

June 24, 2013

Colonel William Leady Commander Sacramento District U.S. Army Corps of Engineers 1325 J Street Sacramento, CA 95814

Re: Truckee River Flood Control Project General Reevaluation Report & Environmental Impact Statement

Dear Colonel Leady:

The City of Sparks has reviewed the draft General Reevaluation Report (GRR) and Environmental Impact Statement for the Truckee River Flood Control Project. We are happy to support the tentatively selected 50-year plan for Congressional authorization for construction. Sparks will continue to coordinate with the Truckee River Flood Management Authority and other local partners, working toward development of locally preferred measures to supplement the 50-year plan and provide more comprehensive flood damage reduction for the Sparks/Reno area. We believe, however, that the plan recommended in the GRR provides a good baseline for regional flood protection and should be authorized.

Sincerely,

Geno R. Martini Mayor