

IN THE OFFICE OF THE STATE ENGINEER
OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

_____'S EXHIBITS, _____
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IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATIONS)
53987 THROUGH 53992, INCLUSIVE,)
AND 54003 THROUGH 54021,)
INCLUSIVE, FILED TO APPROPRIATE)
THE UNDERGROUND WATERS OF)
SPRTNG VALLEY, CAVE VALLEY DRY)
LAKE VALLEY, AND DELAMAR)
VALLEY, (HYDROGRAPHIC BASINS 180,)
181, 182 AND 184), LINCOLN COUNTY)
AND WHITE PINE COUNTY, NEVADA.)

**JOINDER TO REPLY TO
SNWA'S OPPOSITION TO
MOTION TO DISMISS FOR
FAILURE TO JOIN UNITED
STATES DEPARTMENT OF
INTERIOR BUREAUS**

White Pine County, et al., by and through the undersigned counsel, hereby join in the *Reply to SNWA's Opposition to Motion to Dismiss for Failure to Join United States Department of Interior Bureaus* filed by the Confederated Tribes of the Goshute Reservation, Ely Shoshone Tribe, and Duckwater Shoshone Tribe. For the reasons stated therein, and because White Pine County, et al., share many of the Tribes' interests in ensuring that any 3M plan be objectively robust and enforceable, and be developed with full, open participation of the United States Department of the Interior ("U.S. DOI") Bureaus, White Pine County, et al., join the Tribes in requesting that this Matter be dismissed for failure to join the U.S. DOI Bureaus. In the alternative, the hearing on remand for these applications should be stayed until the U.S. DOI Bureaus are properly joined.

Respectfully submitted this 16th day of November, 2016.

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I hereby certify that on this 16th day of November, 2016, a true and correct copy of the foregoing **JOINDER TO REPLY TO SNWA'S OPPOSITION TO MOTION TO DISMISS FOR FAILURE TO JOIN UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR BUREAUS** was served on the following counsel of record as follows:

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