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NOTICE OF PROPOSED ACTION
Bureau of Water Quality Planning

PUBLIC NOTICE

Carson River —Total Maximum Daily Loads for Total Phosphorus

Pursuant to Section 303(d) of the Clean Water Act, the State of Nevada is required to develop a list of impaired waterbodies that need additional work beyond existing controls to achieve or maintain water quality standards.

The Carson River from the California-Nevada state line to Weeks Bridge in Lyon County has been listed on Nevada's 2002 303(d) List for exceedences of the Total Phosphorus (TP) water quality standard. These exceedences occur throughout the entire flow range.

In an effort to achieve and maintain the existing water quality standards for the Carson River, the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection, Bureau of Water Quality Planning has developed a phased Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) allocation for Total Phosphorus.

The Division is issuing this Public Notice and soliciting public comment on this TMDL prior to its final issuance and implementation. Support documentation and rationale used in the determination of the Carson River TP TMDL has been incorporated into the document entitled:

"Carson River: Phase I Total Maximum Daily Loads for Total Phosphorus"

Hard copies of the Carson River TP TMDL document can be obtained by contacting the Bureau of Water Quality Planning at the address below:

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Electronic copies of the Carson River TMDL document can be obtained from the NDEP website at <http://ndep.nv.gov/bwqp/tmdl.htm>.

Written or E-mailed public comments should be submitted to NDEP-BWQP by 5:00 p.m. Friday, July 29, 2005. Questions or comments should be directed to:

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