

STAFF REPORT

Date: February 12, 2020

To: Mayor and City Council

Thru: Sabra Newby, City Manager

Subject: **B.11. Staff Report (For Possible Action): Approval of Temporary License to Carson Truckee Water Conservancy District (CTWCD) to enter upon various parcels owned by the City of Reno for Truckee River Channel Maintenance through December 31, 2024.**

From: Nicholas Brothers, Project Coordinator

Summary: The Carson Truckee Water Conservancy District (CTWCD) is requesting permission to utilize City owned properties to access the Truckee River to perform maintenance of channel conveyance to include debris removal. The attached temporary license to enter upon property would allow equipment and persons to access the Truckee River through December 31, 2024.

Previous Council Action:

December 13, 2017 – Council approved a Temporary License to Carson Truckee Water Conservancy District (CTWCD) to enter upon various parcels owned by the City of Reno for Truckee River Channel Maintenance through December 31, 2019.

October 28, 2015 - Council approved a Temporary License to Carson Truckee Water Conservancy District (CTWCD) to enter upon various parcels owned by the City of Reno for Truckee River Channel Maintenance through December 31, 2017.

Discussion: The CTWCD has a responsibility to maintain conveyance of flows to 14,000 cubic feet per second. This comes from the 1972 Martis Creek Agreement with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. The CTWCD would conduct channel maintenance including debris removal accessing the Truckee River through various City owned parcels (Attachment A).

Financial Implications: None at this time.

Legal Implications: Legal review completed for compliance with City procedures and Nevada Law.

Recommendation: Staff recommends Council approve the attached temporary license to enter upon property and authorize the Mayor to sign.

Proposed Motion: I move to approve staff recommendation.

Attachments:

- CTWCD Temp License to Enter (PDF)