AGENDA ITEM: 04

TRUCKEE TAHOE AIRPORT DISTRICT

BOARD OF DIRECTOR STAFF REPORT

AGENDA TITLE: **Notice of Exemption for Vegetation Maintenance Within the Truckee Tahoe Airport Airfield**

MEETING DATE: **Oct 21, 2026**

PREPARED BY: **Vince Wawrzynski, Operations Director**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Truckee Tahoe Airport District Board of Directors approve Notice of Exemption (NOE) for vegetation management on the airfield.

Background: The Tahoe Truckee Airport District (TTAD) seeks to conduct vegetation maintenance within the airfield for the purposes of airport safety. This NOE is a means of complying with California Environmental Quality Act prescriptions. The total acreage covered by this NOE is approximately 915 acres (Attachment A-1). Vegetation maintenance may be necessary and/or mandated by law for the safety of planes entering and exiting the airfield, and may include but is not limited to herbicide application, hand cutting, chipping (tracked or tow-behind), piling, burning, and/or mastication of woody fuels and live vegetation. The airfield has been highly disturbed for many years for the construction of runways and associated grading, etc. These processes are covered under an existing Mitigated Negative Declaration that is unrelated to vegetation management (SCH No. 2015122021).

Fiscal Impact: Minor. The District will pay both Nevada and Placer Counties processing fees, less than $200.00.

MOTION:

(1) Via Consent

ATTACHMENTS:

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