

# Truckee River Basin Water Group

Meeting Notes for Wednesday, July 27<sup>th</sup>, 2022 10:00 AM – 11:00 PM

**Location:** On-line/phone Meeting only  
Truckee River Basin Water Group Meeting

**Chairperson:** Hardy Bullock, Nevada County Supervisor

**Convener:** Truckee River Watershed Council, Beth Christman,  
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Time	Item
10:00	Call to Order – Chair <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Introductions</li><li>• Agenda Review</li></ul>
10:10	Standing Item: Committee Report Back <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• No committees met since last meeting</li></ul> <p>Objective: Provide updates from Technical Response Team, Fish Team and any other ad hoc teams</p>
10:10	Streamflow and reservoir updates – Karyl Asse, DWR <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Changes from previous forecast</li><li>• Streamflow and reservoir levels forecast</li><li>• Questions and discussion on projected operations</li></ul> <p>Objective: Provide latest information on projected reservoir operations and model output, increase TRBWG member knowledge about TROA</p> <p>Outcome: <a href="#">See attached presentation.</a></p> <p>Questions for Karyl Question: Why has water been released from Tahoe that is, at times, above the minimum amount requested for recreational rafting? It seems some of this water would be able to be reserved during a dry season for additional release later in the season to benefit fish and aquatic populations.</p> <p>Tahoe is anticipated to be below the rim in late summer, early fall of 2022. This means no additional water is available for release. There may be a possibility to work with the Watermaster in future years to maintain water in Tahoe for late summer/early fall releases that would benefit fish</p>

	and aquatic populations, but ultimately once Tahoe is below the rim, there is no ability to release additional water.
10:45	<p>Standing item: Suggestions for future agenda topics &amp; announcements</p> <p>Objective: Gather input from attendees for topics of interest</p> <p>No suggested topics at this time.</p> <p>Announcement: Town of Truckee will hold a meeting on August 16<sup>th</sup> to discuss items related to open space and conservation. If anyone has comments they would like the Town to hear regarding these items, public comment and input may be provided via the Towns website, or in person on the 16<sup>th</sup>.</p>
10:50	<p>Standing item: Action Item report back</p> <p>Objective: capture key decisions, discussion points, and action items to include in meeting summary</p> <p>No action items to report.</p>
11:00	Adjournment – Chair

**2022 Meeting Dates:**

TRBWG – monthly\*

- January 26, 2022
- March 23, 2022
- April 27, 2022
- May 25, 2022
- June 22, 2022
- July 27, 2022
- September 28, 2022
- November 16, 2022

Technical Response Team

- TBD

Fish Team

- TBD

\*Note: no TRBWG meeting in February, August, October, or December