

CITY OF SOUTH LAKE TAHOE

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US 50 / South Shore Community Revitalization Project Community Meeting

February 10, 2016 • 4:30pm



Join us for a community meeting about the US 50 / South Shore Community Revitalization Project on Wednesday, February 10th. Exhibits are available for viewing at 4:30pm and the presentation is from 5pm-7pm. The meeting will be held in the South Tahoe Middle School Multi-Purpose Room and will feature a presentation of the project as well as a question and answer session.

Information on this project is available online at www.tahoetransportation.org/us50

Questions about the project are being taken in advance.

Submit questions to City of South Lake Tahoe Public Information Officer

Tracy Franklin at tfranklin@cityofslt.us or via telephone at 530.542.6093 or via fax at 530.542.7411.

WHAT: US 50 / South Shore Community Revitalization Project Community Meeting

WHO: All Community Members

WHERE: South Tahoe Middle School, 2940 Lake Tahoe Blvd. Multi-Purpose Room

WHEN: Wednesday, February 10th from 4:30pm-7:00pm



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Multi-Purpose Room Gym.

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INFORMATION

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Design Guidelines Workshop

Wednesday, February 17, 2016, meeting begins at 5pm

Join us for a Design Guidelines Public Workshop and discuss how to improve South Lake Tahoe's visual character. This Workshop is hosted by the South Lake Tahoe Planning Commission on Wednesday, February 17th, 5pm-7pm in the City of South Lake Tahoe City Council Chambers located at 1901 Airport Rd., South Lake Tahoe. This is the second workshop and the Draft Design Guidelines will be reviewed. This is a free workshop open to all community members.



Volunteer Drivers Needed in South Lake Tahoe for Senior Nutrition Program

The El Dorado County Senior Nutrition Program in South Lake Tahoe continues to have a great need for community volunteer drivers to help deliver lunchtime meals to homebound seniors and other vulnerable people. The meals are prepared by the Senior Nutrition Program in Tahoe and the volunteers simply deliver those meals. Volunteers are asked to help one day a week for approximately two hours and may be compensated for mileage. This important program helps some of our county's most vulnerable people get a nutritious meal and see a friendly face. For information about volunteering, call the Senior Nutrition Program at (530) 621-6160.



City Snow Removal Crews Have Been Working Night and Day

The City of South Lake Tahoe's Snow Removal crews have been working night and day shifts to clear snow on city roadways.

The City's Snow Removal program is to complete the initial plowing of the City's primary streets to open these streets for public safety. The snow removal crews will then move to the most affected areas and then into the neighborhood streets. In addition to removing snow from city streets, snow removal crews are also responsible for sanding icy roads and intersections, as well as clearing the parking lots of some city facilities.

The City of South Lake Tahoe's snow removal phone line is (530) 542-6030. For County residents, the snow removal phone number is (530) 573-3180.



"Snow Safe" suggestions when snow conditions exist:

- City snow plows are deployed when an average of three (3) inches of snow have fallen (accumulated) on the ground city wide. When snow plows are deployed, snow plows have the right of way on streets and vehicles left unattended in the streets are subject to citation and/or tow. The best policy is to keep your vehicle(s) parked off the streets at all times.
- Cars subject to citation and/or tow are those parked in the street right-of-way. The City right-of-way extends beyond the edge of the pavement to the property line, generally 5 to 10 feet beyond the edge of the pavement.
- The primary purpose of snow removal is to clear snow from streets for emergency vehicles, school buses, hospital entry, refuse trucks and all vehicle traffic.
- The City is asking that you keep all trash containers behind the berm, on your property.
- When shoveling snow from your driveway, shovel to the right as you face the street. This way, the plow will move the snow further down the road, rather than move the shoveled snow back into your driveway.

More information can be found on the City's website at www.cityofslt.us/snow



Sand Bags Available for Residents

The City of South Lake Tahoe would like to remind residents that sand bags are available at no cost year round. The sand lot is located at the City's Streets and Snow Removal Yard located at 1160 Rufus Allen Blvd., which is next to Campground by the Lake.

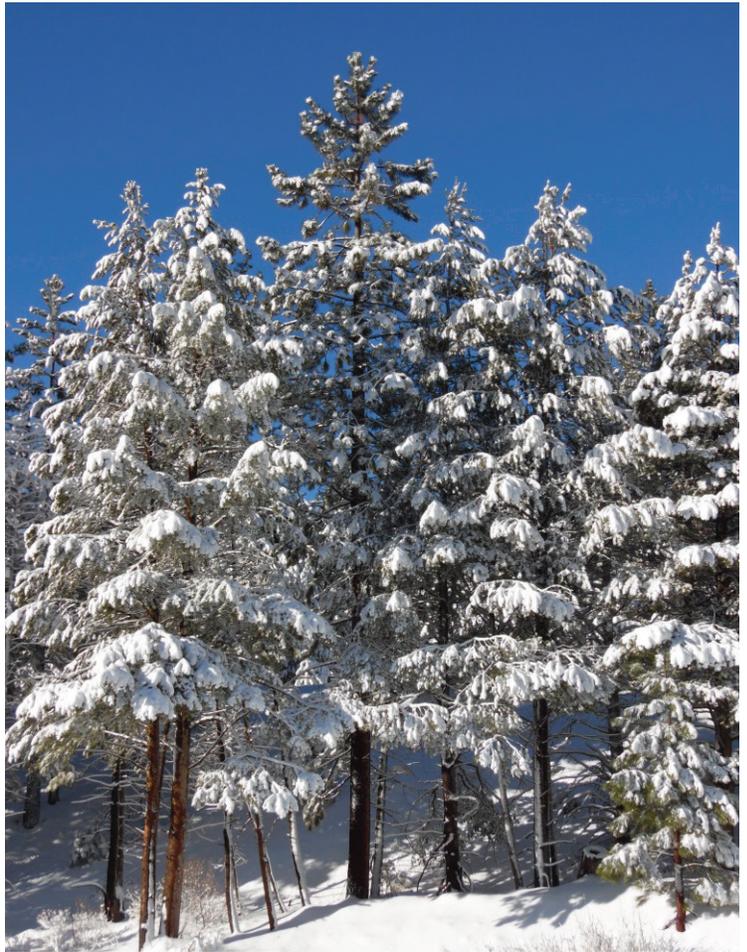
To pick-up your sand bags, proceed through the gate at 1160 Rufus Allen Blvd. and drive to the back of the lot. At the back of the lot is a large sand mound, shovels and bags. Residents fill their own bags and transport back to their own residence. Please leave the shovels so that other residents may use and try to limit the number of bags to 10 per visit.

Access to sand bags is available during normal business hours, Monday-Friday 7:30am-4pm.

Winter Travel Safety Tips

Extra precautions need to be taken while driving in the Sierra Mountain areas with snow and ice. Along with potential hazardous road conditions, motorists can expect extreme delays due to snow conditions or accidents. The following tips are suggested to ensure a safe trip to your destination.

- Ensure your vehicle is stocked with extra warm clothing, food, water, medications, cell phone, a shovel, and other survival supplies in the event you become stuck on a mountain road.
- Check your vehicle's battery, tire tread, windshield wipers, and anti-freeze. Tires should be properly inflated. Keep windows clear and put no-freeze fluid in the window washer reservoir. Carry snow melt, Jonny Cat, or sand in the event you become stuck in the snow.
- Make sure your vehicle's gas tank is full before leaving on any trip. Keep the tank at least half full to avoid gas tank freeze-up.
- If your vehicle has on-demand four-wheel drive, make certain all drivers are familiar with engaging the four-wheel drive function.
- Practice cold weather driving. During the daylight, rehearse maneuvers slowly on ice or snow in an empty lot. Steer into a skid. Know what your brakes will do. Use steady constant pressure on ABS equipped vehicles and pump non-anti-lock brakes.
- Check road conditions before leaving.
- For California road conditions, visit <http://www.dot.ca.gov/cgi-bin/roads.cgi> or call 1-800-427ROAD(7623).
- For Nevada road conditions, visit <http://www.nevadadot.com/traveler/roads> or call 1-877-NV-ROADS (1-877-687-6237).
- Plan your route and leave early if necessary for weather conditions.
- Leave headlights on while driving in snowy conditions to increase vehicle visibility. Drive carefully. Even when the roads appear dry, patches of ice tend to accumulate on curves and bridges even when the rest of the roadway appears clear. Increase distance between your vehicle and those ahead for safe stopping.
- If you are driving slower than the traffic around you, use turnouts so others may pass.



Tahoe Talks

WINTER 2016 BROWN BAG LUNCH SERIES

Come share ideas for making our communities safer, healthier, and greener.

Winter Schedule of Events:

Wednesday, January 20 – *How-to-City: From Idea to Reality, Making A Community Project Happen* • Aspen Room, LTCC, One College Drive, South Lake Tahoe, CA

Tuesday, February 2 – *Taking Tahoe's Transit to the Next Level – Changes North and South* • Tahoe City Public Utility District Board Room, 221 Fairway Drive, Tahoe City, CA

Wednesday, February 17 – *How-to-City: Town of Truckee's Success in Funding Recreation* • Aspen Room, LTCC, One College Drive, South Lake Tahoe, CA

Wednesday, March 16 – *A Property Owner's Guide to the City and TRPA* • Creekside Room, LTCC, One College Drive, South Lake Tahoe, CA

Snacks provided.
All events are free and from 12-1:30pm.

For more details on each event, visit www.tahoempo.org.
Interested in hosting a Tahoe Talk? Contact Karen Fink, kfink@trpa.org

Tahoe Talks are brought to you by:



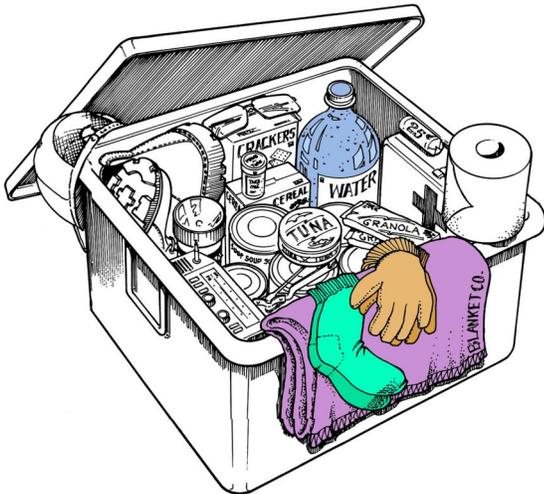
72 Hour Comfort Kits

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Emergency Preparedness—Month 2 STORING EMERGENCY SUPPLIES

Chances are you will have to rely upon supplies you have available in your home for at least the first three days following any major disaster.

Store these items in something that is portable and easily carries, like a plastic tub with a tight-fitting lid. In the event of fire or rapid evacuation, you'll appreciate having more than just the clothes on your back.



The container should be able to withstand moisture, insects, and some abuse when the emergency occurs. If you have a large family, several smaller tubs may be easier to carry than one large container.

Place items in reusable bags to protect against condensation, which causes mildew and rust.

Locate these supplies as close to your primary house exit as possible. You may have to find it in the dark or after the upheaval of an emergency.

WATER

Keep at least a three day supply of water for each person in your household. Two-liter soda pop bottles work great. That means six two-liter bottles per person.

FOOD

Store at least a three day supply of non-perishable food. Select foods that require no refrigeration or cooking and little or no water.

- Canned meats, fruits and vegetables
- Canned juices and soups
- High energy foods—peanut butter, granola bars, trail mix, beef jerky
- "Comfort foods" - cookies, hard candy, etc.

FIRST AID SUPPLIES

- Sterile 4" adhesive bandages
- Sterile 4" x 4" gauze pads
- 4" rolled gauze bandages
- Large triangular bandages
- Butterfly bandages
- Adhesive tape
- Scissors & tweezers
- Moistened towelettes
- Bar soap
- Latex gloves
- Aspirin & non-aspirin pain reliever
- Antacid
- Anti-diarrhea medication
- Insect repellent
- Hydrogen peroxide to disinfect wounds
- Antibiotic ointment to dress wounds
- Sunscreen
- Safety pins
- Needle & thread
- Reusable bags
- Sanitary pads
- Instant cold packs
- Pocket knife



Use a film canister to store an extra pair of latex gloves in the car glove compartment



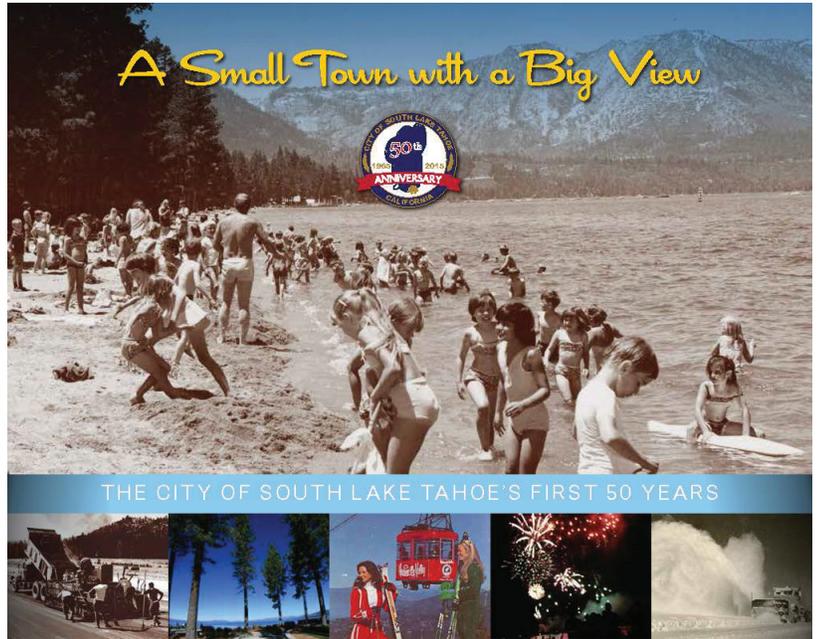
Commemorative Book Honors City's First 50 Years



In honor of its 50th Anniversary, the City of South Lake Tahoe created a commemorative 123 page book chronicling its first 50 years of incorporation. The book is titled “A Small Town with a Big View” and is available for purchase at City Hall located at 1901 Airport Road. The cost of the book is \$25.00 and payments of check and cash are accepted.

The chapters of the book include; A City is Born, Laying the Foundation, Getting Creative, Welcome to South Lake Tahoe, Collaboration is Key, A Vision Realized, and Looking to the Future.

To purchase a copy of the commemorative book, city offices are open Monday – Friday, 8am to 5pm.



Calendar at a Glance

City Council Meeting
February 2
9 am Council Chambers

US 50 Revitalization Project Mtg
February 10
4:30 pm South Tahoe Middle School

Parks & Rec Commission Meeting
February 11
9 am Council Chambers

City Council Meeting
February 16
9 am Council Chambers

Tahoe Talks Series
Truckee's Success in Funding Recreation
February 17
12 pm LTCC

Design Guidelines Workshop
February 17
5 pm Council Chambers

Who to Call

City Hall	542-6000
Airport	542-6182
Bijou Golf	542-6097
Building dept.	542-6010
Business License	542-6012
Campground	542-6096
City Attorney's office	542-6046
City Clerk's office	542-6003
Explore Tahoe	542-4637
Fire non-emergency	542-6160
Fire Station #1	542-6161
Fire Station #2	542-6162
Fire Station #3	542-6163
Human Resources	542-6050
Ice Arena	544-7465
Rec/Swim Complex	542-6056
Planning dept.	542-6020
Police non-emergency	542-6100
Public Works dept.	542-6034
Senior Center	542-6094
Snow Removal	542-6030
Stormwater Hotline	544-1910

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