

SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA  
MARICOPA COUNTY

January 8, 2020

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SPECIAL WATER MASTER  
SUSAN WARD HARRIS

S. Ortega

Deputy

In re: Jose R. and Rita Morales  
Contested Case No. W1-11-3124

FILED: 01/17/2020

In Re: The General Adjudication  
of All Rights to Use Water in the  
Gila River System and Source  
W-1, W-2, W-3 and W-4 (Consolidated)

In re: Status Conference

**MINUTE ENTRY**

**Courtroom: CCB 301**

2:15 p.m. This is the time set for a Status Conference to consider the claims and resolve objections to Zone 2 Well Report 114-04-BAD-008.

The following attorneys and parties appear in person:

Mark A. McGinnis for Salt River Project  
Pablo Calderon, Landowner  
Amanda Morales-Calderon, Landowner

The following attorneys and parties appear telephonically:

John D. Burnside for BHP Copper  
Lucas Christian for Tonto Apache Tribe  
Kimberly R. Parks for Arizona Department of Water Resources (ADWR)  
Bradley Pew for ASARCO  
Joe P. Sparks for San Carlos Apache Tribe  
Jay Tomkus for the Yavapai-Apache Nation  
Felix Morales  
Robert Morales  
Martina Burnham on behalf of Maria Burnham

A record of the proceedings is made digitally in lieu of a court reporter.

The court notes that a Statement of Claimant was filed by Jose and Rita Morales for water rights that were investigated in Well Report 114-04-BAD-008.

Mr. Calderon states that he is continuing to use the water on this property for domestic purposes. Mrs. Calderon states that her mother, Rosalie Morales, who lives on the property and is Jose and Rita Morales' daughter, uses the water on this property for landscaping use. Mr. and Mrs. Calderon state that they may make a claim for irrigations purposes as well.

Felix Morales, Robert Morales, and Martina Burnham state their claims for domestic use of the water on this property.

The Court informs the parties that they can meet and confer with ADWR and the objectors about this case to determine if the objections could be resolved and the parties could agree on water rights. Alternatively, a date for a scheduling conference could be set which would include a date for a hearing at which time the parties would have the opportunity to put on evidence in support of their claims for water rights.

The parties agree to meet with ADWR regarding the objections to water rights.

Jose and Rita Morales are both deceased. They filed a Statement of Claimant which has not been assigned. The transfer of the Statement of Claimant will be one of the issues at the meeting with ADWR.

IT IS ORDERED that Felix Morales be added to the Court-appointed mailing list. His address is: PO Box 646, Winkelman, AZ 85192. All other parties' mailing information is correct.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED directing Ms. Parks to set up a meeting before **April 30, 2020** with ADWR, the objectors, and the landowners and/or representatives of the landowners.

2:25 p.m. Hearing concludes.

A copy of this order is mailed to all persons listed on the Court approved mailing list.