



# Kings Beach State Recreation Area

General Plan Revision/Pier Rebuild Project



# Kings Beach SRA General Plan Revision



# What is the General Plan Revision?

## KINGS BEACH STATE RECREATION AREA

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## PRELIMINARY GENERAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT PLAN

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Prepared for:  
State of California  
Department of Parks and Recreation  
July 1980

- Long-term management plan
- Replaces 1980 General Plan
- Will allow implementation of projects

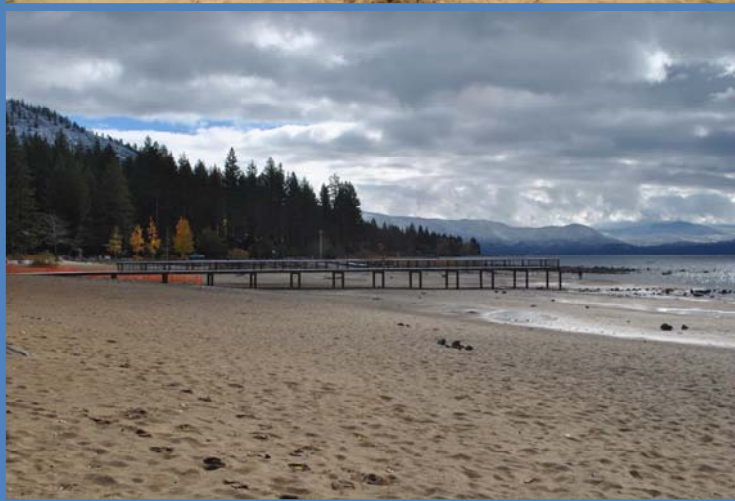


# Purpose of Today's Scoping Meeting

- Present information on the project and environmental review process
- Receive comments on:
  - Environmental issues to be addressed during environmental review
  - Alternatives to consider
  - Suggestions for mitigation
  - Other recommendations related to the project



# Background and Status of Pier Project

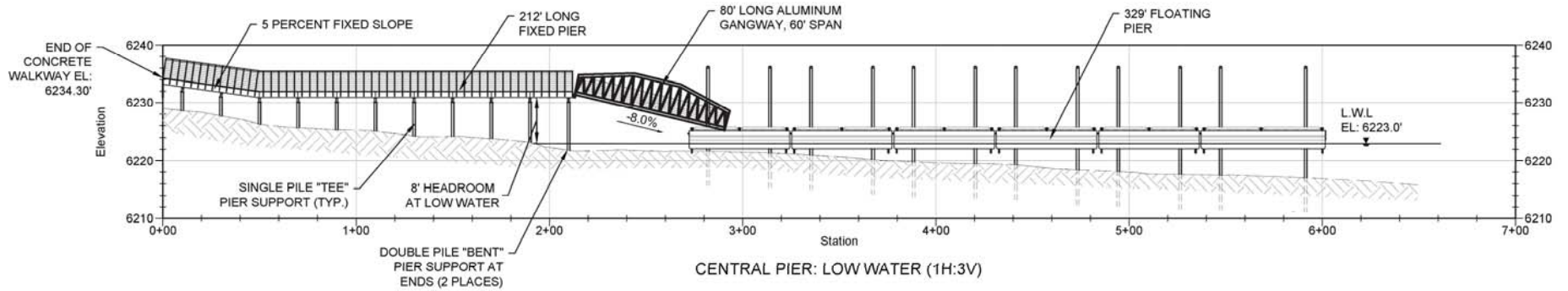
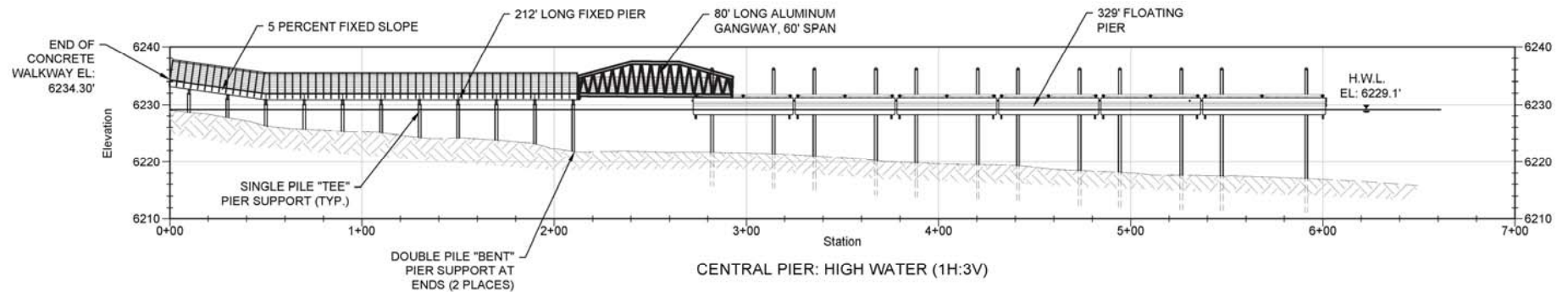


## Project history

- State Parks and Conservancy
- High quality public recreation
- Feasibility
- Current status



# Pier Design Features



# Results of the Comparative Alternatives Analysis

## 2015-16 Analysis Examined:

- **Fish Habitat**
- **Scenic**
- **Littoral processes**
- **Safety**

Kings Beach Pier  
Comparative Alternatives  
Analysis

Kings Beach Pier Concept Project

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Prepared for  
California Tahoe Conservancy

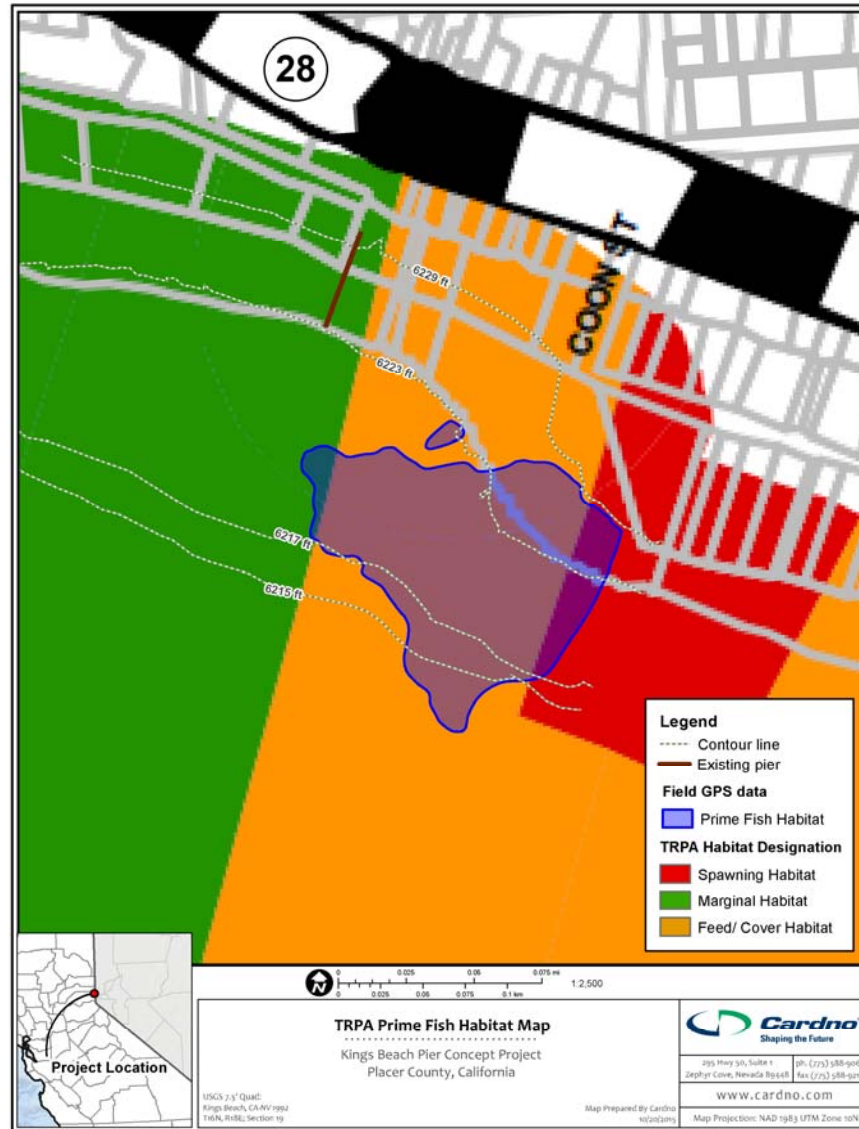


# Pier Illustration





# Prime Fish Habitat



# Environmental Review



- **General Plan EIR**
- **Pier Project EIR/EIS**
- **Combined document**



# Subjects to be Addressed in EIR/EIS

- Land use/community effects
- Hydrology/water quality
- Geology and soils, land capability, and coverage
- Scenic resources
- Biological resources
- Recreation
- Cultural resources
- Hazards and public safety
- Public services and utilities
- Traffic, parking, and transit
- Air quality
- Greenhouse gas emissions and climate change
- Noise
- Cumulative impacts
- Growth-inducing impacts
- TRPA threshold carrying capacities



# Alternatives to be Evaluated in EIR/EIS

- No project alternative
- Action alternatives that could include:
  - Landside facility configurations
  - Pier locations
  - Pier design options
  - Operational details



# Scoping Process

- Extended comment period; comments requested by April 15, 2016
- Noticing methods
- Two scoping meetings
- Seeking comments on:
  - Environmental impact issues to be addressed during environmental review
  - Alternatives to consider
  - Suggestions for mitigation measures
  - Other concerns related to the project



# Comment Submittal Options

- Oral comments:
  - Please state your name and speak clearly so that we may record your comments
- Written comments:
  - Comment sheets and envelope available to collect today's comments; or
  - Send comments to State Parks by mail or email ([www.parks.ca.gov/PlanKBSRA](http://www.parks.ca.gov/PlanKBSRA)) by 5:00 pm, April 15



# Estimated Timeline

NOP Published	December 22, 2015
Public Scoping Period (115 days)	December 22, 2015 – April 15, 2016
Public Scoping Meetings x 2	January 12, 2016 – North Tahoe Events Ctr April 13, 2016 – TRPA APC
Draft EIR/EIS Released, Public Hearings and Review Period (60 days)	Early 2017
Final EIS/EIR/EIS Issued (Response to Comments)	Summer 2017
Project Approval/Certification Meetings	Fall 2017



# How to Stay Involved

- Attend and participate in workshops and meetings
- Read and comment online:  
[www.parks.ca.gov/PlanKBSRA](http://www.parks.ca.gov/PlanKBSRA)
- Email comments and sign up for contact list:  
[plan.general@parks.ca.gov](mailto:plan.general@parks.ca.gov)





Please provide input  
today and throughout  
the process



# Partial Shorezone Permitting Program



- Existing pier
- Public multi-use
- No increase in boating capacity
- Avoid/mitigate fish habitat and scenic

