Prescribed burn on Oct. 9 in South Tahoe

U.S. Forest Service fuels management crews expect to conduct prescribed fire operations in the North Upper Truckee are on Lake Tahoe's South Shore Oct. 9. The project will include 2 acres near Kiowa, Grizzly Mountain, Cochise, Kickapoo and Delaware streets.

State and local fire management agencies may also be conducting prescribed fire work during this period.

Residents and travelers can expect to see smoke from prescribed fire project areas.

This and other prescribed fire projects are designed to reduce wildfire risks to communities and critical resources. Smoke management is part of every prescribed fire burn plan, and efforts will be taken to reduce actual or potential smoke impacts on community areas.