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TAMARACK RESORT AND TAMARACK MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION REDUCE CARBON FOOTPRINT THROUGH RENEWABLE ENERGY PURCHASE

TAMARACK, Idaho (October 29, 2019) – Tamarack Resort and the Tamarack Municipal Association (TMA) are now operating on 100 percent clean energy. With the help of Idaho Power and 3Degrees, Inc., Tamarack purchased 1,761 Renewable Energy Certificates (RECs) to match its non-hydro electricity use and ultimately reduce its carbon footprint.

Almost half of the energy Tamarack Resort and other Idaho Power customers purchase comes from clean, local hydroelectric sources. Tamarack bought RECs through 3Degrees, Inc. from wind, solar, biomass or small hydropower production across the western United States to cover the rest of the resort's electricity footprint.

“Idaho Power supports Tamarack's commitment to clean energy, which aligns with our own goal to provide 100% clean energy to all customers by 2045,” said Bo Hanchey, Idaho Power vice president of customer operations. “We're proud to give Tamarack a great start with a foundation of clean, affordable, reliable hydropower.”

Along with fully operating on 100 percent clean energy, Tamarack Resort has eliminated single-use plastic in the base area, keeping 134,000 individual pieces of plastic from landfill since August 2018. The resort recently completed a LED light conversion in its operation office. TMA has also replaced all inefficient outdoor lamps, including road lighting, with high-efficiency LED bulbs.

3Degrees is a renewable energy and climate solutions specialist dedicated to helping companies reduce greenhouse gas emissions and incorporate clean energy into their business operations.

“We are excited to be operating on 100% clean energy,” says Brad Larsen, Tamarack Resort general manager. “Our work with Idaho Power and 3Degrees helps us support the renewable energy market and is a positive step towards reducing carbon emissions.”

All of the RECs procured by Tamarack Resort and TMA with the help of 3Degrees are Green-e® certified. The 1,761 renewable megawatt hours of renewable energy generation Tamarack supports have an environmental impact similar to growing 20,755 tree seedlings for ten years or taking 264 cars off the road for a year.

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About Tamarack Resort

Tamarack Resort is a four-season destination nestled in Idaho's Payette River Mountains Region. The resort is located 90 miles north of Boise on the shores of Lake Cascade, just west of the small town of Donnelly. From onsite lodging, dining and event space to the full range of outdoor recreation in the Idaho mountains, there is adventure for all seasons. The winter brings 2800 feet of vertical on 1100 lift-accessed acres for skiers and snowboarders, along with Nordic and snowshoe trails. During the summer, the resort is home to mountain biking, hiking, rafting, and watersports on Lake Cascade. For more information on recreation, events, lodging and real estate, visit www.tamarackidaho.com.

About Idaho Power

Idaho Power, headquartered in vibrant and fast-growing Boise, Idaho, has been a locally operated energy company since 1916. Today, it serves a 24,000-square-mile area in Idaho and Oregon. The company's goal to provide 100% clean energy by 2045 builds on its long history as a clean-energy leader that provides reliable service at affordable prices. With 17 low-cost hydroelectric projects at the core of its diverse energy mix, Idaho Power's residential, business and agricultural customers pay among the nation's lowest prices for electricity. Its 2,000 employees proudly serve more than 560,000 customers with a culture of safety first, integrity always and respect for all.

IDACORP Inc. (NYSE: IDA), Idaho Power's independent publicly traded parent company, is also headquartered in Boise, Idaho. To learn more, visit idahopower.com or idacorpinc.com.

About 3Degrees, Inc.

3Degrees makes it possible for companies and their customers to take urgent action on climate change. As a certified B Corporation, it provides renewable energy and emission reduction solutions to global Fortune 500 companies, utilities and other organizations that want to join the fight against climate change. The 3Degrees team has deep expertise in sustainability consulting, environmental markets, renewable energy and carbon project development, and utility renewable energy programs. The company is headquartered in San Francisco, with offices in Portland, Oregon, Seattle, Washington and Richmond, Virginia. Learn more at 3degreesinc.com.