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Walker Basin Conservancy Welcomes New Board Director

RENO, NEV.—Nov. 6, 2018—This month, Walker Basin Conservancy welcomes Nevada family farmer Robert (Rob) Holley to the Board of Directors. Holley is the sixth member of the Conservancy's Board of Directors, which will continue to grow alongside the Conservancy.

Holley is a family farmer in Northern Nevada, and the District Manager of the Dayton Valley Conservation District (Carson River Watershed). Holley served 24 years as a Nevada State Park Ranger before retiring. The Nevada Division of State Parks is one of the Conservancy's major agency partners.

"Rob is an excellent addition to our Board of Directors," shared Jeff Bryant, Walker Basin Conservancy's Executive Director. "He is a well-respected family farmer in Lyon County, Nevada. He brings with him an expertise in localized agriculture, Nevada water rights and high desert conservation techniques."

The board of directors supports the work of the Walker Basin Conservancy and provides mission-based leadership and strategic governance. To get to know Walker Basin Conservancy's full board of directors, please visit walkerbasin.org/meet-the-board/.

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ABOUT: Established in 2014, the non-profit Walker Basin Conservancy is leading implementation efforts to restore and maintain Walker Lake while protecting agricultural, environmental and recreational interests in the Walker River Basin. WBC is responsible for stewarding thousands of acres of land in the Basin and oversees revegetation activities, habitat enhancement and ongoing research. WBC also acquires water rights from willing sellers and works collaboratively to protect and manage those resources for riparian and watershed stewardship, to support agricultural needs, and ultimately to increase stream flows in the Walker River to Walker Lake.

