



May 8, 2012

**Sent Via Email**

To: US 50/South Shore Community Revitalization Project Development  
Team Environmental Technical Study Reviewers

**Subject: US 50/South Shore Community Revitalization Project – Review of Hydraulic and Floodplain Evaluation Report**

Dear Reviewer:

The Tahoe Transportation District (TTD), with assistance from LSA Associates and Wood Rodgers, has completed the Draft Hydraulic and Floodplain Evaluation Report for the US 50/South Shore Community Revitalization Project (Project). The report is one of the required technical studies for the completion of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), and the Tahoe Regional Planning Agency (TRPA) environmental documents.

The technical studies are intended to provide the analyses of potential project related environmental impacts that will be used in support of the environmental documents and findings the proposed project. Under CEQA, TTD will be the lead agency for the project environmental documentation, including the appropriate technical studies. FHWA will serve as the NEPA lead agency, and TRPA will also participate in the NEPA review process as required by the TRPA Rules of Procedure and Code of Ordinances, under separate process.

Our current schedule allows for 30 working days of review and comments relative to this submittal. All comments are due by **July 16, 2012**. Please submit all comments electronically using “track changes” mode and/or using the comment matrix form provided with the correspondence.

If you have any questions or require additional information please call me at (775) 589-5503 or Mark Rayback at (916) 440-8131. If you should require additional time for review, please let me know in advance and provide a specific date in which you believe you can provide comments.

Sincerely,

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Project Manager