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SCH #: _____

Project Title: UPPER TRUCKEE RIVER RESTORATION AND LAKE TAHOE GOLF COURSE RECONFIGURATION PRO

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Project Location: South Lake Tahoe (*City*) El Dorado (*County*)

Project Decription (Proposed actions, location, and/or consequences).

State Parks is proposing the Upper Truckee River Restoration and Lake Tahoe Golf Course Reconfiguration Project (Project), which includes geomorphic-based river restoration of the Upper Truckee River within the 169-acre Lake Valley State Recreation Area (LVSRA) and portions of Washoe Meadows State Park (WMSP). The purpose of the Project is to restore natural river hydrologic conditions, geomorphic processes, and ecological function to 1.8 miles of the Upper Truckee River, which will reduce erosion and therefore improve water quality in the Upper Truckee River and Lake Tahoe. The proposed restoration Project aims to achieve this goal by constructing a meandering river channel at a grade that would be connected with the floodplain. The present channel would be restored to a more natural, balanced condition that mimics portions of the historic channel, which in general involves actions that reverse past actions that altered the natural course, depth, and velocity of the river. To accomplish this river restoration, the Project also includes reconfiguration of the 135-acre, 18-hole regulation Lake Tahoe Golf Course within LVSRA to allow room for the river meanders and establish a greater buffer between the river and the golf course. Existing undersized bridges would be removed and replaced with floodplain spanning bridges, the golf course would be modernized with a new irrigation system, drought resistant turf, and new restroom facilities, among other improvements. A trail connecting from Highway 50 along the river into Washoe Meadows State Park would also be included.

Identify the project's significant or potentially significant effects and briefly describe any proposed mitigation measures that would reduce or avoid that effect.

If applicable, describe any of the project's areas of controversy known to the Lead Agency, including issues raised by agencies and the public.

None known.

Provide a list of the responsible or trustee agencies for the project.

Federal, state, and local agencies that would serve as either responsible or trustee agencies for the Proposed Project include: Air Resources Board, California Highway Patrol, Caltrans District 3, CDFW Region 2, Department of Conservation, Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, Department of General Services, Native American Heritage Commission, Office of Historic Preservation, Department of Parks and Recreation, Public Utilities Commission, RWQCB District 6, Resources Agency, State Lands Commission, SWRCB, Tahoe Regional Planning Agency, Department of Toxic Substances Control, and Department of Water Resources.