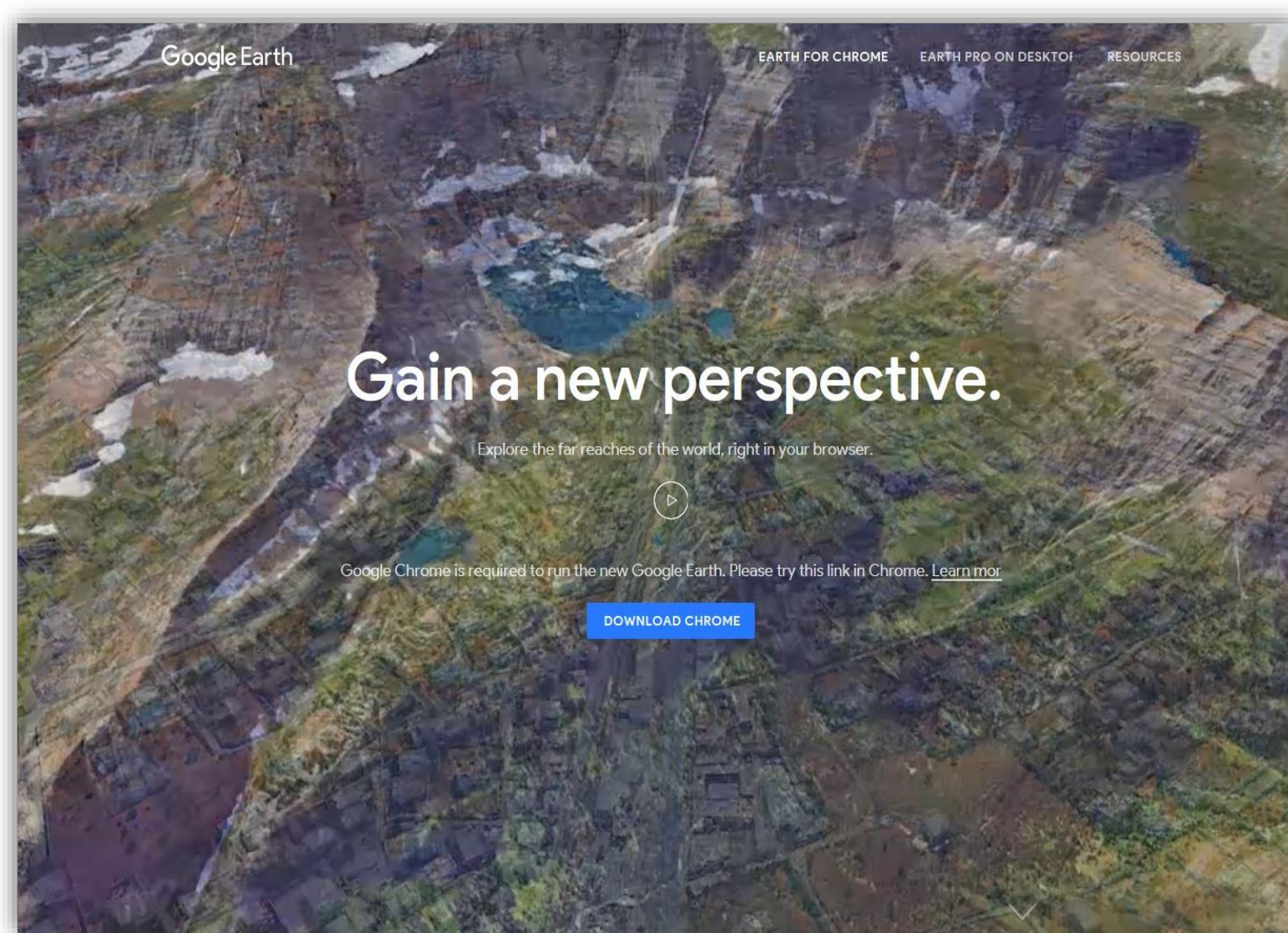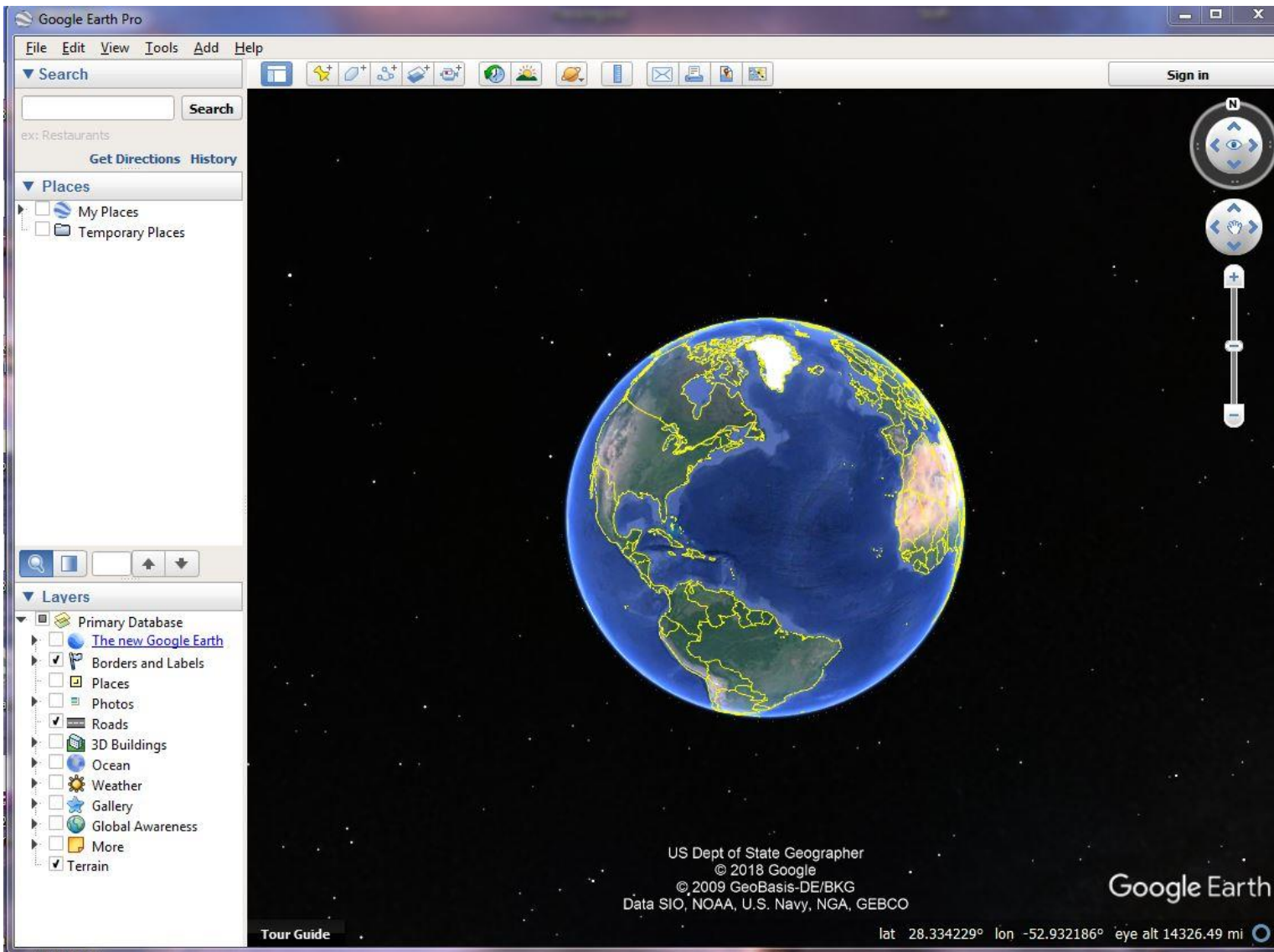# Using Google Earth to Map your Property

Step 1: Download Google Earth

- Go online to www.google.com/earth/ and download Google Earth

- Look in "Downloads" folder if not on computer desktop
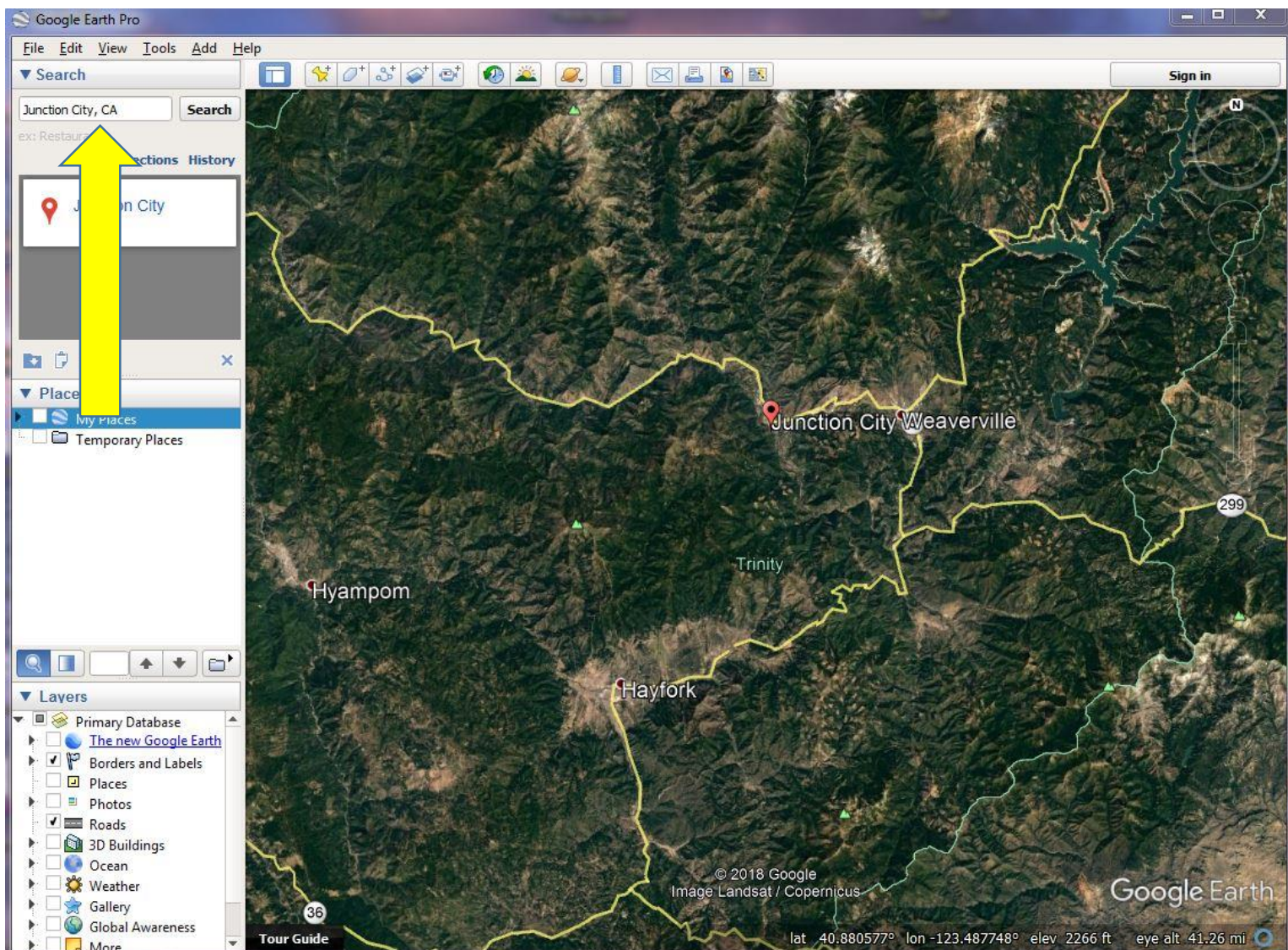
Step 2: Open Google Earth

- Find the icon on your computer desktop that looks similar to this:

- Double click the icon and open the program

Step 3: Find you Property

- Find the "Search" bar in the upper left and type in your city/address

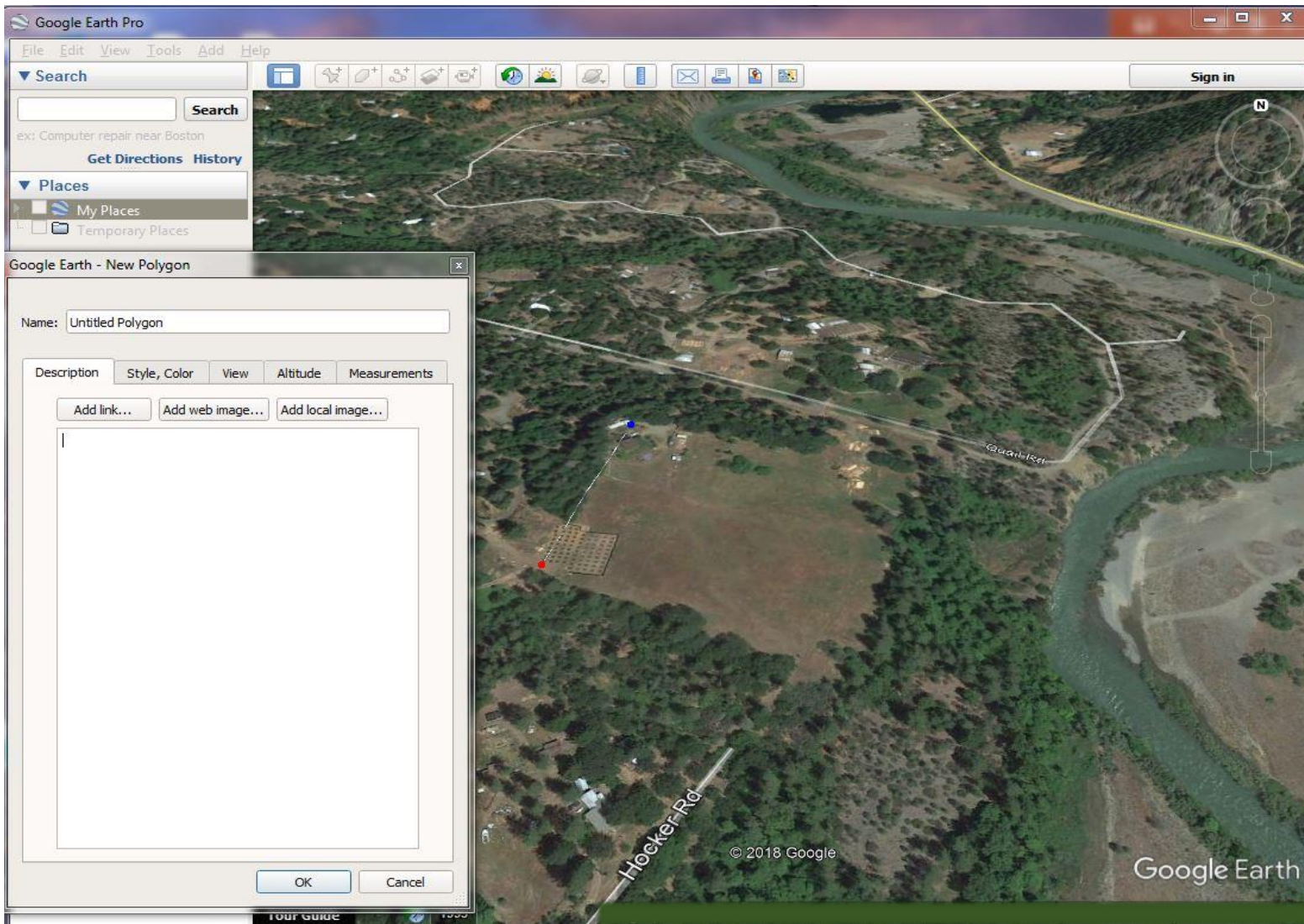- Search using names of nearby roads if Google Earth is not able to locate your precise address

Step 4: Create Property Boundary

- Click on the polygon icon near the upper left of the screen to create your property boundary
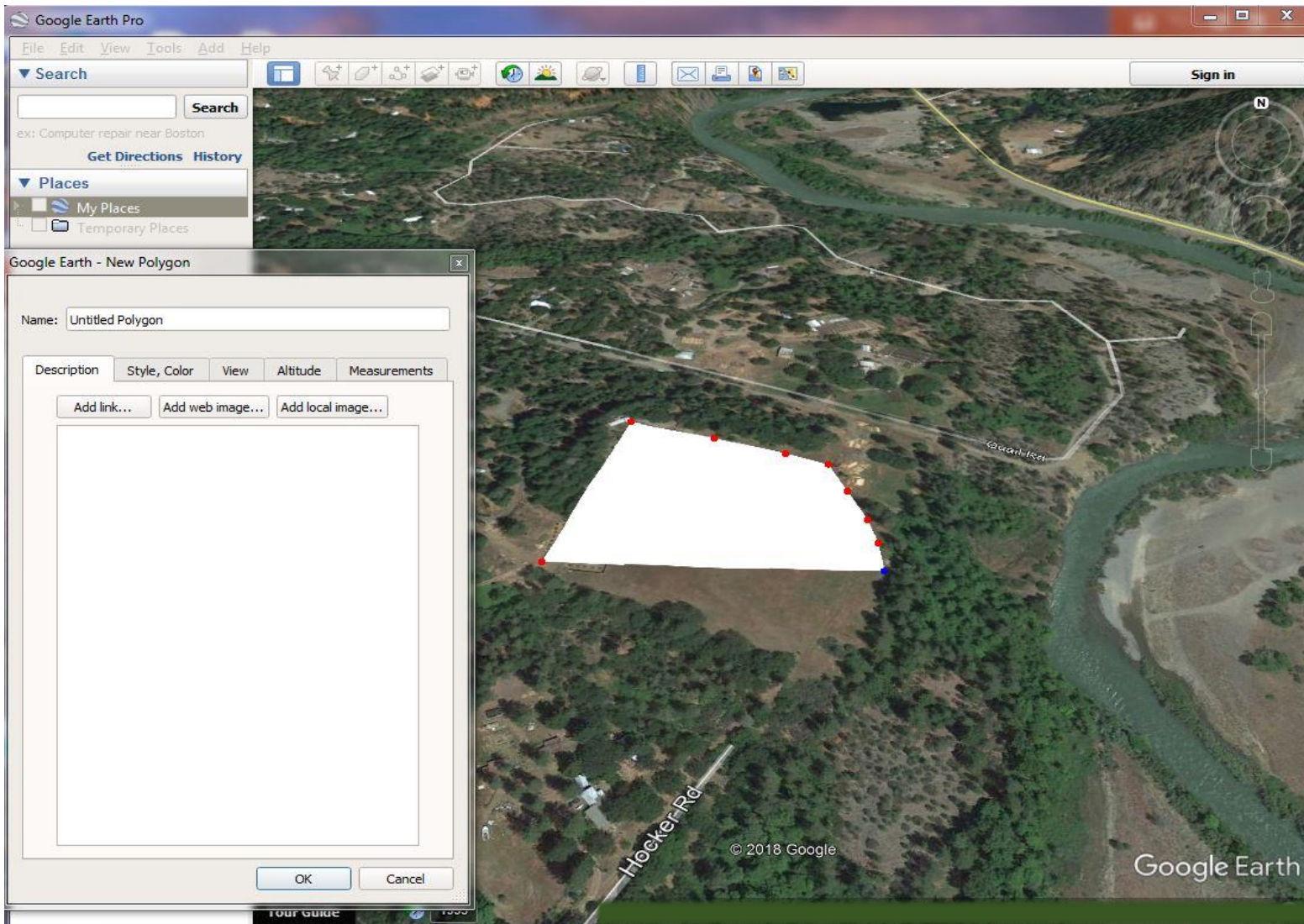
- The icon looks like this:

Step 4: Create Property Boundary, Continued

- The "New Polygon" window will open
- Click on one end of the property boundary and start outlining property
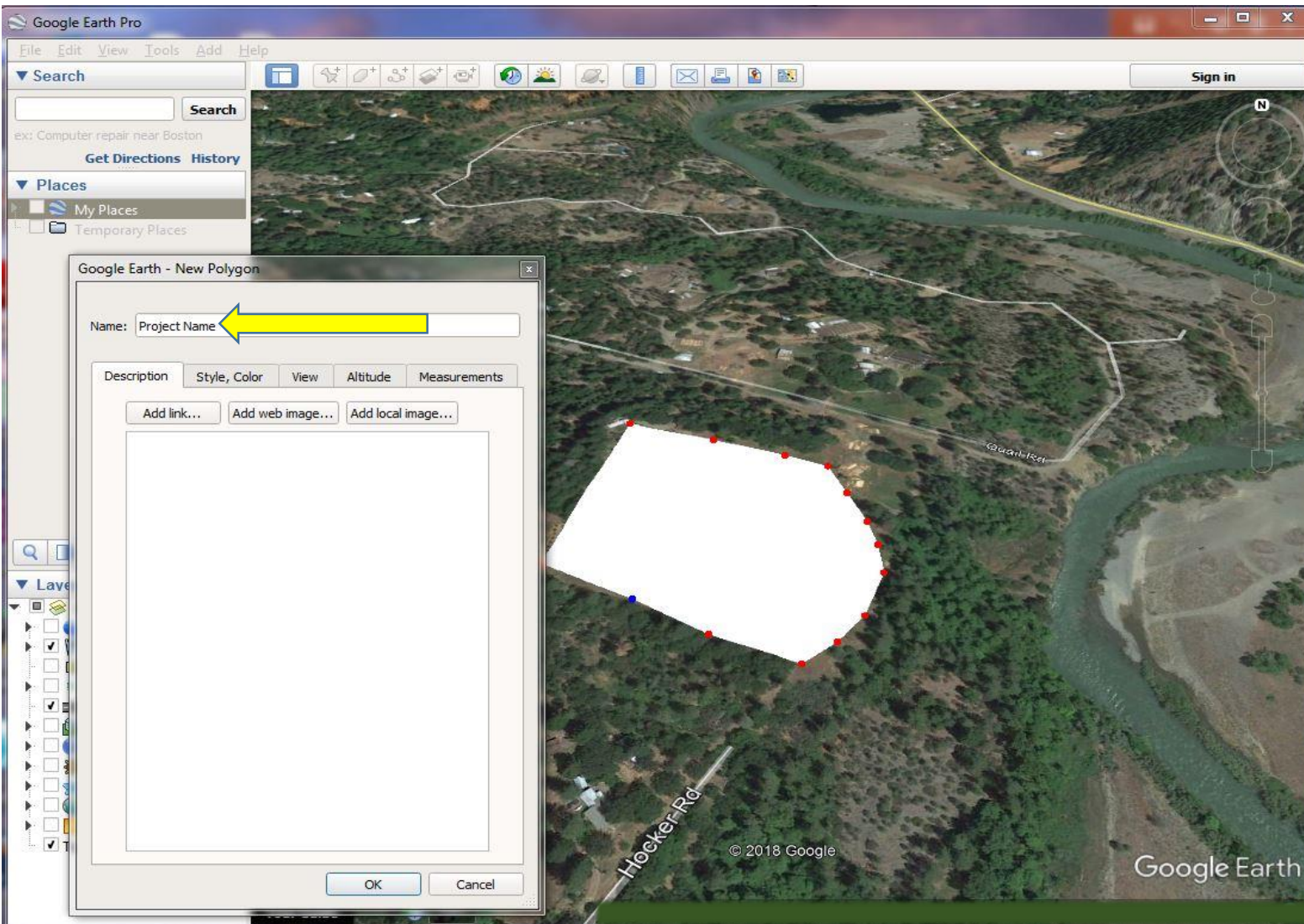- Keep the "New Polygon" window open

Step 4: Create Property Boundary, Continued

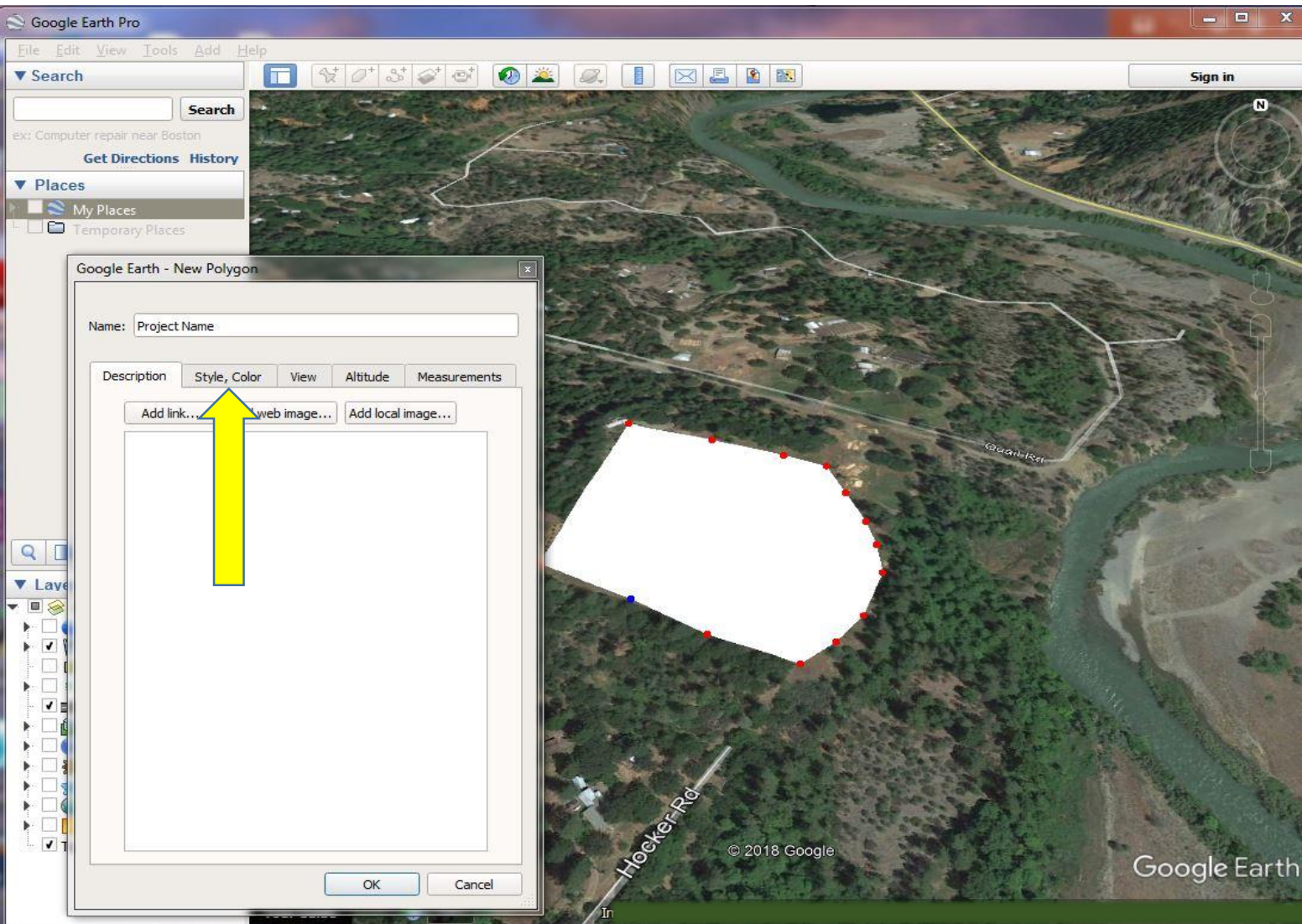- Continue to outline property, it should look like this

Step 5: Name your Project

- Once finished, name your project
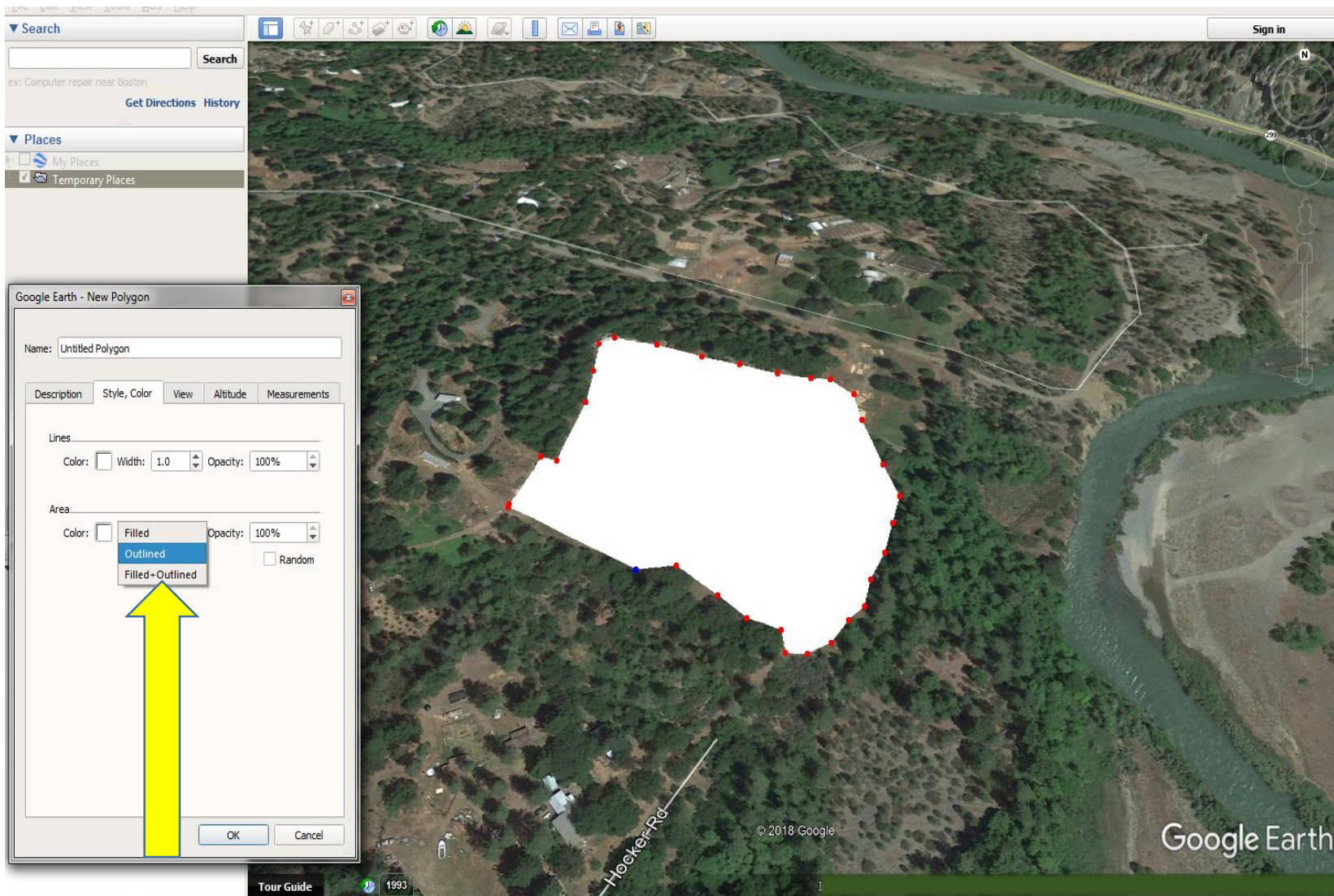- Do not close the "New Polygon" window yet

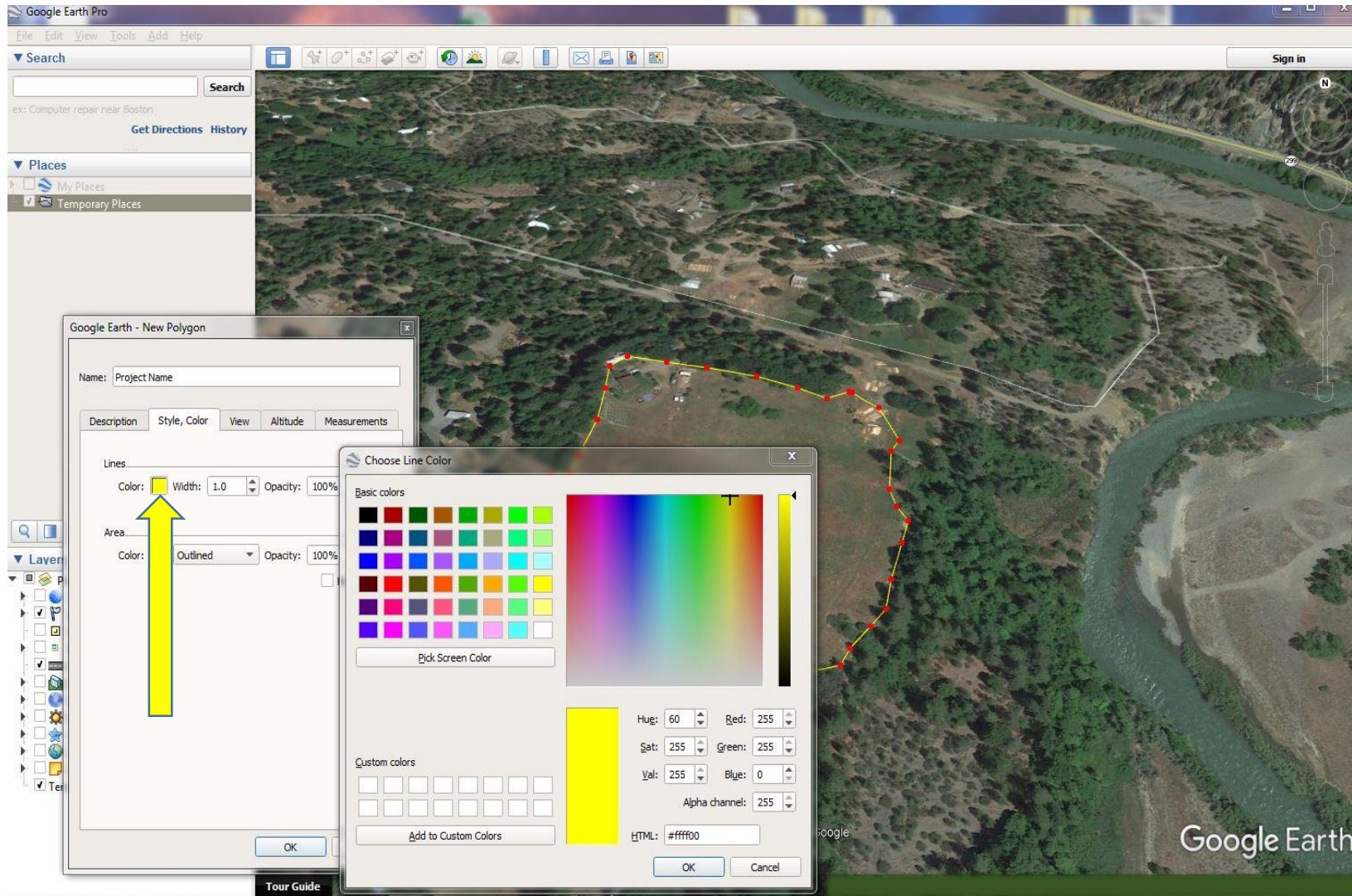# Step 6: Change Property Boundary Style

- Click the "Style, Color" tab

Step 6: Change Property Boundary Style, Continued

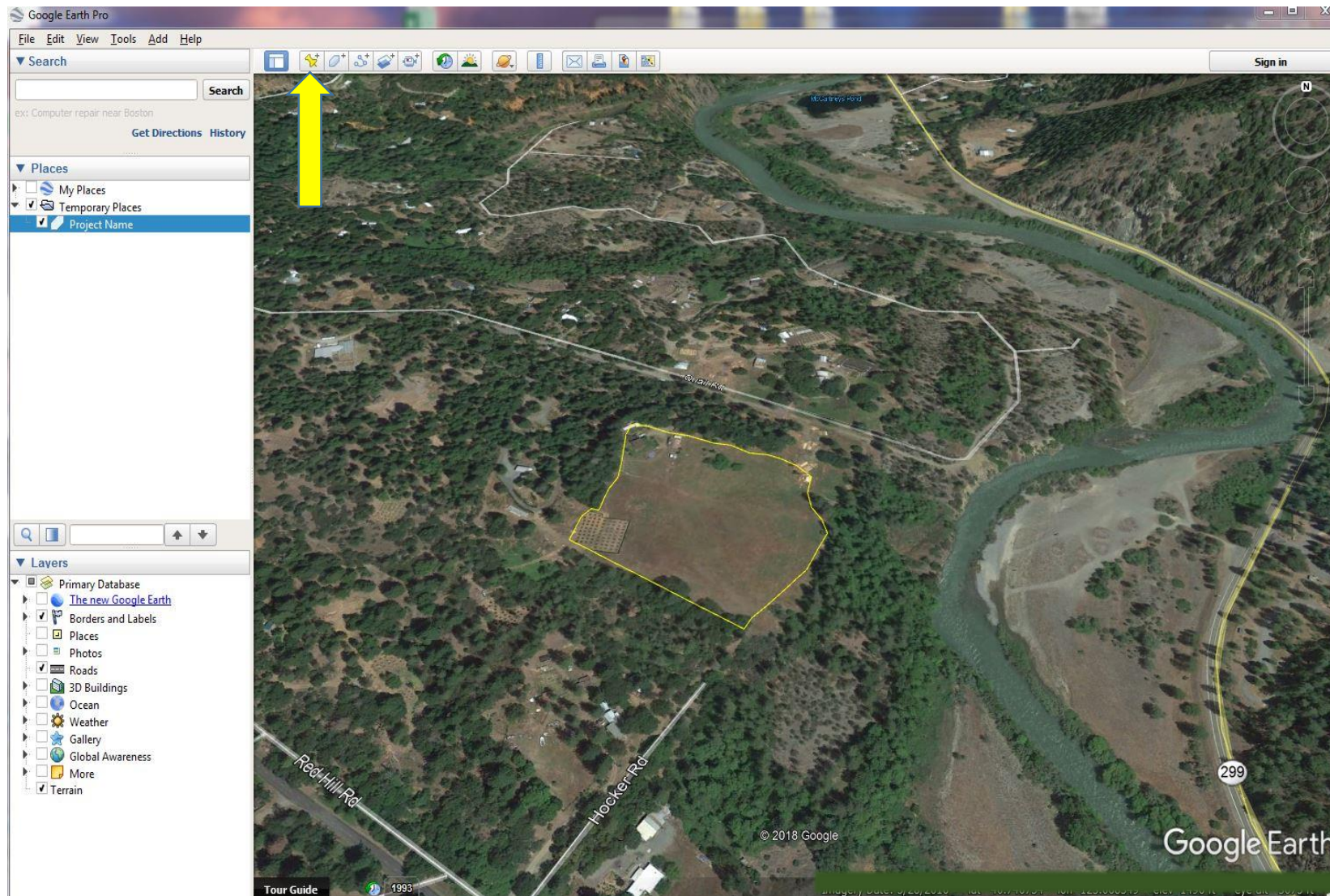- Click on the "Filled and Outlined" option and change to "Outlined"

Step 6: Change Property Boundary Style, Continued

- Change the color of the line by clicking on the "Color" box

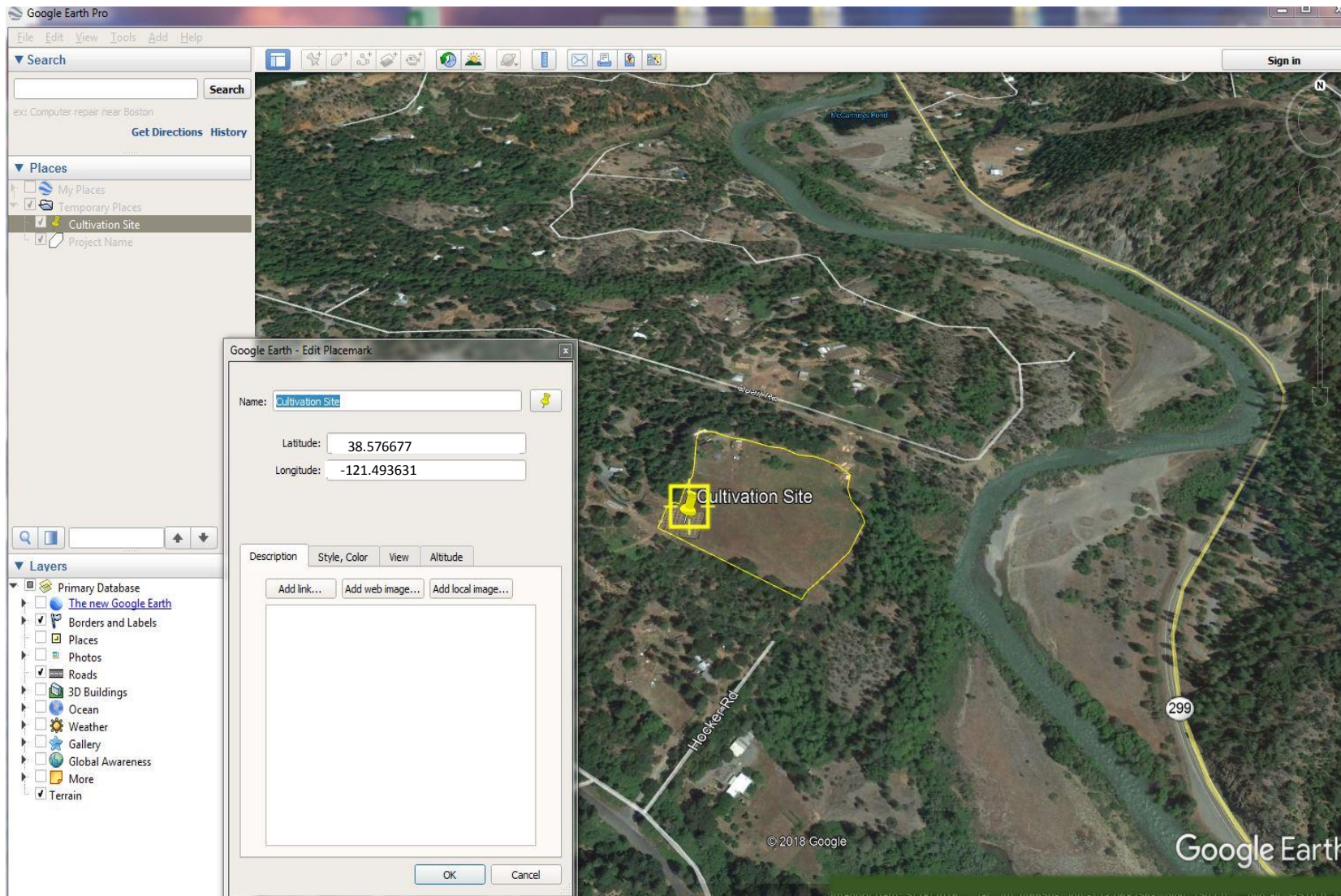- The "Choose Line Color" window will open, choose bright yellow and click OK

Step 7: Identify Features of Interest

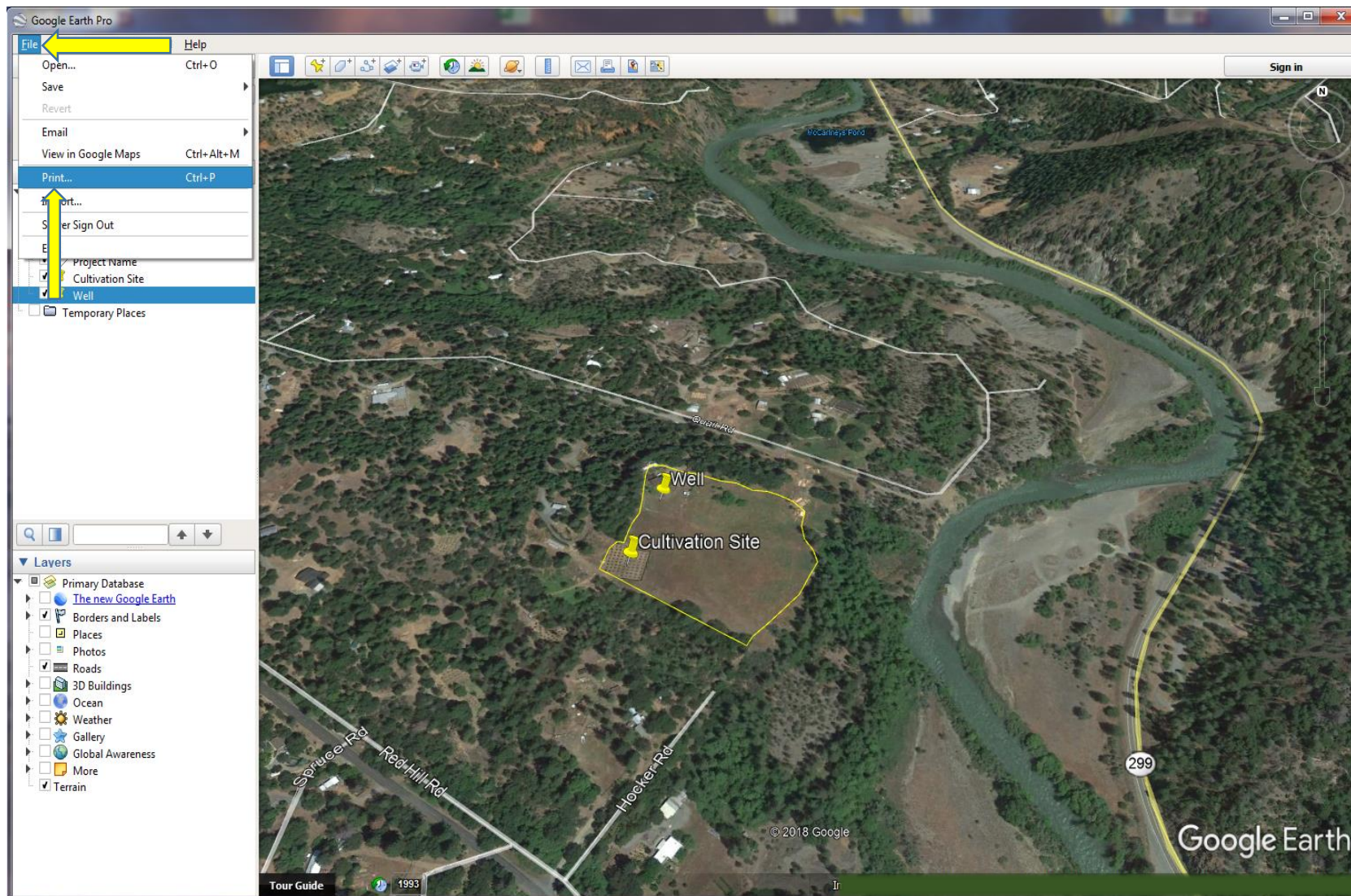
- Click on the yellow thumbtack icon

Step 7: Identify Features of Interest, Continued

- Add thumbtacks for each water diversion, well, stream, stream crossing, culvert, cultivation area, etc.
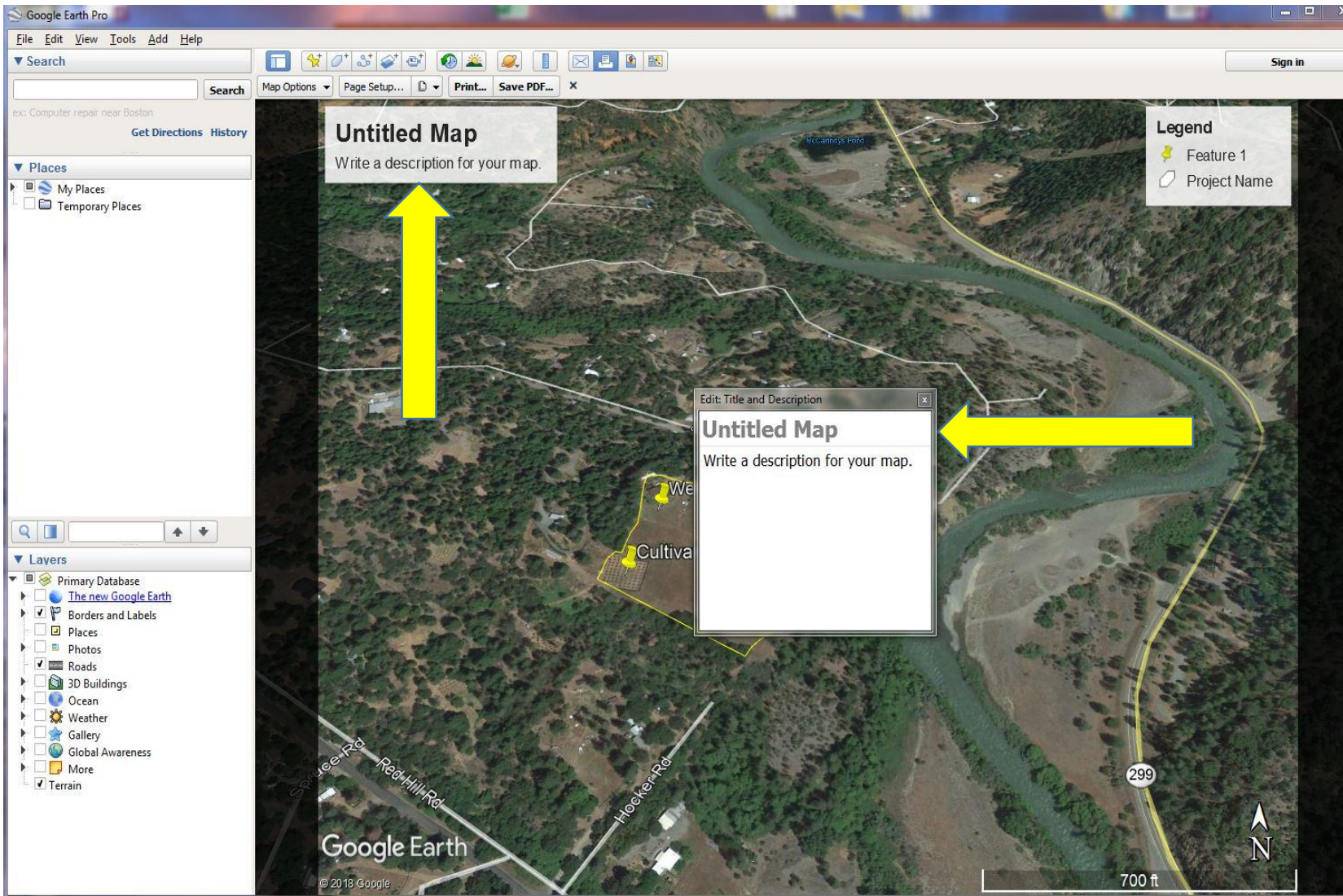
- Name each point accordingly

Step 8: Save your Map as a PDF File

- Click on "File" and in the drop down menu select "Print"

Step 8: Save your Map as a PDF File, Continued

- Once you click "Print" this is what the page will look like
- Click in the "Untitled Map" box
- Click within the window that opens in order to name your map

Step 8: Save your Map as a PDF File, Continued

- Click "Save PDF"
- Save it in a location you can find it
- Attach map to your Notification