It was a 501-mile journey along Nevada's first renewable energy transmission line, and the go

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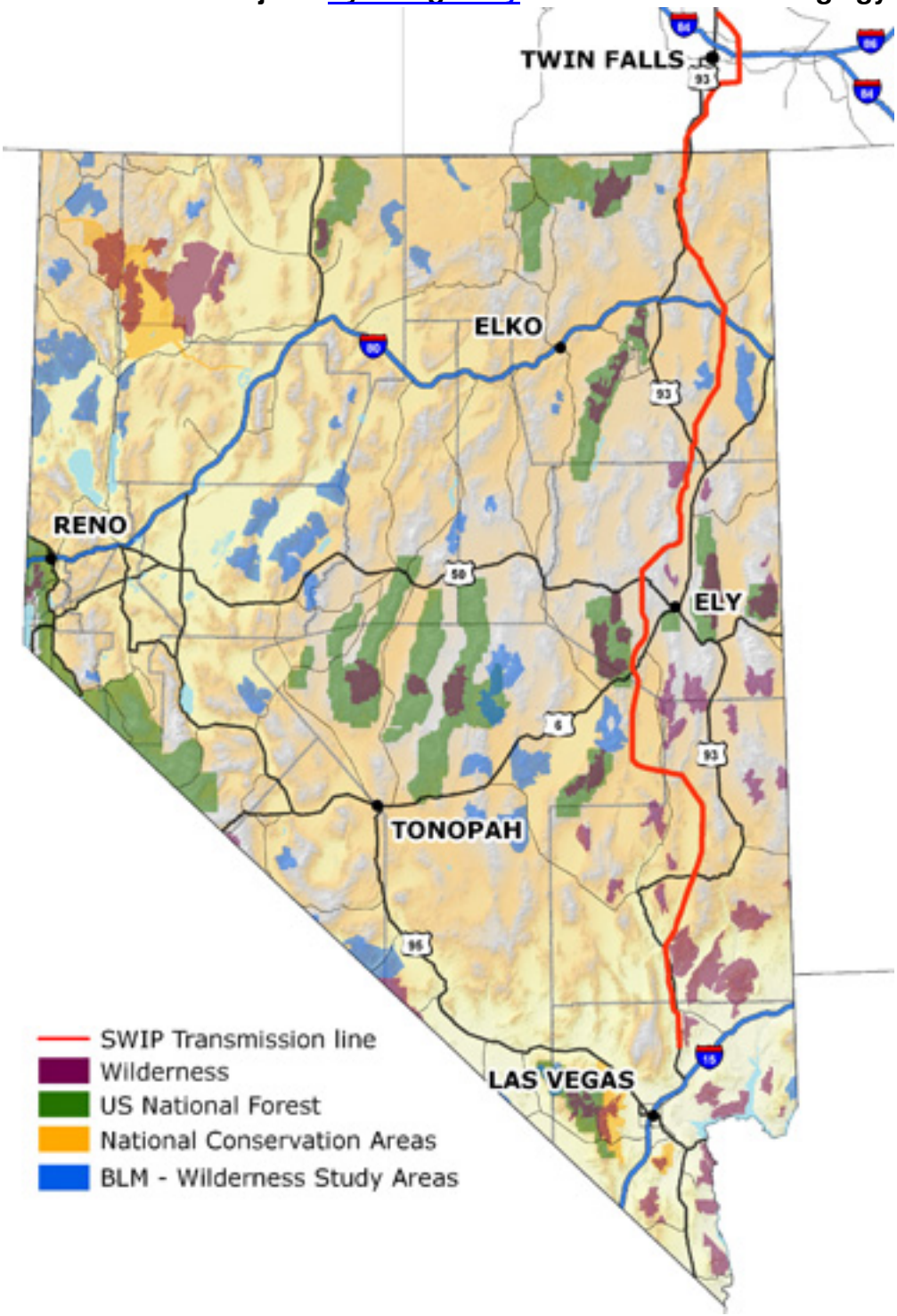

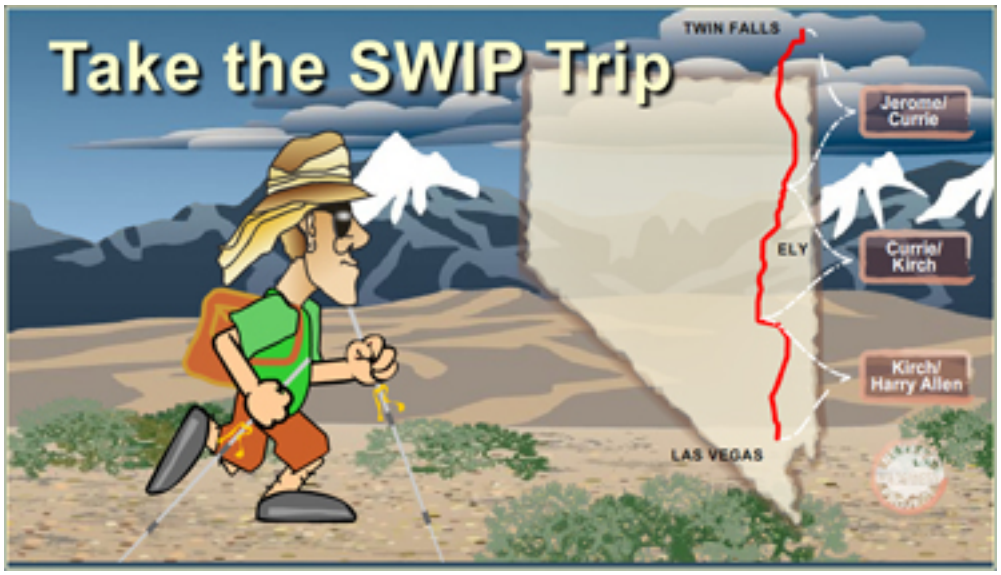

Click on the image above to take a Flash tour of the SWIP Trip. Construction by Larry Barclay, the tour is designed to explore the cumulative impacts of renewa

We called it "the SWIP Trip." SWIP stands for the Southwest Intertie Project which, when construction is co

Adam hiked the path of the SWIP line on foot, traveling north to south through high quality sage grouse

The trip took place April 22 (Earth Day) through May 7, 2010. We organized the SWIP Trip because we

Adam shot videos of what he saw and made video diaries of his experiences. The KTWR Channel 2 Nev videos daily on our blog. In August of 2010, KTWR Channel 2 Nev here here . You can fin here

NWP considers the SWIP line a "smart from the start" renewable energy project. The SWIP Trip offered us a way to paint a realistic picture of the line's impact on the landscape, and highlight conservation opp

- To envision the transmission line in its entirety through Adam's extraordinary ground-level experie
- See how the line will affect the natural landscape
- Understand its impacts on wildlife
- Investigate conservation opportunities that come with that development

Many groups and individuals supported the SWIP Trip by making a pledge per mile. Thanks to all who

In April 2010 The Documentary Group made a 27-minute film about the SWIP Trip called Walking the Line: New Energy in the Old West

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