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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.

U.S. Western history is littered with failed water grabs and shortsighted policies that too often fail to protect communities' most basic need – water.

Draining the Great Basin has the potential to impact that region for centuries, forever altering the natural beauty and resources that exist there.

While I live in Las Vegas and would love water security well into this century, I also don't want to see my northern neighbors lose their livelihoods and worse because of this short-sighted grab proposed during a boom time.

The boom has gone bust. Please don't let this grab continue and result in the busting of the Great Basin.

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

Sincerely,

Mrs. Erin Haney  
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