

# Ski Run Marina Aquatic Invasive Plant Control Pilot- Laminar Flow Aeration

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Action PriorityPrevent, Control, or Eradicate Aquatic Invasive SpeciesImplementersSki Run Marina, Tahoe Regional Planning Agency

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 Stage
 Implementation
 Duration
 2018 - 2025

 Total Project Cost
 \$80,000
 Funding Request
 \$52,550

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

Laminar flow aeration (LFA) utilizes air diffusers, air compressors and air lines to add millions of very small air bubbles to the entire water column with the purpose of making it an oxygen rich environment. The oxygen rich environment has the potential to increase decomposition of the organic layer at the bottom of a waterbody, or in this case the marina. The organic layer is used as food for plants and by reducing it there is potential to reduce plant populations as well. This pilot project will test the efficacy of LFA in Ski Run Marina. Results are encouraging and additional funds are being sought to research results and expand treatment further into the marina channel (lake-ward).

### **Targeted Performance Measures**

• Acres Treated for Invasive Species

### **Threshold Categories**

• Fisheries • Water Quality

Laminar Flow Diffuser

### Location



### **Targeted Funding**

Secured Funding: Ski Run Marina (Ski Run Marina), \$37,450

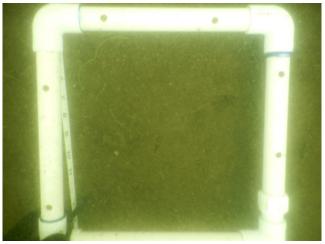
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## **Photos**

# During



Treatment Transect 1



Treatment Transect 2

Project Fact Sheet Data as of 05/13/2025