State of California  
Department of Parks Recreation  
Order No. 683-22-002

**Dog Restrictions**  
Sierra District

As exceptions to California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Sec 4312(a), dogs are allowed on a leash (CCR Title 14 Section 4312(e)) in the following areas:

1. Donner Memorial SP known as "East Beach," within the day use area on the eastern shore of Donner Lake within 200 yards of the Tahoe-Donner Boat Launching Facility.
2. Shoreline areas of South Yuba River SP, except the area known as Family Beach. Dogs are prohibited here from the covered bridge at Bridgeport 200 feet downstream on both sides of the river.
3. Empire Mine SHP Visitor Center, as well as the grounds within the historic zone of the park.
4. Truckee River Outlet known as "Gatekeepers" within the day use area along the Lake Tahoe shoreline

To assist in protecting the ecological integrity of Emerald Bay SP as a National Natural Landmark, dogs are prohibited in the following areas of Emerald Bay State Park:

The entire grounds surrounding the Vikingsholm mansion, bounded by the following landmarks: commencing at the confluence of Eagle Creek and Emerald Bay and extending along Eagle Creek to State Highway 89. Extending north along Highway 89, .5 miles to Boat Camp Fire Access Road. East along the access road to the upper boundary of Boat Camp. West along the upper boundary to the western boundary of Boat Camp, and south along the shoreline to the Eagle Creek confluence at Vikingsholm.

To protect the integrity of the groomed Nordic ski courses, dogs are hereby prohibited on designated ski trails within the Sierra District, from Nov. 1 to May 1 annually, when snow is present. The following is a list of the trails covered:

1. The portions of the old route at Donner Memorial SP that go through the campground and day use picnic areas, including the connector road from China Cove to the Splitrock camping loop, from Creek campground to Coldstream Road, and the secondary road known as Emigrant Road adjacent to Coldstream
Road (or Haul Road) that begins at the park boundary at the base of Coldstream Canyon, continuing southwest adjacent to Cold Creek, until it rejoins Coldstream Road at the park boundary on the southwest side of Upper Men-ill's Pond.

2. At Plumas-Eureka SP, the road from the park museum to the campground and all camping loops and the Jamison Mine Road from Johnsville Road to the Jamison Mine Complex, when groomed.

3. The old trail network at Ed Z'berg Sugar Pine Point SP and Burton Creek SP.

The District Superintendent, or his/her designee, may grant exceptions to this order as determined to be necessary for the proper administration of the park, and to protect the safety and welfare of its visitors, employees and resources. All exceptions, except for emergency personnel, must be obtained in writing. Requests for exemptions may be made by contacting the Sierra District Superintendent, Sierra District, P.O. Box 266, Tahoma, CA 96142.

Nothing herein shall be construed in derogation of other provisions of law, existing contracts, or property rights previously granted. This order shall not apply to trained "seeing eye," "signal," or "service" dogs used to guide physically impaired persons there present, or dogs that are being trained to become "seeing eye," "signal," or "service" dogs.

Requests for exceptions to this order may only be granted in writing by contacting the District Superintendent, Sierra District at PO Box 266, Tahoma, CA 96142.

This order has been posted pursuant to the California Code regulations, Title 14, Section 4301(i).

This order supersedes orders 683-21-002.

Signed:  

**Daniel Canfield**  
Date 5-5-2022

Dan Canfield,  
District Superintendent  
Sierra District

Authority  
California Public Resources Code Sections 5003 and 5008,  
California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 4326