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Jason King, P.E.
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State of Nevada
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Dear Mr. King,

On behalf of Wynn Resorts, a globally traded, multinational corporation that owns and operates two destination casino resorts in Southern Nevada, I am writing to express our company's support of Southern Nevada Water Authority's (SNWA) water rights applications in Spring, Cave, Dry Lake and Delamar Valleys.

Southern Nevada is one of the world's most popular tourist destinations, welcoming more than 40 million annual visitors. Our industry generates more economic impact than any other business sector within our state. The resort industry is also Nevada's largest taxpayer, generating billions of dollars annually for state and local governments, schools and other public services.

Securing a safe and adequate water supply is critical to the sustainability of Nevada's resort industry. As such, Wynn Resorts supports SNWA's suggested use of monitoring, management and mitigation plans for groundwater development projects. Furthermore, we support the use of reasonable triggers and thresholds for investigation and mitigation actions.

Nevada's future is dependent upon a reliable water supply serving millions of residents and visitors for years to come. Wynn Resorts supports the SNWA's approach to managing the State's water resources.

Sincerely,


Kim Sinatra
EVP & General Counsel
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