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Jason King Nevada Division of Water Resources, 901. S. Stewart St., Suite 2002 Carson City, NV 89701

Subject: A 300-Mile Pipeline is Not the Answer.

Dear Jason King,

It's a desert. Take the water out once and then wait for the next ice age to refill it? People want to make a bunch of money up front and be long gone while the people keep footing the bill after the water has run out and the only National Park in Nevada has been permanently damaged as well has a whole bunch of other public land. Nope. Stupid. Take a long look and you will see mother nature shaking her head at man's folly. Yep, it is that stupid. Mr. King, I hope you are smarter than a developer who only looks at a quick dollar. I hope you are smart enough to look at this for all Nevadans, now and in the future.

Great Basin National Park is an extraordinary place--remote, scenic, and treasured by millions of Americans who value our national park system. Plans to pump millions and millions of gallons from the park's vast ecosystem greatly threaten what is special about this place.

I appeal to you, Mr. King, to dismiss questionable, ecologically-unsound plans to pump and move water from one location in Nevada more than 300 miles to Las Vegas. I appeal to you to respect Nevada's sole national park and make certain the park's resources are sustained for generations to come.

Thank you for your thoughtful consideration.

Sincerely, Mr. Bruce Kran 2011 DEC - 2 AND 15