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Deputy Administrator Susan Joseph-Taylor Office of the State Engineer 901 S. Stewart St., Suite 2002 Carson City, NV 89701

This letter is written to inform you that I am in opposition to the proposed "Southern Nevada Water Authority's Pipeline Project".

The proposal to take water from Lincoln and White Pine County is not based on reality. What is the basis of the argument to even think about building this pipeline? Are the residents of Las Vegas more important than all of the other residents who will be affected by this pipeline? Although I live in Henderson, I strongly object to this proposal. No single person should have the most important resource – water – taken from him or her!

I expect and encourage State Engineer Jason King to reject the authority's groundwater applications outright.

Thanks to the Review Journal's article of September 20th alerting citizens to this egregious proposal.

Sincerely,

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