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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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Nov 29, 2011

Jason King NV

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. The Great Basin does not have water to spare and needs to protect supply in the face of projected climate change that will see an increasing strain on the existing environment.

Shipping water from the Great Basin will deplete the water table to a degree that it will have no chance to recover from. In this case the price of development is far too high.

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

Sincerely,

Ms. Clare Hardy 635 Plumas St Apt 3 Reno, NV 89509-1756 Tue, Nov 29, 2011 at 3:51 PM

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