

SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA
MARICOPA COUNTY

10/01/2004

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FORM V000

HONORABLE EDDWARD BALLINGER, JR.

R. Luiszer
Deputy

W-1, W-2, W-3, W-4(Consolidated)

FILED: November 4, 2004

In Re the General Adjudication
of All Rights to Use Water in
The Gila River System and Source

MINUTE ENTRY

10:06 a.m. Present are the following: Jeff Ehlers, Dave Roberts and Mark McGinnis representing Salt River Project, Anthony Fines representing Gila Valley Irrigation District and Verde Valley Communities, William Anger representing Cities of Chandler, Glendale, Mesa and Scottsdale, Joe P. Sparks representing San Carlos Apache Tribe, Tonto Apache Tribe, and Yavapai-Apache Nation, Steve Wene representing Verde River Ranch, Janet Ronald from Arizona Department of Water Resources, Graham Clark representing the Arizona Attorney General's Office, Charlotte Benson representing City of Tempe, Sally Worthington representing Maricopa County, David Lujan representing City of Sierra Vista, Bella Vista Water Company and Pueblo Del Sol Water Company, Michael Neumann representing Josephine C. Leslie and Rockin' River Ranch, Peter Fahmy representing Office of the Solicitor, U.S. Department of the Interior, Cindy Haglin representing City of Chandler, David Brown representing NBJ Ranch and others, Michael Kafka representing Roosevelt Water Conservation District, Richard Mabery representing Kovacovich Investment Ltd. Partnership, Wiertzema Family Trust, Linda and Paul Robinson, Chester-Campbell, LLC and Tim Pierson

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representing Gila River Indian Community. Special Master, George A. Schade, Jr. and his assistant, Kathy Dolge, are present.

Court Reporter, Monica Hill, is present.

This is the time set for hearing on various motions regarding the Salt River Project's applications.

Argument is presented by Mark McGinnis and Michael Neumann in re: cost of litigating adjudication and mailing distribution versus service list.

Mark McGinnis addresses the Court regarding Verde River Ranch.

IT IS ORDERED the parties are to file settlement/dismissal/agreement no later than November 15, 2004, or a disclosure statement shall be filed no later than December 31, 2004, by the parties.

Steve Wene addresses the Court.

Mark McGinnis addresses the Court regarding Robinson.

Richard Mabery addresses the Court on behalf of the Robinsons.

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Mark McGinnis address the Court regarding Chester-Campbell, LLC.

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Mark McGinnis addresses the Court regarding NBJ Ranch.

Discussion is held between David Brown and the Court on deadline issues.

The Court recommends a hearing be set upon the resolution of the subflow report.

Mark McGinnis addresses the Court on behalf of Kovacovich Investment Ltd. Partnership.

Richard Mabery addresses the Court in re: reserving a client's right to disagree.

With regard to Kovacovich Investment Ltd. Partnership and Wiertzema Family Trust, the Court recommends a hearing be set upon the resolution of the subflow report.

Mark McGinnis addresses the Court regarding River Ranch Estates.

Myron Ray addresses the Court at the Court's request. The Court recommends Mr. Ray seek legal advice.

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Brief discussion is held in re: the absence of a representative for Jim and Linda Wyman.

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A representative for Jim and Linda Wyman is directed to contact this court.

Mark McGinnis addresses the Court regarding Shield Ranch, Inc., Don and Henry Shill.

IT IS ORDERED that Shield Ranch, Inc., Don and Henry Shill and SRP shall file motions by December 1, 2004 and allow 30 days for responses.

Joe Sparks and Anthony Fines address the Court.

SRP is directed to file a Motion to Substitute individuals for First Title as reflected on the record.

11:13 Court stands at recess.

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A copy of this minute entry is mailed to all parties on the Court-approved W-1, W-2, W-3 and W-4 mailing list dated October 21, 2004, and the parties listed below.

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