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Comments: This project by the Taos Ski Valley does NOT reflect the will of the people of this region. For one thing, it pulls much needed water from people who need it downstream for their very livelihoods. Even worse, this is proposed to happen in a region with increasingly problematic and longer droughts. Nothing could be worse. Everyone I speak with in Taos County (who aren't the wealthy ski resort owner) agrees with me about this, it's really an egregious act to try to grab for water so many regional people just down from the mountain desperately need. Why should this greedy man be entitled to destroy the livelihoods of so many people in this county by reducing even more the water that can arrive downstream? It's completely ridiculous.

It is also yet another ecologically uncaring expansion for the Ski Valley. This in a region where people care about our plants, trees, animals, ecosystems and what still more manmade encroachment will do there. There has been no serious study of the effects (certainly not by an unbiased party who knows anything about ecology), and one is absolutely needed before this proposal is even considered.

Please do not approve this project, it does not benefit the people of this county at large to lose even more water in a region where drought is already a project, and certainly not for a ridiculous purpose like this.