



ONE TRUCKEE RIVER

SUMMER 2018 NEWSLETTER

One Truckee River works to ensure a healthy, thriving, sustainable river connected to the hearts and minds of its community



FIRST ONE TRUCKEE RIVER MONTH IN THE BOOKS

After a successful first-ever One Truckee River Month, we want to publicly thank everyone who participated in the month-long river celebration. Not only the amazing attendees and event hosts, but the cities of Reno and Sparks and Washoe County for proclaiming May 2018 as One Truckee River Month. Even more thanks to Nevada Senator Cortez Masto for recognizing this year's successful One Truckee River Month! And we can't forget Renown Health for making it all possible (and for already providing funds for next year's OTR Month!).



FAREWELL, PATRICIA & ELISE

We want to give a huge shout-out to our 2017-2018 AmeriCorps members, Patricia Tierney and Elise Traywick. Patricia and Elise have worked tirelessly to bring success to One Truckee River during their term. They spent time in classrooms teaching about the local watershed; built One Truckee River Month from the ground up; and helped start Washoe County's ArTrail along the river. And that's only to name a few; they're true superstars!



UPCOMING RIVER EVENTS

- *Thistle Thursday Oxbow Cleanup*: 7/26, 7:15-10a
- *Made in Nevada Marketplace*: 7/29, 10a-4p
- *KTMB Raise the River*: 8/16, 5:30-8:30p

2018 SNAPSHOTS

In 2018, the One Truckee River initiative is focused on four areas to ensure a healthy river connected to the Truckee Meadows

community. Those areas are listed below, along with notable progress points in each group.

SIGNAGE PLAN & RIVER SAFETY

Funding courtesy the Truckee River Fund has allowed One Truckee River to hire a consultant to create a Truckee River Master Signage Plan. Once this plan is completed (end of 2018/first thing 2019), a Washoe County State Question 1 grant is already in place to allow fabrication and installation of such signage plan. Stay tuned for details as we make progress!

FUNDING, METRICS FOR SUCCESS & STRUCTURE

A re-structuring of roles within this group is moving ideas forward for One Truckee River. The fulfillment of positions by key OTR stakeholders will yield the best brainstorming sessions and ideas for long-term initiative success.

HOUSING & SANITATION

Installation of a Portland Loo (simple, sturdy flush toilet kiosks located on sidewalks in public areas) is being considered by this group. Location, partners and maintenance is currently being discussed.

STORMWATER, VEGETATION MANAGEMENT, & WATERSHED MANAGEMENT

The Western Regional Water Commission (WRWC) has provided funding to complete a Tributary Management Plan (for the Truckee River Watershed) through the local Stormwater Committee. This will feed into the Truckee River Watershed Management Plan.



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