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NDEP Bureau of Safe Drinking Water 901 Stewart Street, Suite 4001 Carson City, Nevada 89701

Attention: Kim Borgzinner, Coordinator

Re: City of Sparks Support for the Integrated Source Water Protection Program

Dear Ms. Borgzinner:

Pursuant to the motion made during the regular Sparks City Council meeting on March 27, 2017, the City of Sparks City Council supports participation in the Integrated Source Water Protection Program (ISWPP) with concurrent update and development of a Truckee River Watershed Management Plan.

The City of Sparks considers the quality of both surface water and ground water a critical consideration for our community. We understand that the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) Bureau of Safe Drinking Water administers the ISWPP, and the Bureau of Water Quality Planning administers the 319 Nonpoint Source Management Program which are both voluntary programs providing assistance to public water systems and communities throughout the State of Nevada for water quality protection and preservation.

Therefore, the City of Sparks will designate appropriate staff to participate with NDEP and community representatives toward completion of this planning effort.

Sincerely,