

RESOLUTION NUMBER 2021-10

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF
THE TRUCKEE TAHOE AIRPORT DISTRICT AUTHORIZING
REMOTE PUBLIC MEETINGS

WHEREAS, the Truckee Tahoe Airport District (“TTAD”) is committed to preserving and nurturing public access and participation in meetings of the Board of Directors; and

WHEREAS, all meetings of TTAD’s legislative bodies are open and public, as required by the Ralph M. Brown Act (Cal. Gov. Code 54950 – 54963), so that any member of the public may attend and participate in TTAD’s meetings; and

WHEREAS, starting in March 2020, in response to the spread of COVID-19 in the State of California, the Governor issued several executive orders aimed at containing the COVID-19 virus; and

WHEREAS, among other things, these orders waived certain requirements of the Brown Act to allow legislative bodies to meet virtually; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Governor’s executive orders, TTAD has been holding virtual meetings during the pandemic in the interest of protecting the health and safety of the public, TTAD staff, and Directors; and

WHEREAS, the Governor’s executive order related to the suspension of certain provisions of the Brown Act expired on September 30, 2021; and

WHEREAS, on September 16, 2021 the Governor signed AB 361 (in effect as of October 1, 2021 – Government Code Section 54953(e)), which allows legislative bodies to meet virtually provided there is a state of emergency, and either (1) state or local officials have imposed or recommended measures to promote social distancing; or (2) the legislative body determines by majority vote that meeting in person would present imminent risks to the health and safety of attendees; and

WHEREAS, such conditions now exist in TTAD, specifically, a state of emergency has been proclaimed related to COVID-19, State, Nevada County, and Placer County officials are recommending measures to promote social distancing, and because of the ongoing threat of COVID-19, meeting in person would present imminent risks to the health and safety of attendees;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE TRUCKEE TAHOE AIRPORT DISTRICT DOES HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Recitals. The Recitals set forth above are true and correct and are incorporated into this Resolution by this reference.

Section 2. Remote Teleconference Meetings: Consistent with the provisions of Government Code Section 54953(e), the Board of Directors finds and determines that (1) a state of emergency related to COVID-19 is currently in effect; (2) state and local officials in Nevada and Placer Counties have recommended measures to promote social distancing in connection with COVID-19, including indoor mask recommendations and minimum recommend distance between attendees; and (3) due to the COVID-19 emergency, the transfer of novel coronavirus from person-to-person, and the associated risk of serious illness or death from COVID-19, meeting in person would present imminent risks to the health and safety of attendees. Based on such facts, findings and determinations, the Board authorizes staff to conduct remote teleconference meetings of the Board of Directors, its committees, and other legislatives bodies under the provisions of Government Code Section 54953(e).

Section 3. Effective Date of Resolution. This Resolution shall take effect October 27, 2021, and shall be effective for 30 days or until this Resolution is extended by a majority vote of the Board of Directors in accordance with Section 4 of this Resolution.

Section 4. Extension by Motion. The Board of Directors may extend the application of this Resolution by motion and majority vote by up to thirty days at a time, provided that it makes all necessary findings consistent with and pursuant to the requirements of Section 54953(e)(3).

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE TRUCKEE TAHOE AIRPORT DISTRICT this 27th day of October 2021, by the following Roll Call Vote:

AYES:
NOES:
ABSTAIN:
ABSENT:

TRUCKEE TAHOE AIRPORT DISTRICT

Teresa O'Dette, President

CERTIFICATION

I, Kevin Smith, Secretary of the Board of Directors of the TRUCKEE TAHOE AIRPORT DISTRICT, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Resolution No. 2021-10 adopted at the regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the TRUCKEE TAHOE AIRPORT DISTRICT this 27th day of October, 2021.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and impressed the official seal of the TRUCKEE TAHOE AIRPORT DISTRICT this 27th day of October, 2021.

Kevin Smith, Secretary of the Board