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# **TRPA Regional Plan Update**

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## **General Recreation Goals, Policies, and Implementation Strategies**

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## Alternative 1 – General Recreation Goals, Policies, and Implementation Strategies

Alternative 1 -- GENERAL RECREATION (no changes are proposed)										
Element or Subelement/ Author	Pathway Desired Condition	Existing Goal	Proposed Goal	Goal Status: (N)ew, (A)mended, (D)eleted, (U)nchanged	Goal Rationale	Existing Policy	Proposed Policy	Policy Status: (N)ew, (A)mended, (D)eleted, (U)nchanged	Policy Rationale	Implementation Measures

## Alternative 2 – General Recreation Goals, Policies, and Implementation Strategies

Alternative 2 -- GENERAL RECREATION										
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1.11.4 General Recreation/M. Shaw	R.DC-1 OPPORTUNITY There exists a spectrum of high-quality recreational opportunities which sustains Lake Tahoe's natural setting as an outstanding recreation destination.	DEV REC2 PROVIDE FOR THE APPROPRIATE TYPE, LOCATION, AND RATE OF DEVELOPMENT OF OUTDOOR RECREATIONAL USES	DEV REC-1 Provide a suitable spectrum of high-quality recreational opportunities while sustaining Lake Tahoe's natural setting as an outstanding recreation destination	N	Existing Developed Rec Goal 2 was replaced with Desired Condition #1, and incorporated into General Recreation as Goal 1.	DEV REC2.1 EXPANSION OF RECREATIONAL FACILITIES AND OPPORTUNITIES SHOULD BE IN RESPONSE TO DEMAND	REC-1.3 RECREATION EXPANSION : EXPANSION OF RECREATIONAL FACILITIES AND OPPORTUNITIES SHOULD BE IN RESPONSE TO REGIONAL AND COMMUNITY DEMANDS, NEEDS AND PRIORITIES. SUPPORT DEMAND PROJECTIONS AND NEEDS ASSESSMENTS TO ASSESS FACILITY CAPACITY.	A	Original updated and comments provided by recreation providers.	Existing measures
General Recreation/Shaw	R.DC-1	DEV REC2	DEV REC-1	N	Existing Developed Rec Goal 2 was replaced with Desired Condition #1, and incorporated into General Recreation as Goal 1.	DEV REC2.2 BIKE TRAILS SHALL BE EXPANDED TO PROVIDE ALTERNATIVES FOR TRAVEL IN CONJUNCTION WITH TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS	REC-1.4 CONNECTIVITY: PROVIDE CONNECTIVITY BETWEEN NEW, REDEVELOPED AND EXISTING RECREATION DESTINATIONS THROUGH ALTERNATIVE AND NON-AUTOMOTIVE MEANS, INCLUDING TRANSIT, BICYCLE TRAILS, AND PEDESTRIAN	A	Original updated and comments provided by recreation providers.	Rec.Gen.Imp-1: A new finding would be added to Section 33.6, Growth Management that requires new or expanded recreation facilities to demonstrate non-motorized connectivity (walkability) between nearby residential neighborhoods,

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							LINKAGES			commercial areas, and recreation projects
1.11.4 General Recreation/M. Shaw	R.DC-1	DEV REC3 PROTECT NATURAL RESOURCES FROM OVERUSE AND RECTIFY INCOMPATIBILITY BETWEEN USES	DEV REC-1 Provide a suitable spectrum of high-quality recreational opportunities while sustaining Lake Tahoe's natural setting as an outstanding recreation destination	N	Goal Developed Recreation 3 became General Rec Policy 1.1	DEV REC3.1 RECREATION DEVELOPMENT IN THE TAHOE BASIN SHALL BE CONSISTENT WITH THE SPECIAL RESOURCES OF THE AREA	REC-1.2 RECREATION DEVELOPMENT: REQUIRE THAT RECREATION DEVELOPMENT IN THE TAHOE REGION BE COMPATIBLE WITH OTHER RECREATION USES AND ALIGNED WITH THE SPECIAL AND NATURAL RESOURCES OF THE AREA.	A	TWG deleted. This is a re-wording of the original.	Existing measures
1.11.4 General Recreation/M. Shaw	R.DC-1	DEV REC3	DEV REC-1	N	Goal Developed Recreation 3 became General Rec Policy 1.1	DEV REC3.2 REGULATE INTENSITY, TIMING, TYPE, AND LOCATION OF USE TO PROTECT RESOURCES AND SEPARATE INCOMPATIBLE USES	REC-1.1 RECREATION USE RESOURCE USE AND RESOURCE PROTECTION: MANAGE THE RECREATION EXPERIENCE APPROPRIATE TO THE DESIRED SETTING, TO PROTECT NATURAL RESOURCES AND LIMIT IMPACTS OF OVERUSE BY	A	TWG replaced existing policy with "Accommodate the varied user expectations on a fixed land base" but original amended to support PAOT system. Was goal "Developed Rec 3".	Existing measures

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							REGULATE REGULATING INTENSITY, TIMING, TYPE, AND LOCATION OF USE			
1.11.4 General Recreation/M. Shaw	R.DC-2 ACCESS: There exists additional high-quality access where lawful and feasible to natural areas and shorezone consistent with desired resource conditions and user expectations.	NONE	GEN REC-2 Provide additional high-quality access where lawful and feasible to natural areas and shorezone consistent with desired resource conditions and user expectations.	N	Pathway Desired Condition incorporated as a new goal.	NONE	REC-2.1 RECREATION STRUCTURES: DESIGN NEW RECREATION FACILITIES TO BE CONSISTENT WITH THE SETTING, TO MEET THE NEEDS OF ALL USERS, AND RESPOND TO CHANGING RECREATIONAL TRENDS AND TECHNOLOGY.	N	New policy	Rec.Gen.Imp-2: Code Section 20.3.B(7), Coverage Standards, would be updated to add an accessibility requirement for new and existing recreation facilities
1.11.4 General Recreation/M. Shaw	R.DC-2	NONE	GEN REC-2	N	Pathway Desired Condition incorporated as a new goal.	NONE	REC-2.2 PUBLIC ACCESS - LAND ACQUISITION: PROVIDE FOR PUBLIC ACCESS TO RECREATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES AND SCENIC VISTAS BY FACILITATING PUBLIC LAND ACQUISITION	N	New policy	Existing measures
1.11.4 General Recreation/M. Shaw	R.DC-2	NONE	GEN REC-2 Provide additional high-quality	N	Pathway Desired Condition	NONE	REC-2.3 PUBLIC ACCESS – IMPACTS: PROVIDE	N	New policy	Rec.Gen.Imp-3: A separate process for rights-of-way

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			access where lawful and feasible to natural areas and shorezone consistent with desired resource conditions and user expectations.		incorporated as a new goal.		ADEQUATE ACCESS TO RECREATION DESTINATIONS. THE IMPACT ON PUBLIC ACCESS SHALL BE A KEY CONSIDERATION FOR ANY RESOURCE MANAGMENT LIMITATION ON PUBLIC USE.			and public easement abandonments to require TRPA approval would be added to Chapter 41, Subdivision and Chapter 53, Shorezone Tolerance Districts. The goal is to preserve public access to the shoreline of Lake Tahoe and other public lands, except when conveyed to a public agency for protection of a natural resource or other overriding public purpose
1.11.4 General Recreation/M. Shaw	R.DC-1	NONE	GEN REC-1	N	Pathway Desired Condition incorporated as a new goal.	NONE	REC-1.5 DEVELOP A COMPREHENSIVE REGIONAL RECREATION AND OPEN SPACE PLAN, IN COOPERATION WITH REGIONAL AND LOCAL RECREATION PROVIDERS, TO	N	New policy	NONE

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							PROVIDE GUIDANCE FOR PLANNING, DESIGN AND MANAGEMENT OF PARKS, RECREATION AND OPEN SPACE OPPORTUNITIES IN THE TAHOE BASIN.			

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