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North Tahoe Public Utility District Seeks Recreation and Parks Commissioners and December Meeting Update

(Kings Beach, CA) The North Tahoe Public Utility District Recreation and Parks Commission is an advisory commission to the NTPUD Board of Directors on matters of Recreation and Parks. The Commission is a liaison between the NTPUD Board and the community and consists of five (5) adult members and two (2) student members. Two (2) student seats are currently vacant and two (2) adult seats are currently open and recruitment is open for those positions. Interested residents or business owners in the community should contact the District. The student seats are for a Junior or Senior in High School. The Commission also administers the Youth Trust Fund which provides scholarship opportunities for recreation activities for children and teens that reside in the District.

The Commission met on Thursday, December 18, at the North Tahoe Event Center. The full agenda and packet is available on the District's website at www.ntpud.org

December Commission Discussions and Actions:

- The Commission discussed the actions related to recreation funding that were taken by the Board of Directors at the December meeting and agree that the changes made. General Manager Whitelaw explained the various ways that a funding vote is taken to the voters. In addition, the role of the Commission while a plan is developed in the coming months was discussed.
- The Commission reviewed the Bylaws and unanimously recommended to the Board of Directors that the residency requirements for Commissioner eligibility should be amended to add "property or business owners" to the qualified elector currently stipulated in the Bylaws. In

addition, they voted to set the day and time of the meetings to the 4th Thursday of the month, beginning in January.

- The Commission opted to defer the Election of Officers until the January meeting at which time they will also discuss the frequency of their meetings.

The next meeting of the NTPUD Recreation and Parks Commission will be held on Thursday, January 28, 2016 beginning at 6:00 pm at the North Tahoe Event Center in Kings Beach. NTPUD Recreation and Parks Commission meetings are typically held on the 4th Thursday of the month and open to the public. All those interested in recreation and parks are encouraged to attend.

Information on NTPUD recreation and parks commission meetings, board meetings, including agendas and packets, may be obtained on the District's website, www.ntpud.org. For specific information on District Park facilities visit www.northtahoe parks.com and for information on the North Tahoe Event Center, visit www.northtahoe events.com.

The North Tahoe Public Utility District provides sewer and water service to the residents of Kings Beach, Tahoe Vista, Carnelian Bay, Cedar Flat and Agate Bay. The North Tahoe Regional Park, Tahoe Vista Recreation Area and Boat Launch and North Tahoe Event Center are owned and operated by the District and provide recreation opportunities to residents and visitors.

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Approved By: Duane Whitelaw, General Manager, 12/18/15