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Supervisor Novasel recommending the Board approve and authorize the Chair to sign a letter of support for the proposal to name an unnamed waterfall along Glen Alpine Creek as Sawyer Falls. The U.S. Board on Geographic Names (BGN) has received a proposal to name an unnamed waterfall along Glen Alpine Creek as Sawyer Falls. The BGN is responsible by law for standardizing geographic names for use by the Federal Government. Because the BGN places importance on local opinion, the staff asks for input from local governments who are elected to represent its citizens who might have an interest.

The falls is on Sawyer family-owned property within Tahoe National Forest and the name would commemorate Robert Lee Sawyer, Jr (1917-2008) and Alice Olson Sawyer (1921-2015) who owned the property.