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As a homeowner in St. George, Utah I have a vested interest in ensuring our community has an adequate water supply.

As a former CEO and current board member of a local energy company, I have a strong understanding of the need to plan and prepare to meet the needs of growing communities.

My professional career and current board responsibilities are with major energy companies that know the importance of water in developing and sustaining critical energy.

The Lake Powell Pipeline (LPP) is critically important to provide adequate water supply to southern Utah.

The LPP will enhance the reliability of southern Utah's water system as well as greatly diversify the water supply.

Building a large project that spans 140+ miles must be done with careful planning and mitigation to minimize environmental impacts.

The Proposed Action for the LPP follows existing alignments and designated utility corridors to minimize disturbances to natural, cultural, historic and archeological resources.

The hydropower component captures the energy in the water and converts it to electricity, thereby reducing the project's power demands.
Our community needs the reliability of energy and water supplies.

I ask the FERC to advance the Lake Powell Pipeline and approve the project.

Sincerely,

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