

**Summary of Consultant Activities – April 2021**  
**Sustainable Community Advocates**  
**Steve Teshara, Principal**

- As coordinator of the Lake Tahoe Partnership (federal advocacy network), participate in virtual meetings with members and/or staff of the Lake Tahoe Congressional Delegation and Congressional “friends of Tahoe” in support of Tahoe’s FY-22 federal appropriations requests consistent with the Lake Tahoe Restoration Act (LTRA) and other Tahoe legislative requests.
- April 2: Participate in final Partnership planning meeting before DC meetings begin April 5.

**Monday, April 5**

- Nevada Congressman Steven Horsford
- Nevada Congresswoman Dina Titus
- California Congressman Tom McClintock

**Tuesday, April 6**

- California US Senator Alex Padilla
- California US Senator Dianne Feinstein
- Nevada Congresswoman Susie Lee
- California Congressman John Garamendi
- Nevada US Senator Catherine Cortez Masto
- Nevada Congressman Mark Amodei

**Wednesday, April 7**

- Nevada US Senator Jacky Rosen
- Participate in multiple Partnership debrief sessions and prepare DC meeting follow-up correspondence.
- Provide Basin Chiefs a copy of the Executive Summary (“Final Draft”) 2020 TRPA Regional Transportation Plan (RTP) as a follow-up to the Basin Chiefs October 25, 2020 letter asking TRPA to add:
  - “Language in the final (RTP) recognizing the importance of emergency evacuation planning that involves Tahoe’s highway and transportation network as a matter of public safety; and
  - Organize and work with a multi-jurisdictional group of emergency evacuation planners and first responders to assist TRPA with the development of language and provisions for emergency evacuation planning that can be incorporated into the Agency’s Regional Transportation Plan at a future date.”
- Prepare and transmit follow-up emails to South Lake Tahoe Fire/Rescue Chief Clive Savacool and North Lake Tahoe Fire Chief and LTRFCA Chair Ryan Sommers regarding next steps in planning for the development of a “Tahoe Basin Evacuation Plan” a topic on the April 15 LTRFCA agenda.

- Continue to track work on the Meeks Bay Restoration Project, consistently providing input in support of a public safety fire boat life on the pier structure proposed as one of the alternatives.
- Continue to track work on the Lake Tahoe West (LTW) project, a collaborative effort to restore the resiliency of forests, watersheds, and communities on 59,000 acres of Lake Tahoe's West Shore. Led by the USDA Forest Service Lake Tahoe Basin Management Unit (LTBMU), California Tahoe Conservancy, and TRPA, the LTW project is based on the comprehensive Lake Tahoe West Landscape Restoration Strategy.