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

1 message

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Jason King
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Dear King,

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.

It's important for me that the Great Basin water stays in the Great Basin because of the personal experience that I have of the area. I lived and worked in Nevada for a year through the Great Basin Institute's Nevada Conservation Corps. I spent 9 months living in Las Vegas, and I feel there are many ways to save water so that there is no need to pipe it in. I spent the greatest 3 months of my life working in the Great Basin National Park. I would be heartbroken to see a pipeline drain water from the area, if it is to stay as beautiful as it is and retain the diverse ecological habitat that it is host to, you can NOT take away its water.

I urge you to deny the applications filed by the Southern Nevada Water Authority and support the best interests of all of Nevada.

Sincerely,

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