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To "nvgwprojects@blm.gov" <nvgwprojects@blm.gov>
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Subject Please say NO to pumping ground water from Skull Valley,
Utah

Penny Wood,

I strongly urge you to **not** allow Nevada to pump ground water from Skull Valley, Utah. We can run out of ground water if more water is discharged than recharged. For example, during periods of dry weather, recharge to the aquifers decreases. If too much ground water is pumped during these times, the water table can fall and wells may go dry. In such an arid location typically the replenishment rate is extremely low. With Nevada's water demands this option they are seeking will only be a temporary and not a long term fix to their problem. After the Utah/ Nevada, Skull Valley aquifer is dry and the water has been used up, Las Vegas and Nevada will still be searching for a more long term solution to their problem, while the farming communities that rely on those wells and that ground water for their livelihood will be left unable to sustain the way of life they have lived since the late 1800's.

Please say no to this proposed water pipeline and lets come up with another option to help southern Nevada with their water troubles.

Sincerely,

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