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### **Our Vision:**

“Changing the world through eco-cultural tourism of the Great Basin”



**It's a land** of natural and cultural treasures. A land where pelicans splash around in the middle of the desert. Where antelopes are sometimes spotted racing alongside a car or a bighorn sheep sipping from a spring. Where sunsets and sunrises transform mountains into pillars of fire. And where ancient fish swim in desert lakes. Most importantly, a land where its indigenous people celebrate their past while building a hopeful future.

Nevada's Indian Territory is home to five major American Indian tribes: the Washoe, Northern Paiute, Southern Paiute Western Shoshone, and Fort Mojave who all feel a deep connection to the environment and all its gifts. These tribes sustained their cultural identity longer than in other areas because it took longer for Euro-Americans to settle there.

You're invited to explore Nevada's Indian Territory, to immerse yourself in the culture and the majestic landscape, and to meet the people whose ancestors were stewards of this land for millennia.

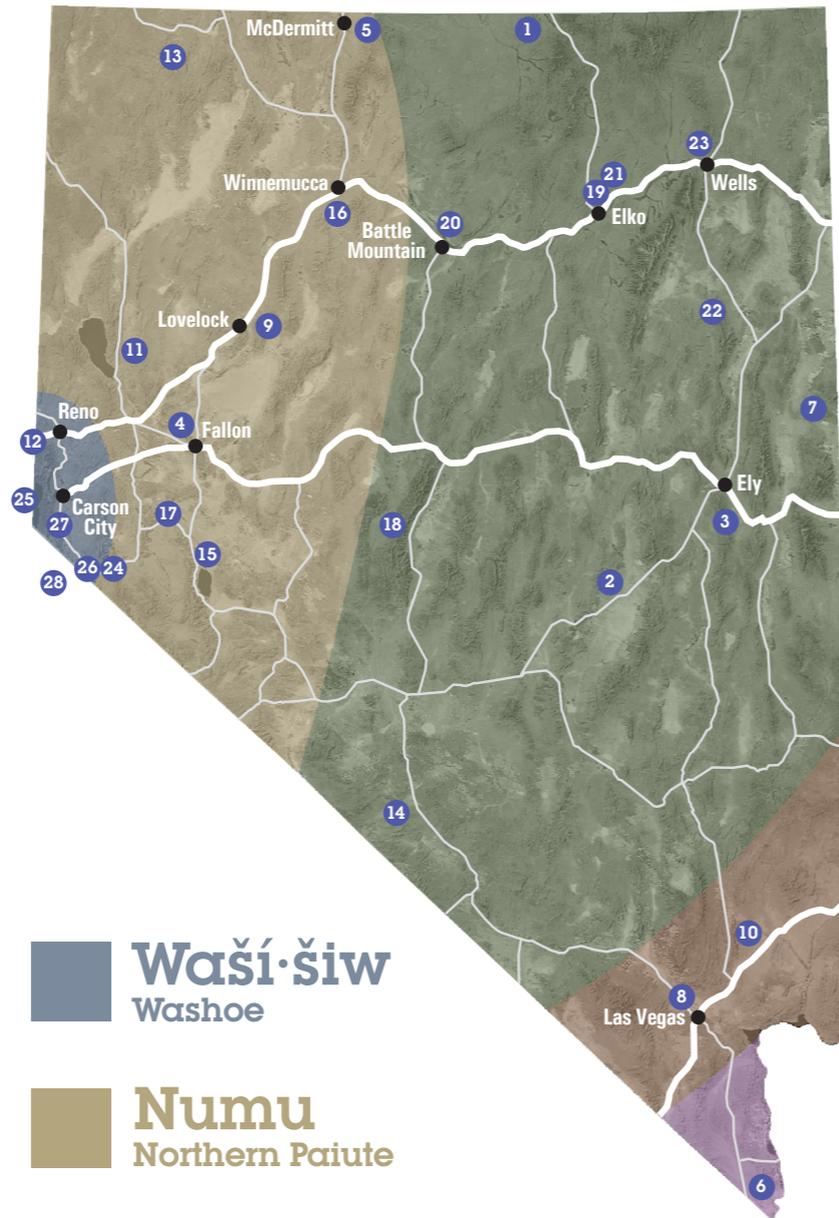
## Eco-cultural tourism in Nevada's Indian Territory

Eco-cultural tourism is a concept in which ecological and cultural aspects of a landscape are combined to create a special destination for tourists. Examples of Nevada's Indian Territory eco-cultural tourism offerings are illustrated throughout this brochure, from paddle boarding the crystal-clear waters of Lake Tahoe, to hiking the Valley of Fire and experiencing its magnificent petroglyphs. With natural beauty, abundant wildlife, and the rich culture of its native people, we greet you to Nevada's Indian Territory.





# NEVADA'S INDIAN TERRITORY



**Waší·šiw**  
Washoe

**Numu**  
Northern Paiute

**Newe**  
Western Shoshone

**Nuwuvi**  
Southern Paiute

**Pipa Aha Macav**  
Fort Mojave

## State of Nevada Federally Recognized Tribes

- 1 Duck Valley Shoshone-Paiute Tribe
- 2 Duckwater Shoshone Tribe
- 3 Ely Shoshone Tribe
- 4 Fallon Paiute-Shoshone Tribe
- 5 Fort McDermitt Paiute-Shoshone Tribe
- 6 Fort Mojave Indian Tribe
- 7 Confederated Tribes of Goshutes
- 8 Las Vegas Paiute Tribe
- 9 Lovelock Paiute Tribe
- 10 Moapa Band of Paiutes
- 11 Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe
- 12 Reno-Sparks Indian Colony
- 13 Summit Lake Paiute Tribe
- 14 Timbisha Shoshone Tribe
- 15 Walker River Paiute Tribe
- 16 Winnemucca Colony Council
- 17 Yerington Paiute Tribe
- 18 Yomba Shoshone Tribe
- 19 Te-Moak Shoshone Tribe
- 20 Battle Mountain Band Council
- 21 Elko Band Council
- 22 South Fork Band Council
- 23 Wells Band Council
- 24 Washoe Tribe of Nevada & California
- 25 Carson Colony Community Council
- 26 Dresslerville Community Council
- 27 Stewart Community Council
- 28 Woodfords Community Council



- Funding & Grants
- Tradeshows
- Website - [NevadasIndianTerritory.com](https://NevadasIndianTerritory.com)
- Brochure - downloadable
- Photo Library
- Itineraries
- Strategic Development Plan
- Navigation App - [Explore Native Nevada](#)
- Powwow Marketing Grants
- Cultural events & calendar
- Interpretive signs
- Great Basin Artists
- Dark Skies - Duck Valley Project
- Cultural Sheets "One-Pagers"
- Marketing Videos
- Use of influencer

# Waší·šiw Dá?aw?ága? Lake Tahoe Shoreline Tour



## Waší·šiw ?itdé? (Homelands of the Washoe People)

- Dá?aw?ága? (Lake Tahoe Shoreline)
- Lake Tahoe Basin Management Unit
- Humboldt Toiyabe National Forest
- Carson Valley and Truckee Meadows
- Pine Nut Mountain Range
- Washoe Valley and Washoe Lake

## Guiding Principles: The branding motto, The Dá?aw Pledge

1. Destination planning and marketing authentic indigenous tourism and sustainable eco-cultural tourism
2. Awareness of Waší·šiw Culture while improving quality of life and respecting cultural identity
3. Acknowledge to be stewards of "Mother Earth" and protect the Great Basin biodiversity
4. Wellness and transformative experiences through responsible and inclusive tourism (healthy land and healthy people)



midé? (California Bear)



## Signature Events and Interests

- Meeks Bay Resort
- Waší·šiw ?itdé? (Indigenous Culture and Arts Festival)
- USFS Taylor Creek Visitors Center trilingual audio tour
- Washoe Tribe "Story Walk" experience on Tahoe Rim Trail
- Washoe Tribe's Sawmill—supporting and sustaining healthy forests
- Wa She Shu Travel Plaza
- Carson Smoke Shop & Mica Chevron

## Eco-cultural Tourism Opportunities

To learn more about the Waší·šiw (Washoe People) culture and economic development visit [washeotribe.us](http://washeotribe.us).

Click on the QR code to watch the Dá?aw ?ága (Lake Tahoe Shoreline) responsible tourism video.



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