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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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State Engineer Jason King  
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Dear State Engineer Jason King State Engineer 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.

Why this is still being considered is beyond me. What Los Angles did to the Owens valley should be a big enough lesson on what happens when an area is stripped of its resources. The greed that makes up Las Vegas is rediculous and they need to stop building beyond the capacity of the area. This is a desert and draining the entire state is not going to change that. What needs to change is the greedy mindset of the people in charge. This project does nothing to benefit the people of Nevada but would cause a huge amount of damage across a vast area and cost the state far more than is even being considered or imagined at this point.

Sincerely,

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