



December 14, 2017

NDEP Bureau of Safe Drinking Water
901 Stewart Street, Suite 4001
Carson City, Nevada 89701
Attention: Kim Borgzinner, Coordinator

Re: Truckee Meadows Regional Planning Agency (TMRPA) Participation in the Integrated Source Water Protection Program

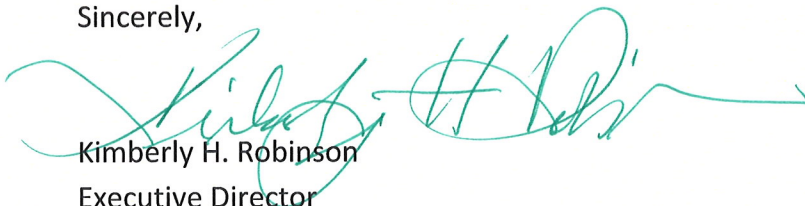
Dear Ms. Borgzinner:

Pursuant to the motion made and carried during the regular Regional Planning Governing Board (RPGGB) meeting on December 14, 2017, TMRPA hereby requests participation in the State of Nevada's Integrated Source Water Protection Program (ISWPP) with concurrent update and development of a Truckee River Watershed Management Plan.

TMRPA considers the quality of both surface water and ground water a critical consideration for communities in the Truckee Meadows and throughout Washoe County. We understand that the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) Bureau of Safe Drinking Water administers the ISWPP, and the Bureau of Water Quality Planning administers the Nonpoint Source Management Program, under section 319 of the federal Clean Water Act. Both voluntary programs provide assistance to public water systems and communities throughout the State of Nevada for water quality protection and preservation.

Therefore, TMRPA will designate appropriate staff to participate with NDEP and community representatives toward completion of this planning effort. Successful completion will help support applicable goals contained in the Truckee Meadows Regional Plan.

Sincerely,



Kimberly H. Robinson
Executive Director