

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

To:
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From:
California Tahoe Conservancy
1061 Third Street
South Lake Tahoe, CA 96150

Project Title: Upper Truckee Restoration Bird and Bumble Bee monitoring

Project Location – Specific:

Multiple locations throughout the lower reaches of the Upper Truckee River and nearby tributaries to Lake Tahoe. Study sites will include those known locally as the Upper Truckee Marsh, Johnson Meadow, Reaches 5 and 6, Golf Course, Trout Creek, Cold Creek Meadow, and at a nearby control site, Angora Creek (Exhibit A).

Project Location – City: South Lake Tahoe and Unincorporated

Project Location – County: El Dorado County

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:

This project will provide funding for long-term monitoring for bird and bee species for overall abundance of species, community composition, and habitat composition.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project:

California Tahoe Conservancy

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: The Institute for Bird Populations

Exempt Status:

- Ministerial (§ 15268)
- Declared Emergency (§ 15269(a))
- Emergency Project (§ 15269(b)(c))
- Categorical Exemption – Class 6, § 15306. (See also Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 12102.6.)

Reasons Why Project is Exempt:

This project consists of basic data collection and resource evaluation activities that do not result in a serious or major disturbance to an environmental resource.

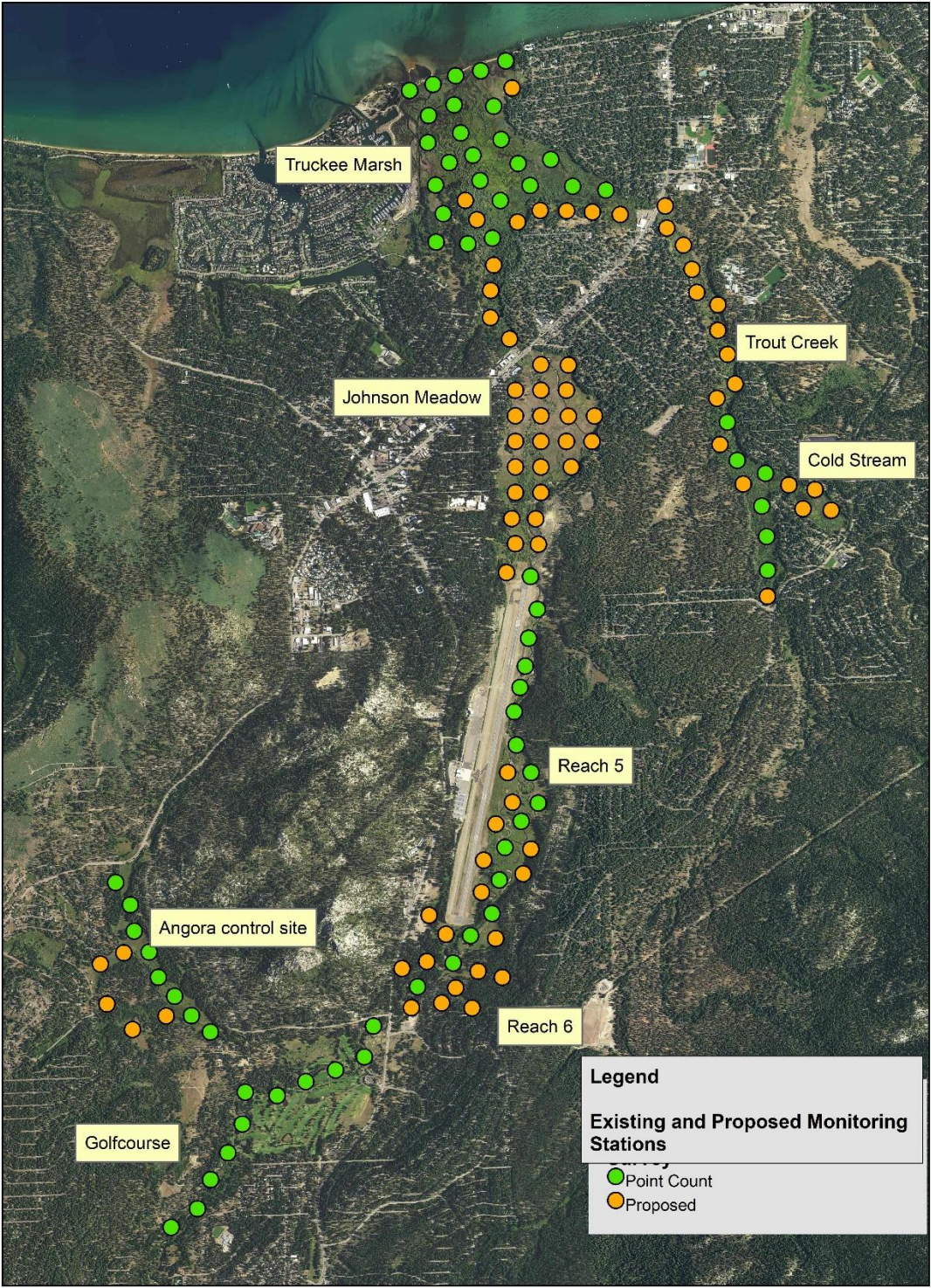
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