AGENDA ITEM: 07



## TRUCKEE TAHOE AIRPORT DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTOR STAFF REPORT

AGENDA TITLE: Add newly Observed Holiday – Juneteenth National

Independence Day to Policy Instruction 110 – Personnel

Policies.

MEETING DATE: June 28, 2021

PREPARED BY: Ms. Lauren Tapia, Human Resources Manager

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Approve by consent, the addition of the new Federal holiday, Juneteenth, to the list of Observed Holidays on Policy Instruction 110 – Personnel Policies.

<u>DISCUSSION:</u> The Truckee Tahoe Airport follows the list of observed Federal Holidays. On June 18, 2021, President Biden officially proclaimed June 19, 2021, as Juneteenth Day of Observance, and signed the Juneteenth National Independence Day Act into law. Juneteenth celebrates the anniversary date of the June 19, 1865, announcement of General Order No. 3 by Union Army general Gordon Granger, proclaiming freedom for slaves in Texas, which was the last state of the Confederacy with institutional slavery. Staff requests the Board of Directors to add Juneteenth to the District's list of observed holidays outlined in Policy Instruction 110 Personnel Policies. With the addition of this Holiday Federal employees receive 12 paid holidays including, New Years Day, Birthday of Martin Luther King Jr., Inauguration Day, Presidents Day, Memorial Day, Juneteenth National Independence Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Columbus Day, Veterans Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day.

The District currently observes 11 paid holidays as follows:

HOLIDAY	OBSERVED
New Year's Day	January 1 <sup>st</sup>
Martin Luther King Day	Third Monday in January
President's Day	Third Monday in February
Memorial Day	Last Monday in May
Independence Day	July 4 <sup>th</sup>

Labor Day	First Monday in September
Columbus Day	Second Monday in October
Veterans' Day	November 11 <sup>th</sup>
Thanksgiving	Last Thursday in November
Day After Thanksgiving	Last Friday in November
Christmas Day	December 25 <sup>th</sup>

As an additional option the Juneteenth Holiday could replace an existing Holiday such as Columbus Day or the Day After Thanksgiving at the Board's discretion.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** 8 hours of paid time off at employee's updated COLA rate of pay is \$9,037.35.

**CONSENT MOTION:** I move to approve the addition of the new Federal holiday, Juneteenth, to the list of Observed Holidays on Policy Instruction 110 – Personnel Policies as attached.

## **ATTACHMENTS**:

Amended PI 110 Personnel Policies