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Comments: I make this comment under my own accord and am not representing any agency.

I believe leasing one of Nevada's treasures to oil and gas development is a terrible decision. The Ruby Mountains should be protected for wildlife and fisheries resources. Sage grouse, Lahontan Cutthroat Trout, Mule Deer and numerous other species rely on the habitat that the Ruby Mountains provide. Destruction of the habitat can negatively impact these populations and should be avoided at all costs.