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# Please deny the demand from the Southern Nevada Water Authority for groundwater rights in White Pine and Lincoln counties

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State Engineer Jason King, State Engineer  
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Dear State Engineer Jason King State Engineer King, State Engineer,

We believe the scientific information is overwhelming: Draining 50 billion gallons of groundwater from the Great Basin would devastate Native American communities, rural economies and wildlife habitat over a huge area.

Further, the families and small businesses of Las Vegas, recovering from a brutal recession, cannot afford the huge price tag for this project.

And what would happen when all that water is pumped out? I had only one geology class in college, but even a rudimentary understanding of geology and common sense tell me that the removal of all that water will have unplanned, undesirable consequences on the underground stability of the entire region!!! This idea is not an ethical or ecologically sound one.

Sincerely,

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