

# **EXHIBIT**

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**Statement of Qualifications of  
Janet Carson Phillips**

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## INTRODUCTION

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My degrees from Stanford and UCLA provided ideal training for a career in water resources management in Nevada. I spent my first years in Nevada planning water management for the Carson River and serving as Deputy Federal Watermaster for the Carson and Truckee Rivers. My water career peaked when I became Director of Water Policy for Sierra Pacific Power Company, where I directed water resource planning, formulated water policy, and conducted negotiations of the Truckee River Operating Agreement (TROA) among Sierra Pacific, the United States, California, Nevada, the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe and other parties.

Since 2001 my focus has been on creating a river-side trail along the entire 116-mile length of the Truckee River by founding the nonprofit Tahoe-Pyramid Bikeway.

## EXPERIENCE

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| 2002–2010 | <i>Truckee River Advocate &amp; Expert</i>   | Various entities   | Reno, NV |
|           |  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Teaches annual 2-day professional Truckee River field course for NWRA</li><li>▪ Chairs the Truckee River Fund which finances river enhancement projects.</li><li>▪ Founded and is President of the Tahoe-Pyramid Bikeway</li></ul>   |          |
| 1989–2001 | <i>Director of Water Policy and Planning</i> | Sierra Pacific Power Company   | Reno, NV |
|           |  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Directed 20-year urban Water Resource Plan accepted by all stakeholders.</li><li>▪ Managed water supply strategy during worst drought of record: 1988-94.</li><li>▪ Identified and helped achieve SPPCo needs in Truckee River negotiations.</li><li>▪ Coordinated Truckee River negotiation process among 14 parties.</li><li>▪ Participated on SPPCo team to successfully sell water business for \$350 million.</li></ul> |          |
| 1985–1989 | <i>Water Resource Engineer</i>               | Kennedy, Jenks, Chilton Engineers  | Reno, NV |
|           |  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Developed the first water resource plan for the Carson River.</li><li>▪ Performed engineering and economic evaluations of water resources.</li></ul>   |          |
| 1982–1985 | <i>Deputy Federal Water Master</i>           | U.S. District Court Watermaster  | Reno, NV |
|           |  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Coordinated operation of Lake Tahoe and other reservoirs pursuant to 1915 Decree, Truckee River Agreement, and other governing documents.</li><li>▪ Developed first electronic databases for reservoir operations and water rights.</li><li>▪ Administered water rights on Carson and Truckee Rivers pursuant to decrees.</li></ul>  |          |

## EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS

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- B.A., Economics, Stanford University, 1974.
- M.S., Water Resources Engineering, UCLA, 1979.
- Registered professional Civil Engineer, State of Nevada