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## BLUEGO BEGINS SERVING NEW TRANSIT CENTER IN STATELINE

**Lake Tahoe, Stateline, NV** — The South Tahoe Area Transit Authority will begin serving the Kingsbury Transit Center located at 169 Highway 50 in Stateline, across the street from Lakeside Inn & Casino, beginning Sunday.

This facility was built in 2007 to provide BlueGO passengers the opportunity to make connections to other routes, visit the Lake Tahoe Visitors Authority Visitors Center on the first floor or visit other facilities in the general area including Douglas County Administrative Center, Lakeside Inn & Casino, Stateline Medical Center and Kahle Community Park. The facility was not used as a transit center until recently authorized by the Board of Directors last Friday.

BlueGO Nevada Flex, Casino Shuttle Club Route, Casino Shuttle Diamond Route, Kingsbury Timeshare, Kingsbury Express, Nifty 50 Trolley Route C, Heavenly Blue Route and Heavenly Green Route will serve this facility in both the eastbound and westbound directions. Buses will stop next to the County Administrative Center behind the Visitors Center. All routes will also stop in front of the Visitors Center before turning into the Kingsbury Transit Center.

There is a waiting room for passengers with restrooms, transit information, schedules, a direct hotline to contact BlueGO dispatch and free parking for 231 cars and eight bicycles. In the wintertime, those wishing to go to Heavenly can use this facility to park their cars and ride BlueGO Heavenly Ski shuttles to Boulder and Stagecoach Lodges or the Gondola. In the summertime, those wanting to go to Zephyr Cove Resort can also park their cars at this facility and ride BlueGO Nevada Flex route.

The waiting room is open from 7:30 a.m. to 1:00 a.m. Friday and Saturday and from 7:30 a.m. to 12:00 a.m. Sunday through Thursday. The waiting room is located in the back of the transit center next to the parking garage.

“This state-of-the-art facility will provide BlueGO passengers with comfort and convenience to help make the new BlueGO a more attractive commuter choice” stated John Andoh, BlueGO Transit Administrator.

For additional BlueGO Transit Information call 530.541.7149. You can also visit the BlueGO website at [www.bluego.org](http://www.bluego.org).

BlueGO is a service of the South Tahoe Area Transit Authority which consists of members representing the City of South Lake Tahoe, El Dorado County, Douglas County, Tahoe Regional Planning Agency, Harrah's, Harveys, Lakeside Inn, MontBleu, Horizon and Heavenly Mountain Resort. Collectively, these partner agencies provide a coordinated transit system to reduce vehicle miles traveled on the south shore of Lake Tahoe and to improve the quality of life through the implementation and management of innovative transit solutions.

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