



THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR
WASHINGTON

DECISION DOCUMENT

**Southern Nevada Public Land Management Act
Lake Tahoe Fuels Projects**

The Secretary of the Interior hereby approves the estimated expenditures from the Southern Nevada Public Land Management Act (SNPLMA) Special Account and other authorizations outlined below, with the provisos as stated.

The total expenditure authorized from the SNPLMA Special Account is \$4,317,690, including estimated expenditures of:

Project	Requesting Entity	Funding Source (Category)	Estimated Costs
Lake Tahoe Basin Prescribed Fire Under Burn Project	USFS-LTBMU	Lake Tahoe Restoration	\$437,690
South Shore Ecosystem Restoration & Hazardous Fuel Reduction	USFS-LTBMU	Lake Tahoe Restoration	\$2,450,000
Lake Tahoe Urban Forest Restoration and Fuels Reduction, Phase 3 of 4	USFS-LTBMU	Lake Tahoe Restoration	\$1,000,000
		Hazardous Fuels	\$430,000
TOTAL FUNDING REQUEST			\$4,317,690

1. The Lake Tahoe Restoration Projects are funded out of the Lake Tahoe Reserve in the SNPLMA Special Account. This reserve was approved in the SNPLMA Round 6 Secretarial Decision Document dated February 7, 2006, to fund future rounds of Lake Tahoe Restoration Projects.
2. Authorization for expenditures for projects as set forth in this Decision Document shall not be construed as a final approval for any particular expenditure. The amounts authorized herein are not approved for expenditure unless and until all requisite procedures are followed as outlined in this document and in the *SNPLMA Implementation Agreement*.
3. No amount authorized herein shall be considered to be an amount approved for expenditure until a work plan has been submitted by the proponent and accepted by the Bureau of Land Management. The work plan shall set forth a schedule of periodic expenditures reflecting logical phases of the project.

APPROVED:


DIRK KEMPTHORNE

JAN 14 2009

Date