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Comments: Hello,

I know cities and people need water, and providing water pays bills and keeps the populations happy, and keeping the people happy is the job of government.

I'd like to voice my opposition to the Whitney Reservoir project. At some point, in order to preserve our freedom to take the natural beauty of our state for granted, our officials and people will need to have the wisdom to see what is in front of us. To not take it for granted and see what others cannot.

Taking even more water from the headwaters of the Colorado River is a terrible idea. A society grows great when old men plant trees whose shade they know they shall never sit in.

Please set precedence for the better of our people to preserve first, and consume second. When it comes to our streams and ecosystems, they are not so easily replaced. We're finding every day more people and crowding in all natural areas across the state. I have yet to see a bill proposing water efficiency legislation, or good news articles about vast improvements in efficiency or innovation of our systems. I see money having precedence over the voice of the population.

Please talk to us, and for the love of the people stop this crap and vote on the side of the people's future, the side of our future freedom. This project is the lazy way out and you know it. Even if you have to "teach them to fish" by adding some common sense legislation to put efficiency first - the wise know that change is constant, and another dam isn't the kind of change we need.