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Comments: State Agency Comments E2018-108 DEIS - Mt. Rose Ski Tahoe Atoma Area Expansion Project - Washoe County

The Nevada State Clearinghouse received the attached four .pdf comment replies and the comments below regarding the Mt. Rose Ski Tahoe Atoma Area Expansion Project;

<http://clearinghouse.nv.gov/public/Notice/2018/E2018-108.pdf>

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As always requested by this agency, please consider the cumulative visual impacts from development activities (temporary and permanent), including proliferation of improper lighting.

* There was no mention of dark sky lighting or mitigation criteria in the DEIS as far as this reader could find.

As a reminder and for all future projects, the following mitigation measures should be required:

Utilize appropriate lighting:

*Utilize consistent lighting mitigation measures that follow "Dark Sky" lighting practices as specified in www.darksky.org <<http://www.darksky.org>> .

*Effective lighting should have screens that do not allow the bulb to shine up or out. All proposed lighting shall be located to avoid light pollution onto any adjacent lands as viewed from a distance. All lighting fixtures shall be hooded and shielded, face downward, located within soffits and directed on to the pertinent site only, and away from adjacent parcels or areas.

*A lighting plan should be submitted indicating the types of lighting and fixtures, the locations of fixtures, lumens of lighting, and the areas illuminated by the lighting plan.

*Any required FAA lighting should be scaled as minimally as possible.

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