

FOREST HIGHWAY 171 – (Upper Skyway Improvements)

Purpose: Safety, improved road condition, maintenance and multiple use access.

Description: Reconstruct and pave the 9.6-mile northern section of the Skyway from Inskip to Humboldt Road together with retaining walls and roadway drainage.

Funding: Regional Improvement Program (RIP)
Public Lands Highway (PLH-FHWA)
SAFTEY-LU – (Federal Surface Transportation Bill)

Sponsoring Agencies: Butte County Association of Government (BCAG)
Butte County
USDA Forest Service Lassen National Forest
Public Lands Highway (FHWA)
Federal Aid – California (FHWA)

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Status:
The consultant is currently finalizing Plans, Specifications and Estimate (PS&E) and preparing to acquire right of way (ROW).

Next Phase:
Finish right of way acquisitions (Complete July 2008)

Schedule:	Final PS&E	November 2008
	Advertise	December 2008
	Begin Construction	Spring 2009

Cost: Construction Estimated at \$12 – 15 million