



## **Staff Report: General Session**

**December 16, 2022**

**TITLE:** Trails Master Plan Adoption

### **RECOMMENDATION:**

By motion, adopt the 2022 Trails Master Plan, which would replace the 2013 Trails Master Plan.

### **BACKGROUND:**

The Trails Master Plan Update Project began in the fall of 2021. After extensive member outreach and input, staff presented a draft version of the Trails Master Plan to the Board for consideration at the Nov. 2, 2022, special Board meeting. Members and directors provided feedback and requested minor edits. Staff and consultants updated the draft plan and present it today for review and adoption.

### **DRAFT PLAN EDITS:**

Based on member feedback and director requests provided during the Nov. 2 Board meeting, staff and consultants made the following edits to the initially presented draft:

- Removed “update” from the cover and any references to the TMP
- Fixed minor typos
- Added partnership to page 2
- Updated public use text on pages 7-8
- Updated Nevada County dog policy text, Item C, on page 8
- Included “advise from” the TOS on adaptive management policy on page 11
- Added next steps text to page 50
- Adjusted map labels for readability
- Included erroneously missing Hillside Drive neighborhood trail access point
- Included recommendation to improve Powerline / Pirate Trail to diminish erosion
- Added Alder Creek Adventure Center enlargements to pages 66-67

Due to the spread of minor text edits a redline version of the draft plan is unavailable. Staff will present a power point highlighting significant changes.

### **SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION:**

The newly revised Trails Master Plan can be viewed on the Tahoe Donner website at:

- [https://www.tahoedonner.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/12/Tahoe-Donner-Trails-Plan\\_221206.pdf](https://www.tahoedonner.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/12/Tahoe-Donner-Trails-Plan_221206.pdf)
- 11x17 paper copies will also be provided upon request
- Draft Trail Master Plan staff presentation.



**FISCAL IMPACT:**

There is no direct fiscal impact with the review and potential adoption of the 2022 draft Trails Master Plan. Fiscal impacts for individual projects and recommendations will be analyzed during the annual Tahoe Donner budget workshop process with advisement from the Trails and Open Space Committee.

**ALTERNATIVES:**

The Board of Directors may adopt the presented plan on Dec. 16 or postpone adoption until a later date. The Board may also request additional edits to the presented draft plan.

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Board Meeting Date: Dec. 16, 2022

General Manager Approval to Place on the Agenda: \_\_\_\_\_