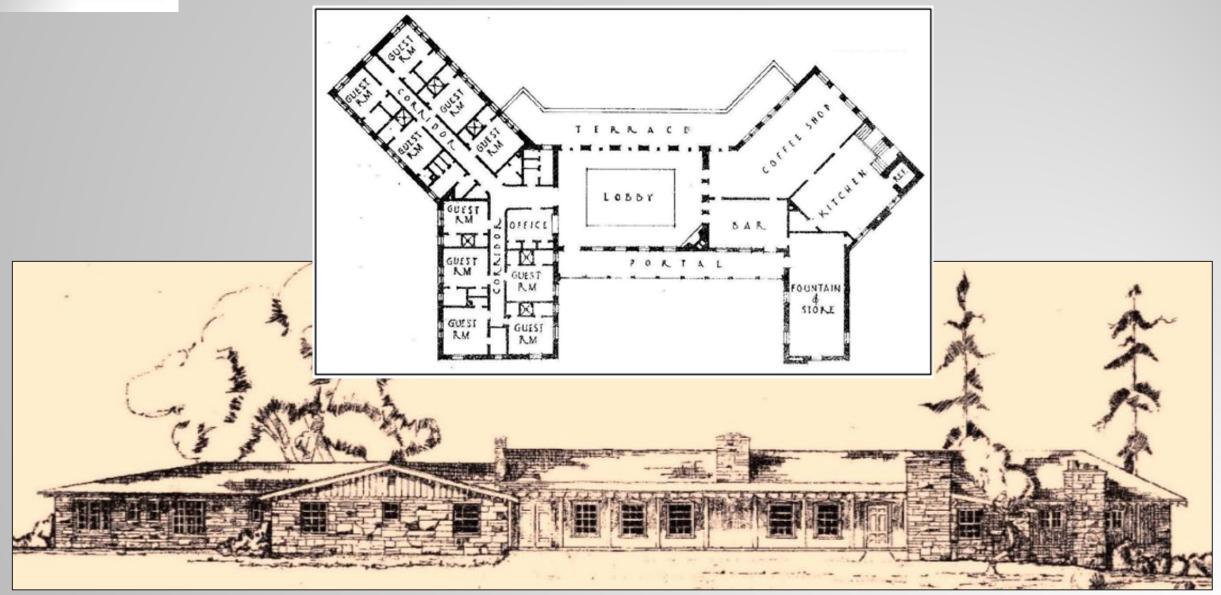


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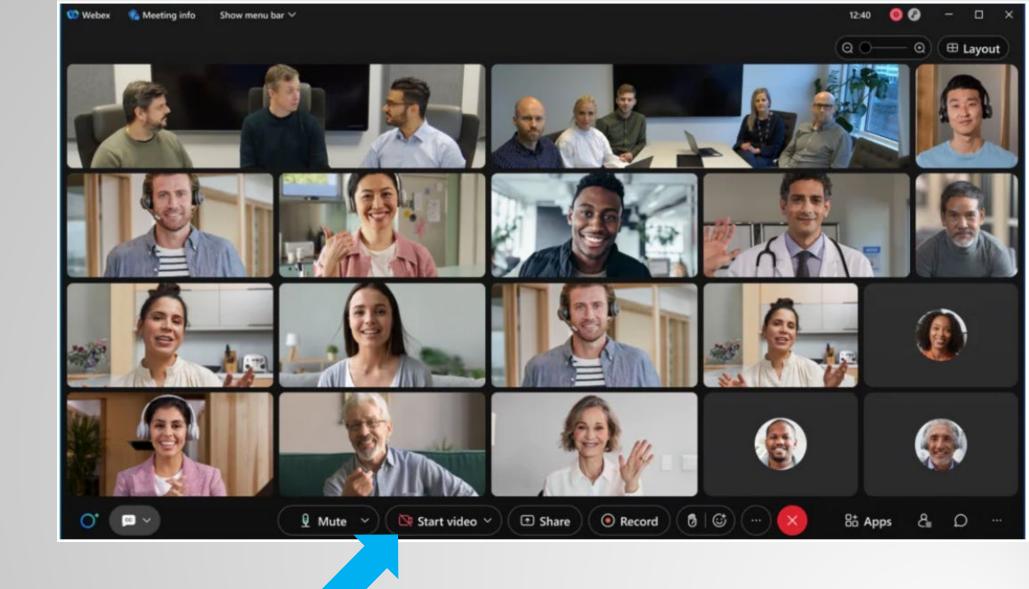
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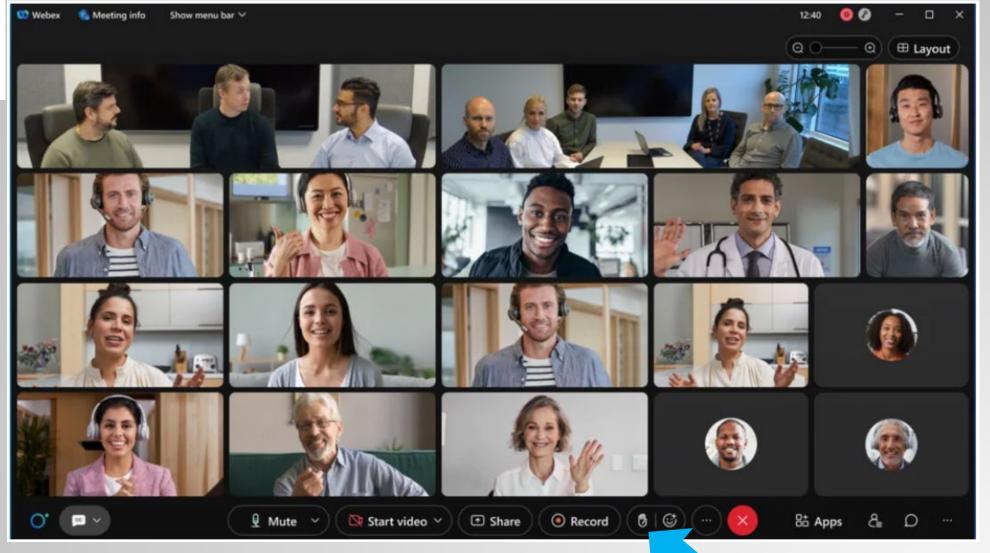




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GROUND RULES

- Please "raise your hand."
- Please keep comments respectful. It's okay to disagree, but everyone has the right to express their ideas.
- We encourage typing comments and questions in the chat.
- We will respond to items in the chat in order.
- This meeting is focused on our proposal for the lodge; we will not be addressing other topics at this time.







HOW WE GOT HERE

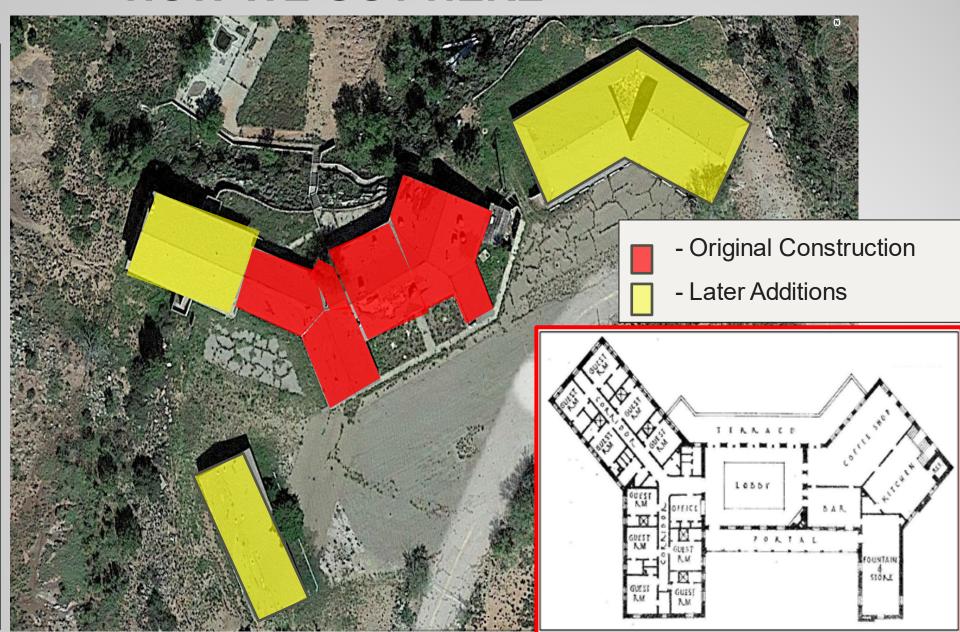
- The Corps has long wanted to improve the deteriorating condition of Conchas Lodge. We have recently applied for, and received, funding through the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law to stabilize the building.
- Prior to application for funds, we sent out a scoping letter in 2019 asking for comments about ways we might partially rehabilitate or dismantle the Lodge.
- We received 38 written and emailed comments during that scoping phase.
- Most people wanted the Lodge restored as much as feasible. A few people wanted the area restored to natural condition.
- Many people wanted the Corps to provide increased amenities. A restaurant, improved camping facilities, cabins, showers and restrooms for campers were frequently mentioned.
- The importance of the Lodge to the community and a sense of loss of what was once a thriving establishment were frequently mentioned.





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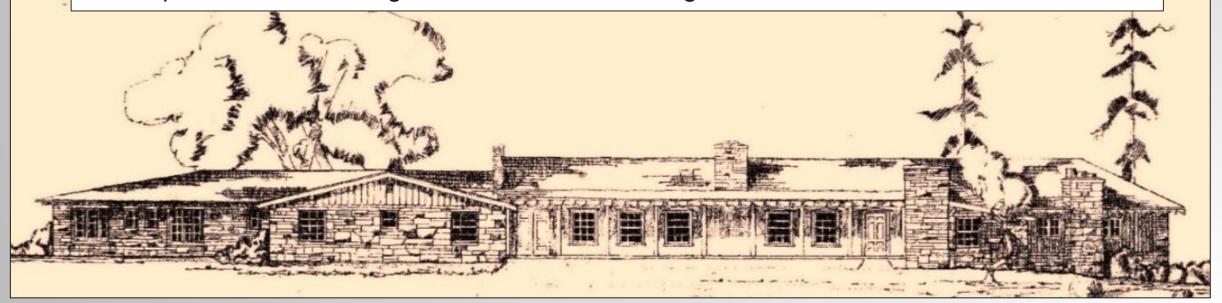
- The Corps team consisting of engineers, archaeologists, and planners is developing conceptual plans to revitalize the building.
- We have developed a multi-phase approach that stabilizes the structure with available funding and provides for additional aesthetic improvements that may be carried out at a later date if additional funding is received.





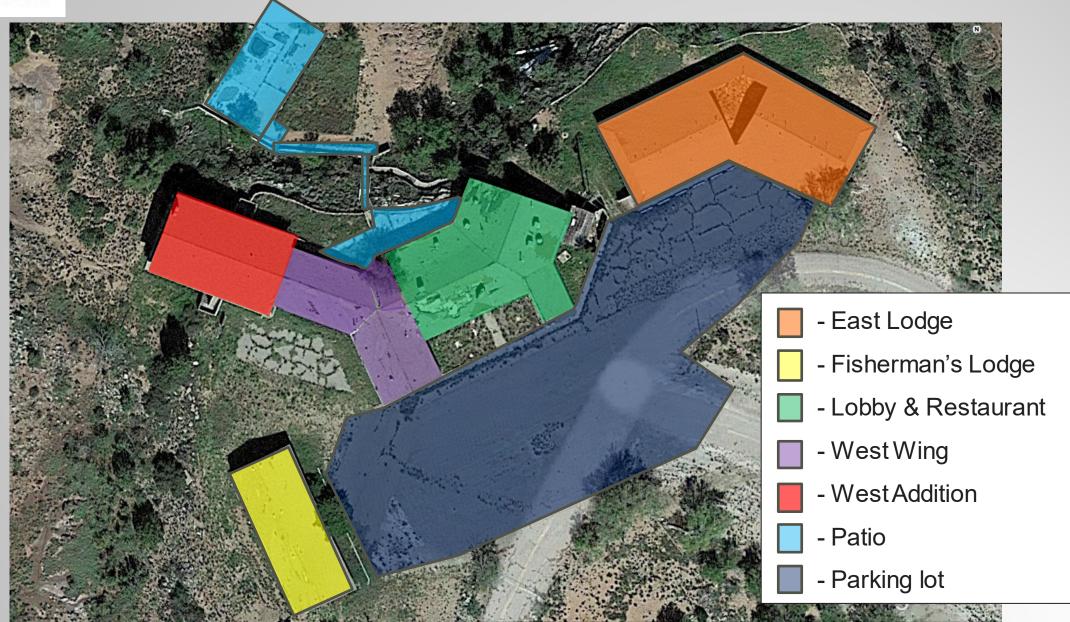
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- The original Conchas Lodge was built in 1942 by the Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC) as part of the New Deal. Other sections were added between the 1940s and 1960s.
- Conchas Lodge played a key role in history of Conchas Lake and the surrounding community.
- Eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places
- Currently in unusable condition, requiring intervention
- US Army Corps of Engineers is planning work to renovate important parts of the Lodge complex, while removing unsafe and deteriorating elements.



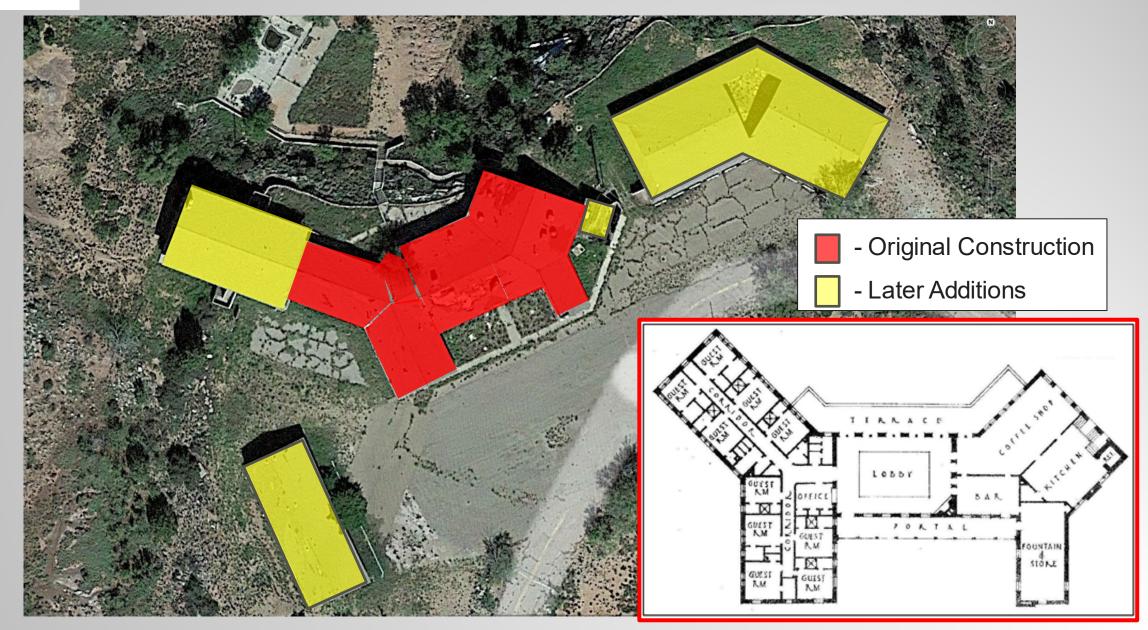


SITE OVERVIEW





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PROPOSED CHANGES (AT MINIMUM)





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(IF FUNDING IS AVAILABLE)





RENOVATE LOBBY AND RESTAURANT





STRUCTURAL MEASURES

- Save fireplace and vigas in main area.
- Reroof remaining structure.
- Replace or repair damaged and rotted structural members.
- Remove equipment that can't be salvaged (HVAC, nonhistoric fixtures, appliances, etc.).





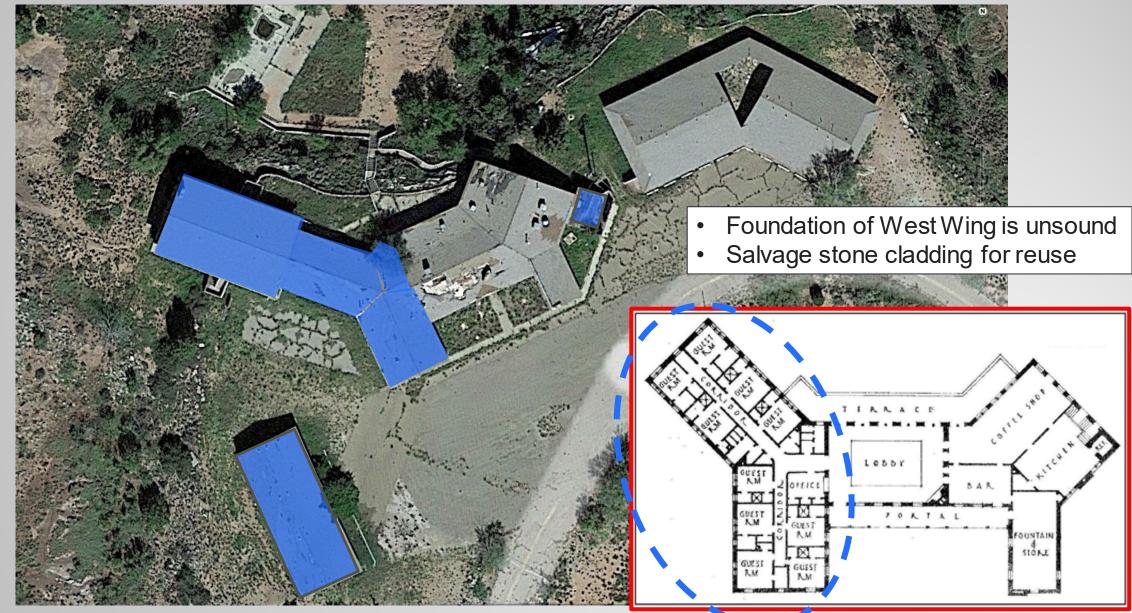


ADDITIONAL ACTIONS (If funding is available)

- Replace flooring throughout remaining areas
- Replace windows and install security measures
- Replace Electrical, HVAC, and finishes
- Renovate bathrooms
- Preserve bar area



DEMOLISH WEST WING AND ADDITIONS





DEMOLISH FISHERMAN'S LODGE



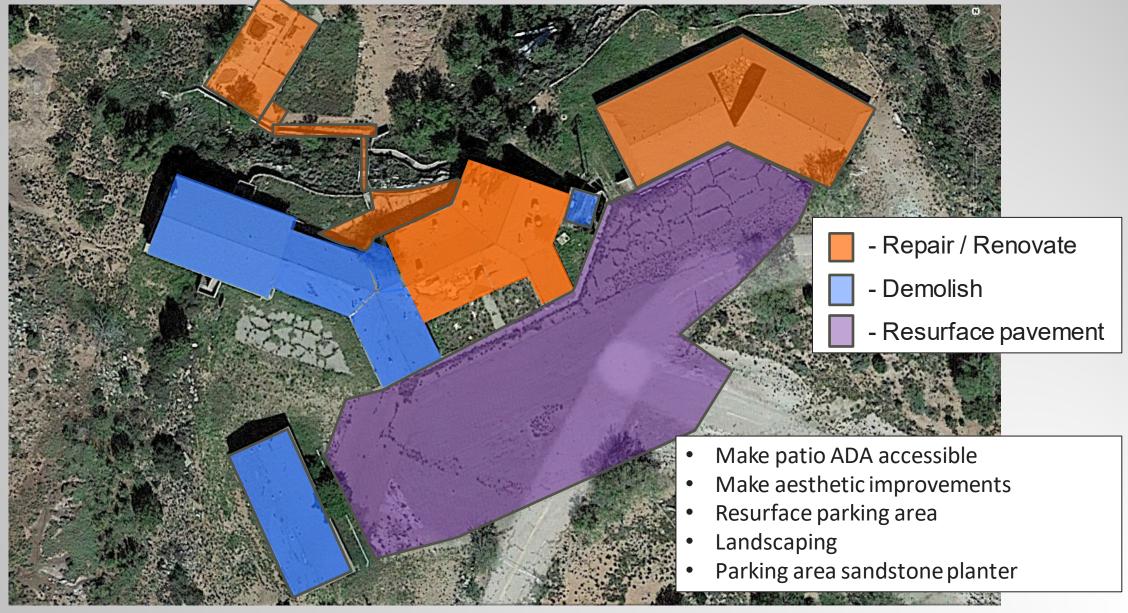


REPAIR EAST LODGE



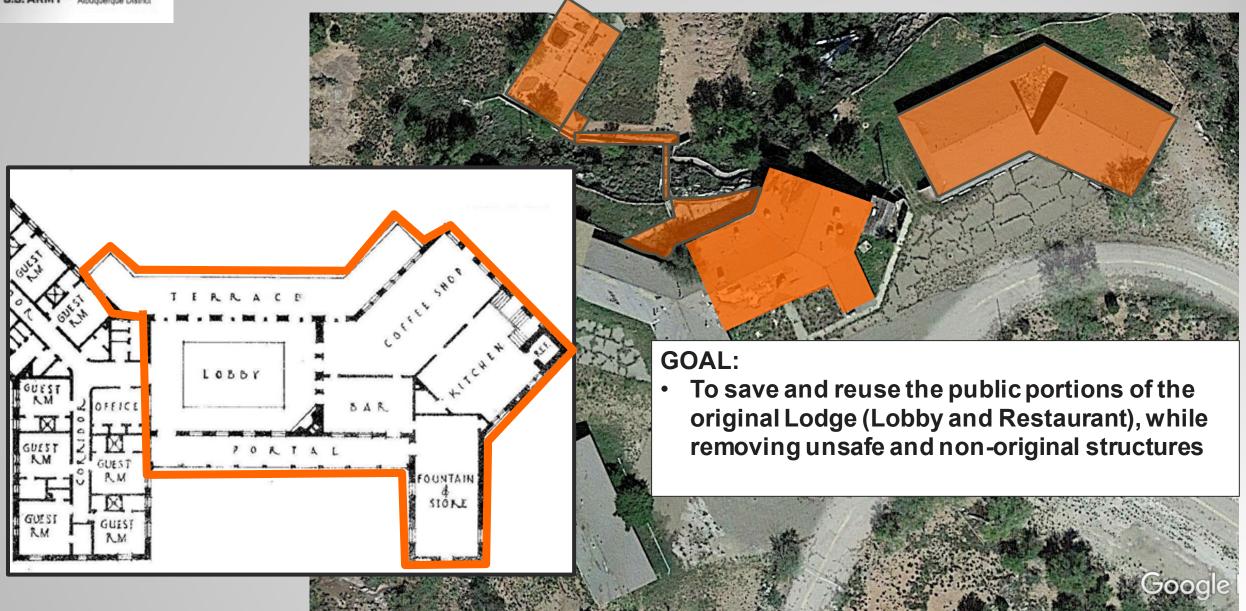


ADDITIONAL TASKS
IF FUNDING IS AVAILABLE





SUMMARY





WE NEED YOUR INPUT!

- What is important to you about the history of the Lodge?
- What is important to you about the future of the Lodge?
- What do you like/dislike about the proposed plan to partially renovate the Lodge?
- What else do you want us to know about the Conchas Lodge?

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