage. The home also includes a large kitchen with stainless steel appliances and a cozy living room. The private, fenced-in backyard, shaded by trees, provides a peaceful outdoor space.



# Recreation

The property offers opportunities for outdoor recreation, such as hunting, horseback riding, and ATVing. Wildlife like antelope, deer, and coyotes can be spotted throughout the land. The property is also near Pyramid Lake, a prime destination for fishing, camping, and water activities.



# Location



## About Reno, NV:

Reno, Nevada, known as “The Biggest Little City in the World,” is a vibrant urban hub nestled between the Sierra Nevada mountains and the California border. Reno has a rich history that dates back to the mid-1800s. Originally founded as a trading post and small settlement, it was established along the California Trail and became a key stop for travelers heading to the West Coast. The arrival of the Central Pacific Railroad in 1868 helped the city grow rapidly, transforming it into a bustling transportation hub.

Originally famous for its casinos, Reno has expanded its identity with a thriving arts and culture scene, including museums like the Nevada Museum of Art and annual events such as the Reno Air Races and Hot August Nights. The city also boasts a dynamic food scene, numerous outdoor activities with its proximity to Lake Tahoe, and a growing tech presence, particularly in the areas of clean energy and innovation. The city had a population of 264,165 at the 2020 census.

*International & Domestic:* Reno-Tahoe International Airport (6 miles) and Sacramento International Airport (140 miles). *Neaby smaller, private airports:* Carson Valley Airport (32 miles).

## About Washoe County, NV:

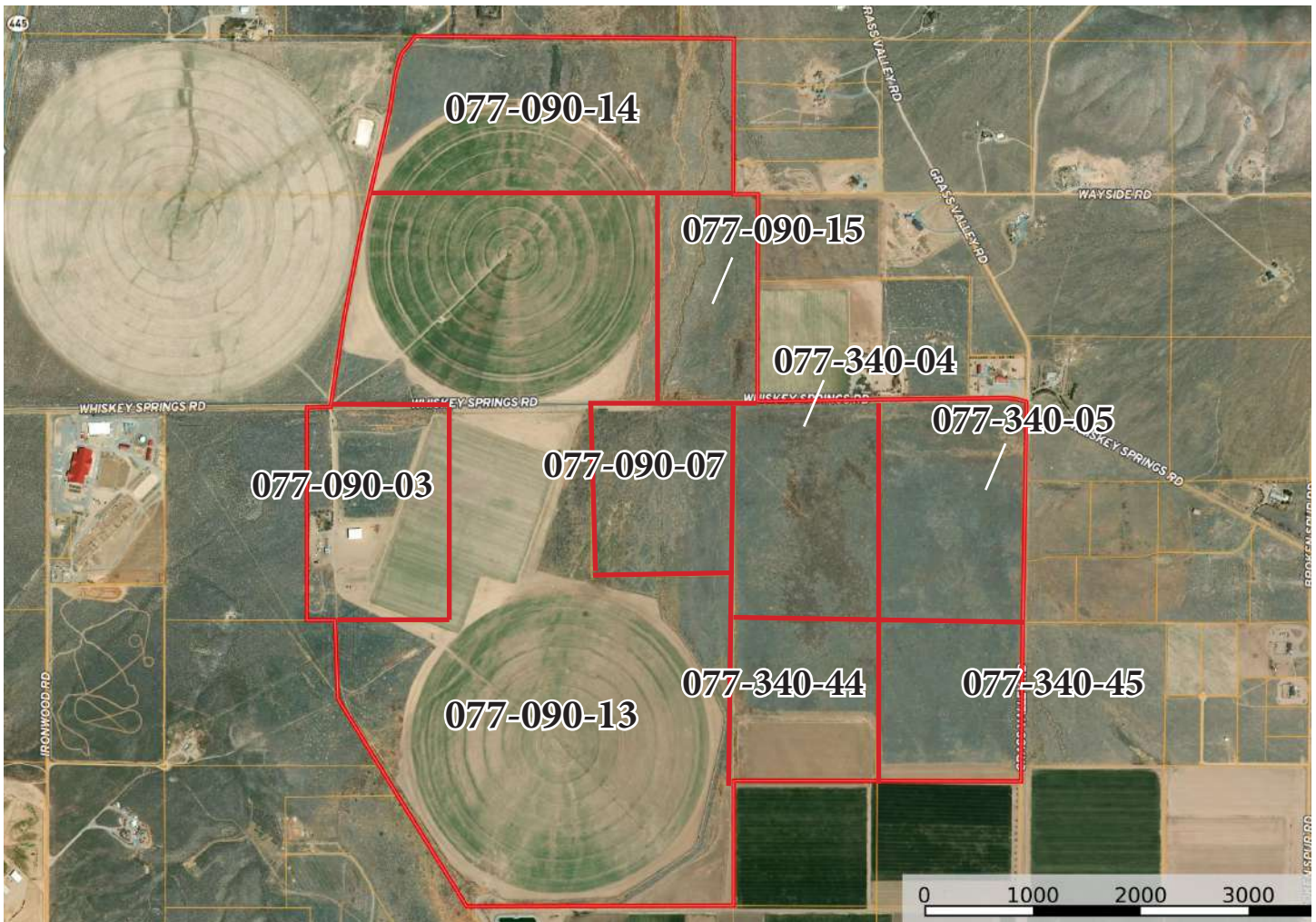
Washoe County was created in 1861 as one of the original counties of the Nevada Territory. Its name comes from the Washoe people who originally inhabited the area. Reno is the current county seat. As of the 2020 census, Washoe County, Nevada, has a population of approximately 475,000 people. The county, home to the vibrant cities of Reno and Sparks, is nestled between the Sierra Nevada mountains and the Great Basin, providing stunning landscapes and year-round outdoor activities, from hiking and skiing to water sports at nearby Lake Tahoe. Washoe County boasts a diverse economy, rich cultural heritage, and strong infrastructure, with attractions like the National Automobile Museum, the Nevada Museum of Art, and the annual Reno Rodeo reflecting its history. Outdoor enthusiasts can explore the scenic Mount Rose Wilderness or the Truckee River, while the Great Reno Balloon Race and the Lake Tahoe Shakespeare Festival add to the area’s cultural offerings. The University of Nevada, Reno, adds to the area’s educational and cultural vibrancy.



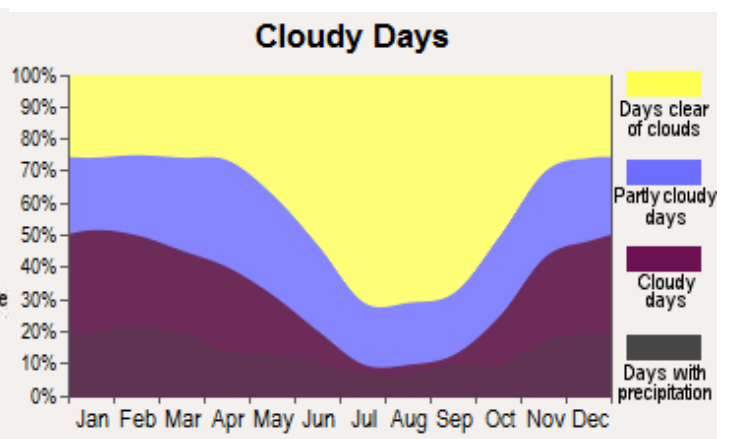
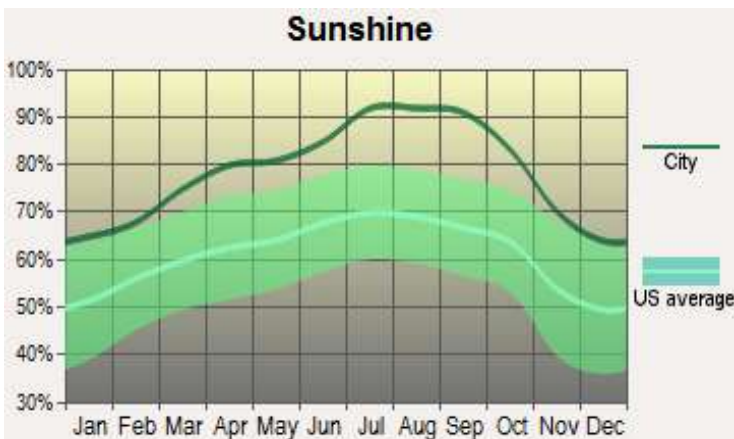
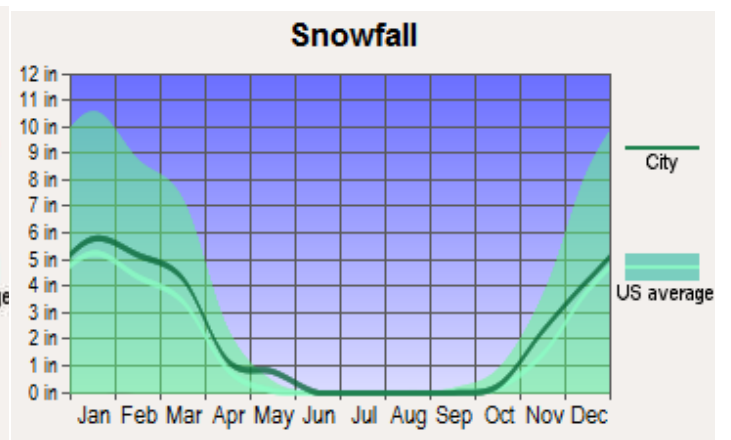
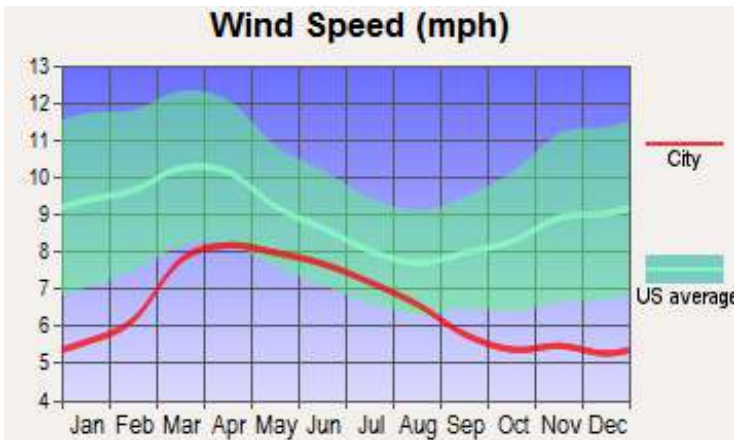
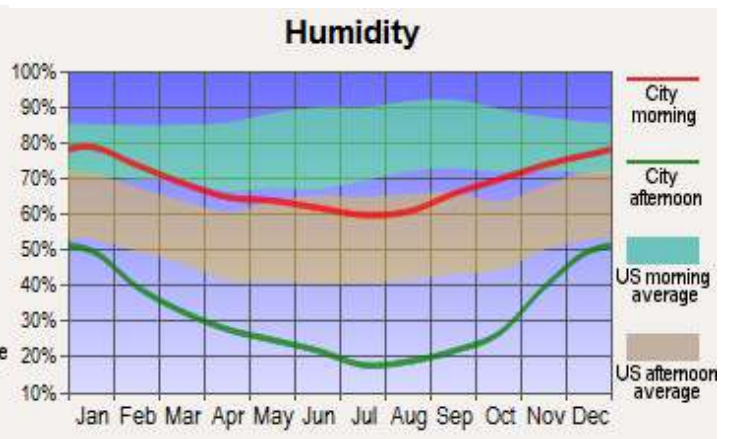
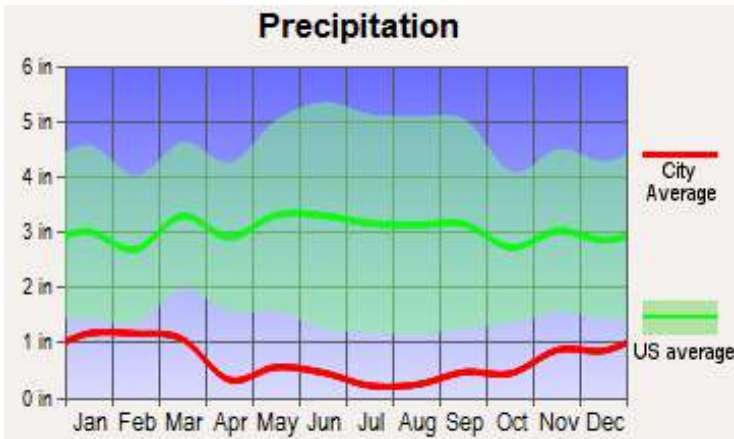
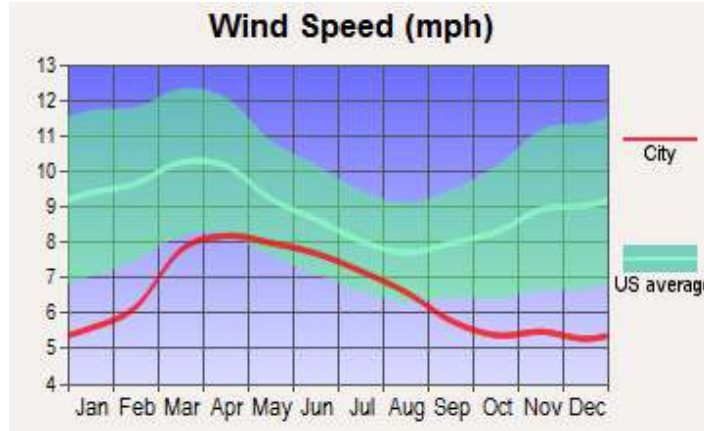
# Size & Zoning

Palomino Farms consists of 9 parcels totaling \*875\* acres. *\*\*Please note on the acreage, (\*\*\*) indicates subject to lot line adjustment.*

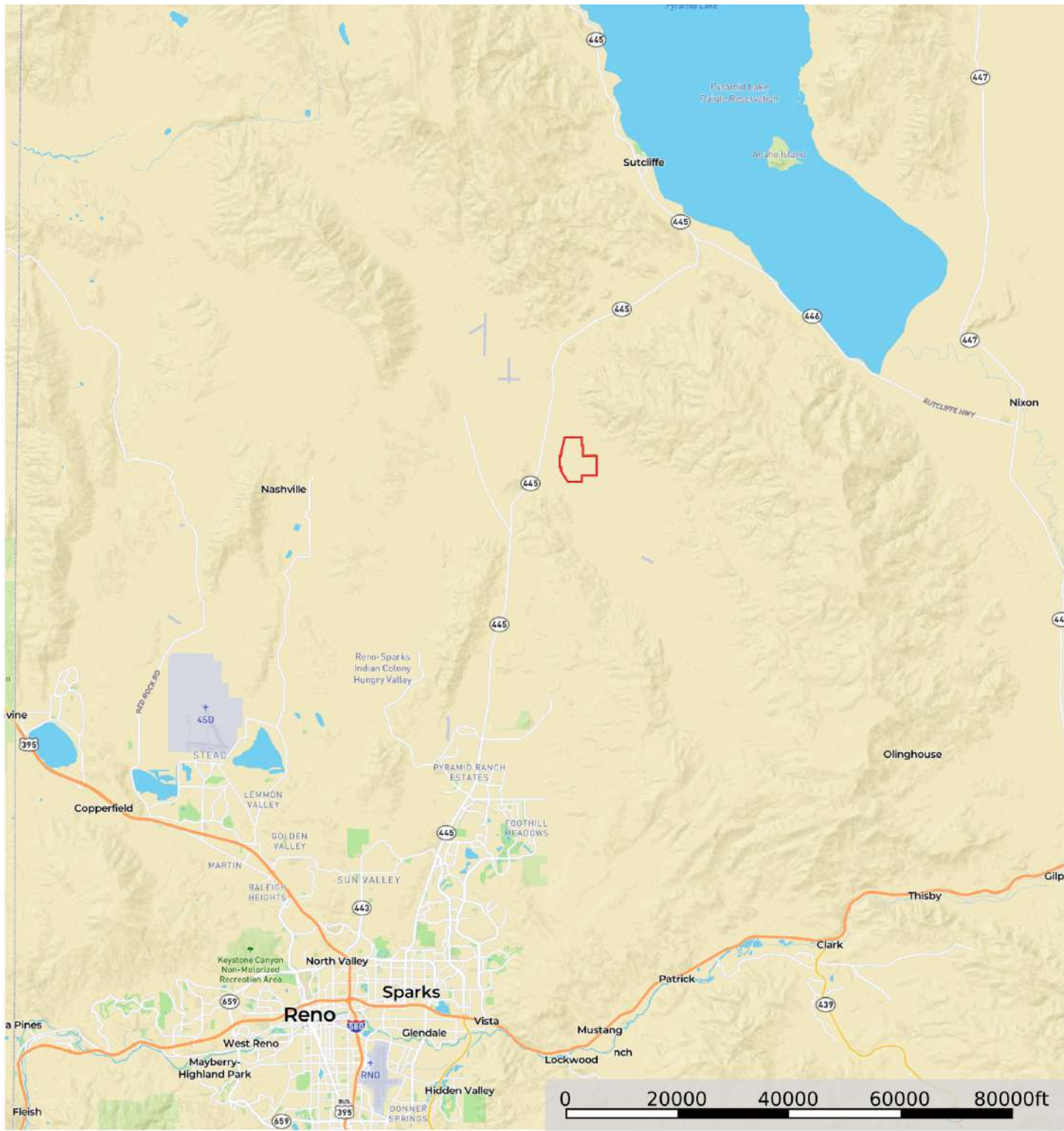
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*077-090-13*	***	Psp 2 / Lds 84 / Gr11	\$4,090
*077-090-14*	***	Lds 67 / Gr 33	\$3,831
077-090-07	48.96	Lds 54 / Gr 46	\$6
077-090-15	40.97	GR	\$5
077-340-04	63.57	Lds 49 / Gr 51	\$8
077-340-05	64.27	Lds 82 / Gr 18	\$8
077-340-44	46.73	Lds 98 / Gr 2	\$16
077-340-45	46.54	Lds 94 / Gr 6	\$116
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<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>*875*</b>		<b>\$11,247</b>



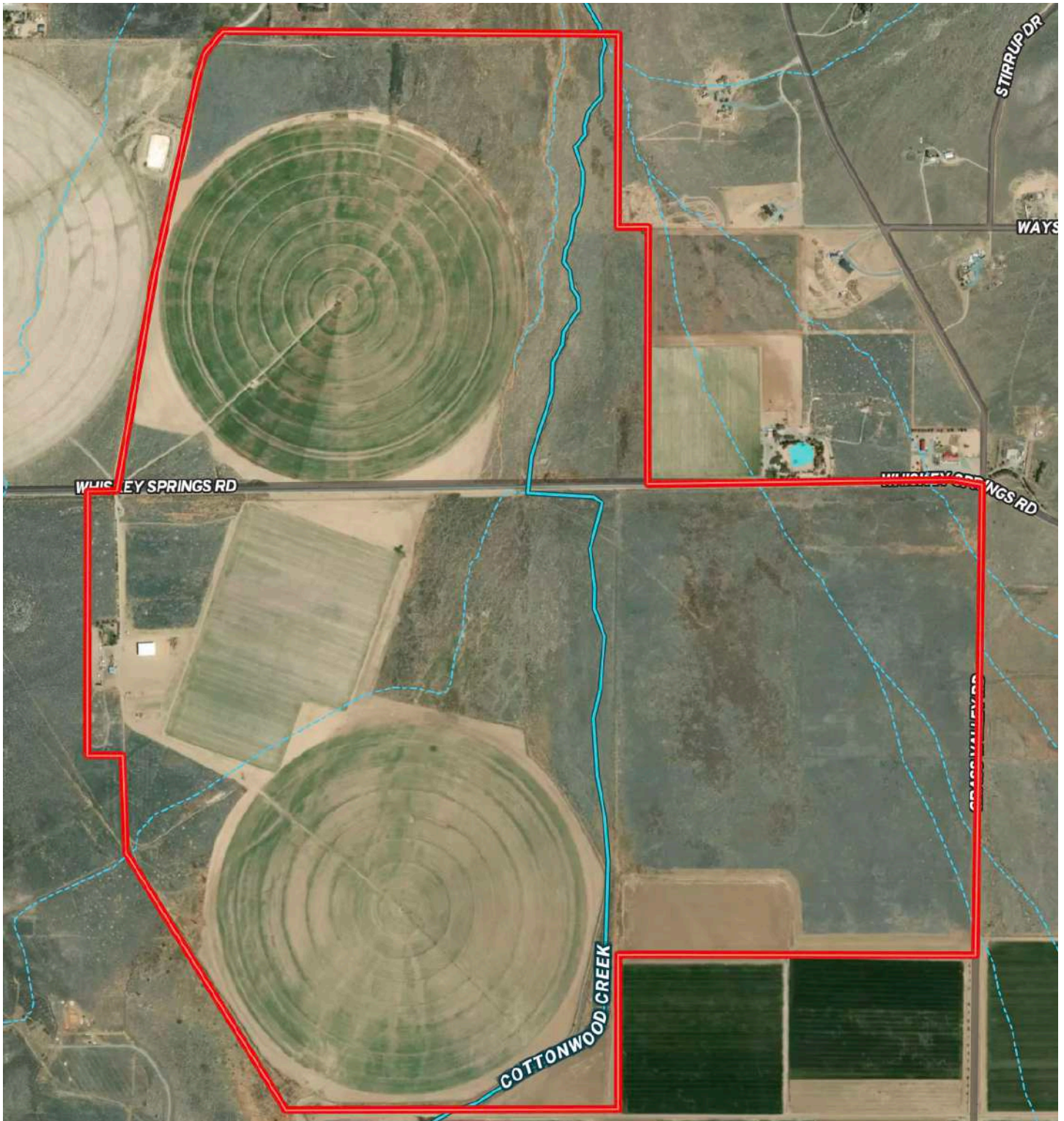
# Weather for Reno, NV



# Street Map

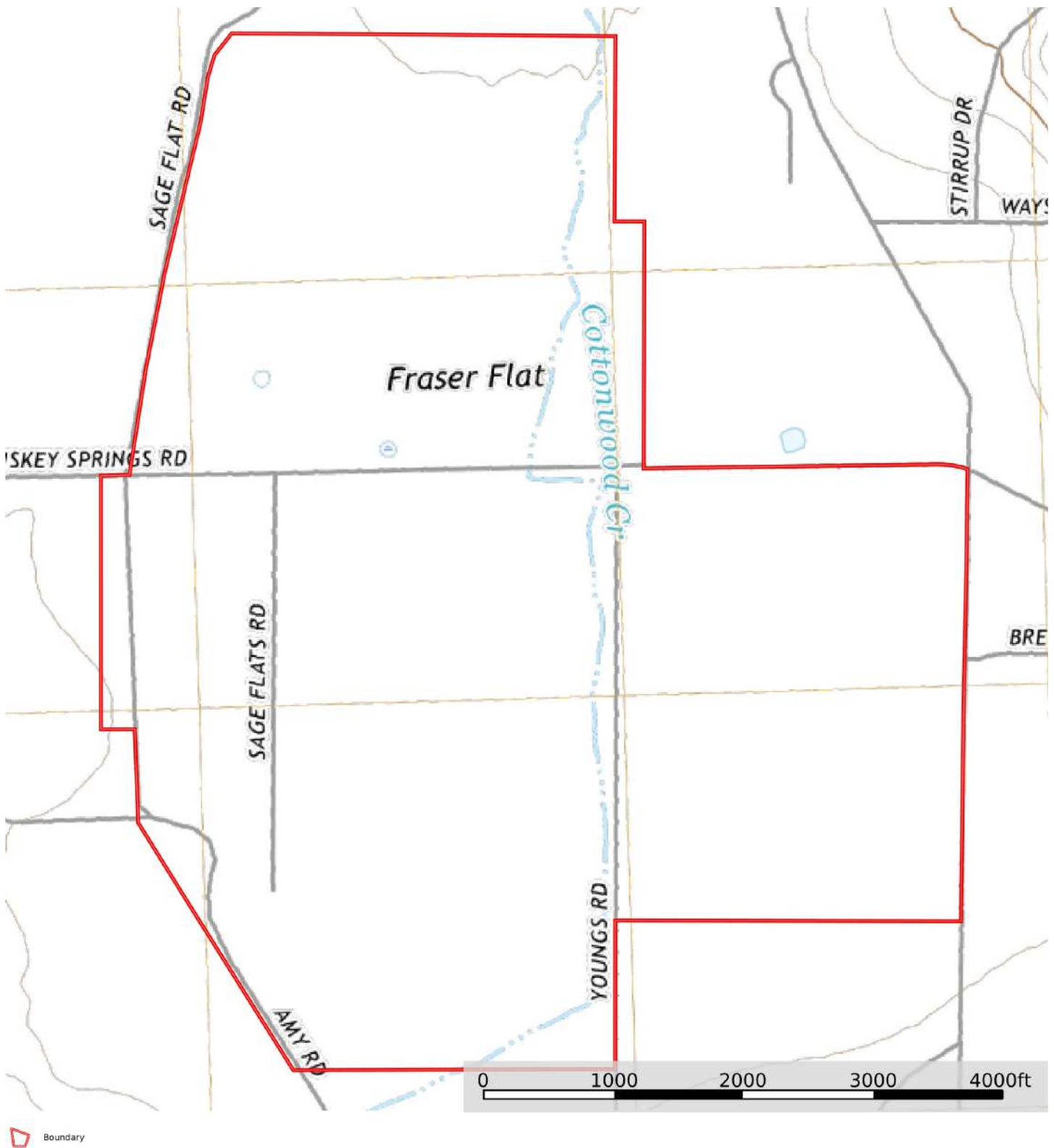


# Satellite Map



Boundary

# Topo Map





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