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16 BENEDICT BOYD: My name is Benedict Boyd,
17 B-O-Y-D. No initials, nothing. That's bad enough.

18 But I want -- what is it, B2 from Mina
19 down through Tonopah.

20 BOB LUPTON: You're talking about
21 alternative B2?

22 BENEDICT BOYD: Yeah. And I have
23 top-grade aggregate for the railroad bed, concrete,
24 and everything, and I would love to supply them with
25 the material. And I've got easy access, paved roads

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1 all the way to it. The road goes from Austin,
2 Highway 6, that's paved, so we've got an access road
3 to it. And Radar Road from -- to the 95, we've got
4 the access to it, too.

5 We have 41 square miles of land up there,
6 and we've got five hills to take down. And we've got
7 water, one pump right now, pumps over 300 gallons a
8 minute. Good drinking water, no arsenic in it. And
9 it tastes good.

10 Well, we -- UNR tested our water for us.
11 We were going to put a bottling plant in there, and I
12 got in an argument with BLM about it trying to buy
13 patented land. And they told us, No, couldn't do it.
14 They couldn't sell it to us. But we got it another
15 way. That was on Labor Day weekend, Friday they told
16 us we couldn't do it, Tuesday I had the 41 square
17 miles in our name, clear title, no liens against it
18 or nothing.

19 And we would like to take the route to B2
20 or whatever it is, go that way, and we would supply
21 materials from -- to Mina or to Yucca Mountain,
22 either way, be sitting right in the middle of it.

23 So I want to make a comment that I
24 recommend it, and I would like to supply the
25 material. I'm going to do it right. And we've got

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1 plenty of people that will work with us, trucking,
2 everything. And we're putting a housing tract up
3 there, too, for any kind of a house you want. And I
4 know they're going to be needing houses here for as
5 long as this is going to be lasting. That's the
6 reason we don't have any people working here now,
7 there is no place to live. And we -- we're working
8 on the deal so we can make it easy for everybody.

9 And I'd like you to put me in the
10 register, and I'd love to fix it up. And this is my
11 wife, Joyce. Joyce Boyd, and me and her are partners
12 in it. And we have a trust fund on it, too. Nobody
13 can touch that, either.

14 But that is our comment on what we want
15 to do. We'd love to work with you people, and we'll
16 do everything we can.