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Michael Woodman, Executive Director Nevada County Transportation Commission 101 Providence Mine Road, Suite 102 Nevada City, CA 95959

Subject: 2023 Carbon Reduction Program Application for the Truckee-Washoe Commuter Vanpool Pilot Program

Dear Mr. Woodman,

This correspondence has been prepared by the Truckee Tahoe Airport District to express our support of the Truckee-Washoe Commuter Vanpool Pilot Program being proposed by the Town of Truckee. This program would be a benefit for a large percentage of the Town's public and private sector employees who commute from the Reno area. We understand that the extra time and money required by these employees to commute to work is a huge commitment and often a barrier to recruiting and retaining employees. This is a long overdue service and anything we can do to help ease that challenge is a win for the community, as well as the environment.

The Truckee-Washoe Commuter Vanpool Pilot Program is an exciting opportunity for all employers in Truckee, big and small. This program will help improve our employees' quality of life, benefit our employee engagement and retention efforts, enhance traveler safety, and help reduce traffic congestion and associated environmental impacts.

Thank you for considering the Town of Truckee's Carbon Reduction Program application for this exciting Vanpool Pilot Program.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at <a href="mailto:robb.etnyre@truckeetahoeairport.com">robb.etnyre@truckeetahoeairport.com</a>.

Sincerely,

Robb Etnyre General Manager