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**Chief Administrative Office
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EL DORADO COUNTY ISSUES ORDER TO STOP NON-ESSENTIAL TRAVEL TO SOUTH LAKE TAHOE

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(PLACERVILLE, CA) – In response to the swell of non-fulltime residents traveling to Lake Tahoe, El Dorado County Public Health Officer, Dr. Nancy Williams, today issued a no-travel Order to reduce the number of visitors and other non-fulltime residents in the basin.

“Visitors whom we enthusiastically welcome during normal times are further impacting an already decreased availability of essential supplies and food, and putting the entire Lake Tahoe population at greater risk of being able to receive proper health care,” Williams said.

“It’s time to take this very strong message to those who are not already residing in South Lake Tahoe: if you have no essential function and you are here, please go home; if you have no essential function and you are not here, please stay home.”

A copy of the Order can be found [here](#).

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