



## Truckee River Aquatic Invasive Plant Control

<b>Project Number</b>	01.03.01.0015		
<b>Action Priority</b>	Prevent, Control, or Eradicate Aquatic Invasive Species		
<b>Implementers</b>	Tahoe Resource Conservation District		
<b>Supporting Agencies</b>	California Department of Water Resources, Tahoe Fund, Truckee River Fund/Community Foundation of Western Nevada		
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<b>Stage</b>	Deferred	<b>Duration</b>	2014 - 2030
<b>Total Project Cost</b>	\$2,000,000	<b>Funding Request</b>	\$0

### Aquatic Invasive Species Program ➤ Prevent, Control, or Eradicate Aquatic Invasive Species

This project area is located immediately downstream from the dam located in Tahoe City. In 2019, it was determined that the infestation extended for ~3 miles and it was estimated that 15-20% of this area is infested with Eurasian watermilfoil. Techniques for removal are determined by water level, flow rates, and recreational use, and include bottom barriers, diver-assisted suction removal, and hand pulling. Because of the large extent of this infestation and lack of a more recent survey of the infestation, renewed planning to engage appropriate partners, and an effort to solicit funding is needed.

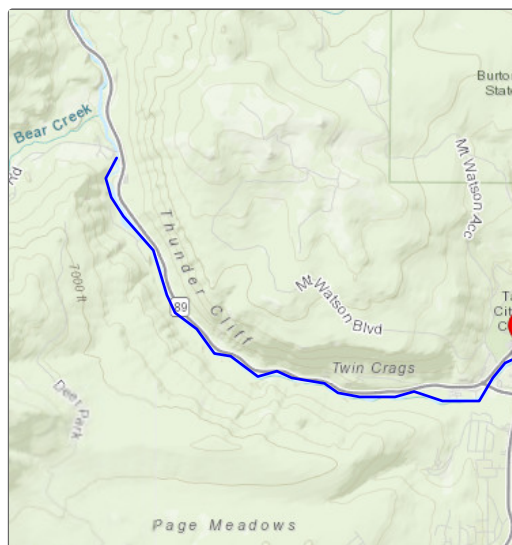
#### Targeted Performance Measures

- Acres of Habitat Restored or Enhanced
- Acres Treated for Invasive Species

#### Threshold Categories

- Fisheries
- Recreation
- Water Quality

#### Location



Removing bottom barriers from Truckee River, October 2015

#### Targeted Funding

- Secured Funding: California Department of Water Resources (California DWR), \$150,000
- Secured Funding: Tahoe Fund (Tahoe Fund), \$30,000
- Secured Funding: Truckee River Fund (TRF/CFWN), \$112,000
- No Funding Source Identified

## Photos

### Before



Before Diver Assisted Suction Removal, 2014

### During



Eurasian watermilfoil control using suction removal in Truckee River, July 2017



Diver removing Eurasian watermilfoil in Truckee River, below Lake Tahoe Dam, July 2017

### After



After Diver Assisted Suction Removal, 2014