



**AGENDA AND JOINT SPECIAL MEETING NOTICE
OF THE NORTH TAHOE PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT
RECREATION AND PARKS COMMISSION
AND RECREATION AND PARKS COMMITTEE**

Thursday, May 13, 2021, at 2:00 p.m.

Via Teleconference

(877) 853-5257

To view the meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87378467045>

Meeting ID: 873 7846 7045



Welcome to a joint special meeting of the North Tahoe Public Utility District Recreation and Parks Commission and Recreation and Parks Committee.

A joint meeting of the North Tahoe Public Utility District Recreation & Parks Commission and Recreation & Parks Committee will be held on Thursday, May 13, 2021, at 2:00 p.m. via teleconferencing. Teleconferencing access to the meeting and public comment is available by calling: (877) 853-5257 (Meeting ID: 873 7846 7045).

The District welcomes you to its meetings. Your opinions and suggestions are encouraged. The meeting is accessible to people with disabilities. In compliance with Section 202 of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 and in compliance with the Ralph M. Brown Act, anyone requiring reasonable accommodation to participate in the meeting should contact the North Tahoe Public Utility District office at (530) 546-4212, at least two days prior to the meeting.

Members of the public are encouraged to access the meeting and provide public comment via teleconferencing: (877) 853-5257 (<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87378467045> Meeting ID: 873 7846 7045). If you wish to make a public comment, you must RSVP by 1:00 p.m. on May 13, 2021, to mmoga@ntpud.org.

All written public comments received by 1:00 p.m. on May 13, 2021, will be distributed to the District's Commission and Committee Members for their consideration. All written comments will be included in the minutes. Pictures, graphics, or other non-written comments may be included in the minutes at the Commission's discretion. Written comments may be emailed to mmoga@ntpud.org, mailed, or dropped-off at NTPUD's Administrative Offices located at 875 National Ave., Tahoe Vista, CA. 96148.

Pursuant to Executive Order N-29-20, the meeting will be held via teleconference at the number listed above.

- A. Call to Order/Establish Quorum/Pledge of Allegiance**
- B. Public Comment and Questions** – *Any person wishing to address the Recreation and Parks Commission or Committee on items of interest to the Commission/Committee not listed on the agenda may do so at this time. Please limit comments and questions to three (3) minutes since no action can be taken on items presented under Public Comment.*
- C. Tahoe Vista Recreation Area Boat Ramp Operations 2021 Season Update**
- D. PUBLIC COMMENT AND QUESTIONS:** *See protocol established under Agenda Item B, Public Comment, and Questions.*
- E. Adjournment**



NORTH TAHOE PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT

DATE: May 13, 2021

ITEM: C

FROM: Administrative Manager Holt

SUBJECT: Tahoe Vista Recreation Area Boat Ramp Operations 2021 Season Update

DISCUSSION:

As discussed at the March 25, 2021 Recreation and Parks Commission meeting, the operation of the Tahoe Vista Recreation Area boat launch faces numerous challenges this season. Among them is the recent low rain and snowfall this winter and the current drought being experienced in California and the western United States.

In April, the Lake Tahoe Watermaster issued preliminary lake levels for Lake Tahoe and has since revised them downward. On May 7, staff measured the clearance above the sand bar at the entrance to the TVRA ramp and we showed 14-inches of clearance.

On Tuesday, May 11, the Watermaster revised his projections downward for the elevation of the lake and noted that the spring water runoff was less than initially hoped for. Peak water runoff occurred two weeks ago and the current inflow does not match the current outflow and evaporation.

The revised lake elevations for the summer months are approximately 6-inches less than last month's projected elevations and it is projected that the level of the lake at the entrance to the TVRA ramp will provide approximately 12-inches of clearance depth on June 1.


This memo provides the Commission the opportunity to discuss this item and provide direction to Staff.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends that the Tahoe Vista Recreation Area boat ramp and launch not be operated this season due to low lake levels and the inability to safely launch and exit boats at the facility.

REVIEW TRACKING:

Submitted by: 
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Administrative Manager

Approved By: 
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General Manager/CEO