

# **Elk Point Marina Aquatic Invasive Plant Control**

**Project Number** 01.03.01.0018

**Action Priority** Prevent, Control, or Eradicate Aquatic Invasive Species

Implementers Tahoe Resource Conservation District, Tahoe Regional Planning Agency

**Supporting Agencies** Elk Point Country Club Homeowners' Association, League to Save Lake Tahoe, Nevada

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StageImplementationDuration2016 - 2026

Total Project Cost \$350,000 Funding Request \$0

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Bottom barriers, diver-assisted suction removal and hand-pulling were used to control plants in the marina. In addition, the League to Save Lake Tahoe provided homeowners with Eyes on the Lake training to learn how to identify and report aquatic invasive plants. Effectively controlling plant fragments from entering the marina from Lake Tahoe continues to be a challenge. A bubble curtain was installed in 2021 at the mouth of the marina to reduce invasive aquatic plant fragments from re-infesting the area and to protect the investment. Fragments that entered the marina prior to installation of the bubble curtain have grown and another phase of treatment is needed.

# **Targeted Performance Measures**

No Expected Accomplishments provided

#### **Threshold Categories**

• Fisheries

• Water Quality



Curlyleaf pondweed detections at Elk Point Marina, Zephyr Cove, NV, 2016

#### Location



#### **Targeted Funding**



## **Photos**

## Before



Enlarged view of infestations removed north of Elk Point Marina, July-September 2017, Glenbrook to Round Hill, NV.





Diver hand-removing newly rooted aquatic invasive plants following treatment, Elk Point Marina, Zephyr Cove, NV, April 2020.



Early Detection and Rapid Response survey and removal of Eurasian watermilfoil July-September 2017, Glenbrook to Round Hill, NV. Note all detections north of the Marina



View of Elk Point Marina facing Lake Tahoe, Zephyr Cove, NV, 2022

Project Fact Sheet Data as of 05/18/2024