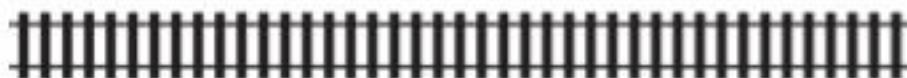


TRUCKEE'S CHINATOWNS

In the core of downtown Truckee, on the corner on Jibboom & Spring Streets, and across the Tracks and Truckee River on Southeast River Street.



Connecting America through Truckee



The only remaining Chinese building in town, and part of the second Chinatown located over on Southeast River Street

Keeping History Alive



QR code leads to more info at TruckeeHistory.org/Truckees-Chinatowns

Info@TruckeeHistory.org

HISTORICAL PLAQUE DEDICATION

Truckee's Chinatowns

May 10, 2024 at 10:00 a.m.



Nevada County Historical Landmark
June 13, 2023 - NEV 23-02

Old Truckee Jail Museum

10142 Jibboom Street Truckee CA 96161

Truckee Chinese History 1865 - 1886

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Truckee Branch Library

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Other Appreciations:

Ruppert Construction and the Town of Truckee Public Works for finding and placing the boulder in its location.

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Welcome

Master of Ceremonies: Bernard Zimmerman

Chair Nevada County Historical Landmarks Commission

Greetings: Hardy Bullock

Nevada County 5th District Supervisor

Recognition: Courtney Henderson

Town of Truckee Councilmember

Keynote Speaker: Alyce Wong

Chair of Tahoe Forest Hospital District Board of Directors



The boulder used for this plaque came from the south side of railroad tracks, site of Truckee's first train depot in 1868.

In April 2023, Truckee-Donner Historical Society (TDHS) submitted an application to the Nevada County Historical Landmarks Commission (NCHLC) for Truckee's Chinatowns seeking landmark status. NCHLC approved TDHS's Application in June 2023, and the Nevada County Board of Supervisors unanimously approved this application for landmarking status by Resolution No. 23-282.