

TO: Tahoe Regional Planning Agency Governing Board

ATTN: Marja Ambler, Clerk to the Board

CC: Mark Bruce, Cindy Gustafson, Shelly Aldean, Barbara Cegavske, Ashley Conrad-Saydah, Belinda Faustinos, John Friedrich, A.J. Bud Hicks, Alexis Hill, Vince Hoenigman, James Lawrence, Sue Novasel, Wesley Rice, Hayley Williamson, Bill Yeates, Joanne Marchetta, John Marshall, Dennis Zabaglo

SUBMITTED: January 21, 2022

RE: 245 Letters of Support for the Tahoe Keys Lagoons Aquatic Weed Control Methods Test

Dear Ms. Ambler,

Appended here please find 245 unique letters of support from the public for the Tahoe Keys Lagoons Aquatic Weed Control Methods Test. These letters pertain to the decision by the Lahontan Water Quality Control Board (which resulted in unanimous support for the proposed project). The public sentiment voiced in the letters has equal bearing for the Tahoe Regional Planning Agency Governing Board in light of their upcoming decision on January 26 pertaining to the proposed project.

Please share the appended letters with board members for their consideration prior to the meeting.

Thank you,
League to Save Lake Tahoe

TO: Lahontan Regional Water Quality Control Board

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