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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 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.

For me personally, draining the Great Basin Area isnt so much the worry about my water bills going up. Or the fact that it may or may not benifit the growing Las Vegas Territory. Rather I have to say that draining the lake, in fact drains the lake. Think about it from a point of view that is not money or buisness realted. But think as if you were standing on the lake shore and looked across the way. See how the ecosystem thrives there, and how the cool breeze allows refuge for wildlife that depend on the lake being there.

If it was meant for the Las Vegas area, then there would be another lake there. How is their decreasing water our problem, and where will it stop? When all the water in the nearest states are gone to supply their hunger. We all have our problems and when our local area needs to start looking for other areas of water to supply our growing cities, then where will we look? Not to the Great Basin Lake if Las Vegas takes it first.

Draining this lake, will only be a temporary fix. So why take away the natural beauty of our land to supply them without much word of incentives for those living in the area. Also, for those who in the future come to this area and see nothing but dry desert without hope of survival and just old whispers the once great lake, the once blue and vast contributator to the ecosystem that thives of its own water.

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Please say 'no'. And say 'yes' to the needs of our lives, our future, and the unspoken. One step toward a great goal, is a big one indeed.

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

Sincerely,

Mr. Sean Bristow 1643 C st. APT B Sparks, NV 89431

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