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# TAHOE METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION

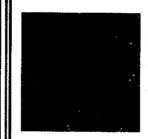
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Tahoe Regional Planning Agency

### LAKE TAHOE

- Institutional Overview
- · Water Quality
- · Air Quality
- Mobility



# TRANSPORTATION PLANNING AUTHORITY AT LAKE TAHOE



- Tahoe Regional Planning Agency
- Tahoe Metropolitan Planning Organization
- Regional Transportation Planning Agency
- Tahoe Transportation
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# TAHOE REGIONAL PLANNING AGENCY



- Tahoe Regional Planning Compact
- Regional Plan
- Environmental Thresholds
- Regional Transportation Plan

### COMPACT TRANSPORTATION GOALS

- Reduce dependency on the automobile by effective use of existing modes and of public transit
- Reduce to the extent feasible air pollution which is caused by motor vehicles

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# COMPACT PLANNING REQUIREMENTS

 The Agency shall give preference to providing capacity through public transportation and public programs and projects



# TAHOE METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION

- Result of 1997 Presidential Forum on Lake Tahoe
- Authorized by Congress in TEA-21
- Designated by Governor Miller (NV) and Governor Wilson (CA)
- TRPA Governing Board And United States Forest Service
- Same Geographic Area as TRPA
- TRPA Staff

# FEDERAL PLANNING REQUIREMENTS



- Federal Transportation Plan
- Federal Transportation Improvement Program

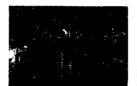
# REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION PLANNING AGENCY



- California Designation
- Not a Nevada Regional Transportation Commission

# RTPA PLANNING REQUIREMENTS

- Transportation Development Act
- Regional Transportation Improvement Program



### **TAHOE TRANSPORTATION DISTRICT**

- Article IX of the Compact
- TTD Board of Directors
- Private Sector Voting Members
- Own and Operate Transportation Services and Facilities
- TRPA Staff

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# TRANSPORTATION PARTNERS

- NDOT
- Caltrans
- · Federal Agencies
- · State Agencies
- Environmental Groups
- Special Needs
- 5 Counties
- · City of South Lake Tahoe
- · Public Utility Districts
- Transportation Management Associations

### TRANSPORTATION AND WATER QUALITY



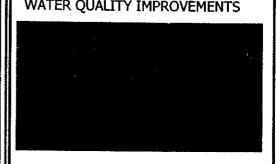
- Roads are Large Contributors of Sediment and **Various Pollutants**
- Roads Increase Peak Flows and Velocities
- Retrofitting Roads is Expensive

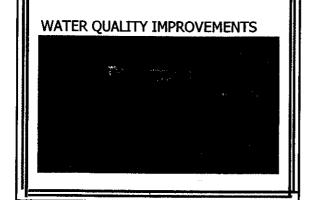
# WATER QUALITY IMPROVEMENTS

- · Curb and Gutter
- · Drop Inlets
- Conveyance Systems
- · Detention and Retention Ponds
- Treatment Facilities
- Landscaping



# WATER QUALITY IMPROVEMENTS





# TRANSPORTATION AND AIR **QUALITY**

- Motor Vehicles are Large Contributors of Various Pollutants
- Air Pollution from Outside the Basin
- · Winter Sanding As Safety and **Environmental Concern**





# TRANSPORTATION AND MOBILITY • Compact Goals and Requirments • Getting Around • Getting There

