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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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State Engineer Jason King

Dear State Engineer Jason King State Engineer 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.

Mr King, This proposed pipeline is clearly a boondoggle. Even a modest conservation plan by southern Nevadans and their guests could provide the needed water for some growth without destroying the irreplaceable ecosystems, towns and agriculture that rely upon these water sources in White Pine and Lincoln Counties. Eventually Southern Nevada will have to face the fact that the region is a desert and must learn to live with a finite amount of H2O. I urge you to resist the enormous pressure that monied interests have no doubt placed upon you to approve this water grab. I urge you to do what is right for State and future generations of Nevadans. Sincerely, Thomas M Ward,688 Shetlland Circle, Gardnerville Nevada

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