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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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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.

To have promoted the development of a major metropolis, Las Vegas, in the middle of the desert is ample proof of man's hubris. Now, to consider draining the valleys of central and northern Nevada, simply because they are rural and sparsely populated, for the sole purpose of allowing yet further development and urban sprawl in Las Vegas is hubris on steroids. It's time to limit Las Vegas' growth to the amount sustainable by existing water supplies. Let the developers spend their money on water conservation initiatives.

Mark Yeamans

We 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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