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Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)
Region 9
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RE: Truckee River Flood Management Authority, Truckee River FIRM revisions

Storey County is writing this letter to declare our support for the remapping effort for the Truckee River and select tributaries that the Truckee River Flood Management Authority (TRFMA) has undertaken since 2019. We understand the area of revised Flood Insurance Rate Maps (FIRMs) extend from West Reno to Wadsworth, Nevada, and covers significant river frontage along Storey County's northern border with Washoe County.

Storey County officials approved through representation on TRFMA's Technical Advisory Committee the original contract to fund this endeavor in March of 2019. The previous mapping dates back to 1984 and there are several accuracy issues with both the terrain and modeling that need to be addressed.

While we support the remapping effort, Storey County also reserves the right to review and offer suggestions for map or model revisions during the review process that will ensue both in the preliminary review and during the 90-day review period.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jay Carmona", is written over a horizontal line.

Jay Carmona,
Chairman, Storey County Board of County Commissioners