

**AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT OF 2009
SECTION 1511 CERTIFICATION**

**Tahoe Resource Conservation District
Lake Tahoe Watershed Improvement Project
Project No.: C-06-6946-110
Agreement No.: 08-323-550**

The authorized representative of the State Water Resources Control Board hereby certifies, and/or affirms that the Lake Tahoe Watershed Improvement (Project) has received the full review and vetting required by law and that such representative accepts responsibility that the Project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars. Subject to the provisions of the Financing Agreement, the following general description is provided in order to comply with Section 1511 of American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA):

- Project description: The Project, commonly known as Lake Tahoe Watershed Improvement Project, will restore two sites of severely degraded riparian zone to improve water quality, decrease sedimentation, increase riparian and meadow habitat and improve the native fishery.
- Estimated total cost of the Project: Four million, twenty-one thousand, six hundred eighty-two dollars and no cents (\$4,021,682).
- Type of assistance: Full principal forgiveness.
- Estimated amount of ARRA funds to be used: One million, four hundred seventy-eight thousand, fifty-seven dollars and no cents (\$1,478,057).

STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD

By:  for

Name: Barbara L. Evoy
Title: Deputy Director, Division of Financial Assistance

Date: 6/12/09