

IN THE OFFICE OF THE STATE ENGINEER OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION NUMBER 53972  
FILED BY Las Vegas Valley Water Dist.,  
ON October 17, 1989, TO APPROPRIATE THE  
WATERS OF Railroad Valley

PROTEST

Comes now Sue L. Holloway  
Printed or typed name of protestant

whose post office address is P.O. Box 45, Beatty, Nevada 89003  
Street No. or P.O. Box, City, State and Zip Code

whose occupation is Librarian, and protests the granting

of Application Number, filed on October 17, 1989

by Las Vegas Valley Water District  
Printed or typed name of applicant to appropriate the

waters of underground Railroad Valley situated in Nye  
Underground or name of stream, lake, spring or other source

County, State of Nevada, for the following reasons and on the following grounds, to wit:

This application, one of 146 filed by Las Vegas Valley Water District will deprive the Railroad Valley water basin of water needed for its environmental and economic well being. It will also destroy environmental and ecological values in the basin, such as the Cyprinodon species of fish, native to that area and could adversely effect the wildlife refuge located in the valley.

This application should be denied, because LVVWD has not done any comprehensive water resource development planning, including but not limited  
THEREFORE the protestant requests that the application be denied ( see attachment )  
(Denied, issued subject to prior rights, etc., as the case may be)

and that an order be entered for such relief as the State Engineer deems just and proper.

Signed *Sue L. Holloway*  
Agent or protestant  
*Sue L. Holloway*  
Printed or typed name, if agent  
Address *Box 45*  
Street No. or P.O. Box No.  
*Beatty, NV 89003*  
City, State and Zip Code No.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5<sup>th</sup> day of July 1990



*Karen N. Gray*  
Notary Public  
State of NEVADA  
County of Nye

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to, environmental impacts, socioeconomic impacts and long term impacts on the water resource, which could prove detrimental to the public interest.

The application should be denied because it individually and cumulatively with other applications of the water importation project will increase the waste of water and lack of effective conservation efforts in the Las Vegas Valley Water District service area.