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6 IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA  
7 IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MARICOPA  
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9 **IN RE THE GENERAL**  
10 **ADJUDICATION OF ALL RIGHTS**  
11 **TO USE WATER IN THE GILA**  
12 **RIVER SYSTEM AND SOURCE**

W-1 (Salt)  
W-2 (Verde)  
W-3 (Upper Gila)  
W-4 (San Pedro)  
(Consolidated)

13 Contested Case No. **W1-106**

14 **ORDER GRANTING REQUEST**  
15 **FOR EXTENSION OF TIME IN**  
16 **PART AND DENYING REQUEST**  
17 **IN PART**  
18 **AND**  
19 **ORDER SETTING SCHEDULE**

19 **CONTESTED CASE NAME:** *In re Subflow Technical Report, Verde River Watershed*

20 **HSR INVOLVED:** None

21 **DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** Order granting request for extension of time to file the  
22 Subflow Technical Report until **April 30, 2023** except the Subflow Technical Report for  
23 the Verde Mainstem and Sycamore Canyon shall be filed by **December 31, 2021**.  
Schedule set to resolve objections to the Technical Report for the Verde Mainstem and  
24 Sycamore Canyon.

25 **NUMBER OF PAGES:** 3


26 **DATE OF FILING:** July 30, 2021  
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1 The Arizona Department of Water Resources filed a *Request for Extension of Time* to  
2 extend the filing deadline for its Subflow Technical Report by 23 months until April 30, 2023, A  
3 number of parties filed objections to the Request and proposed granting an extension until  
4 December 31, 2021 for a portion of the Report and the full extension for the remainder of the  
5 Report. Based on the oral arguments and pleadings filed by the parties,

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7 **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that Arizona Department of Water Resources will file its  
8 Subflow Technical Report for the Verde River Watershed as follows:

- 9 1. The Subflow Technical Report for the Mainstem of the Verde Report and Sycamore  
10 Canyon shall be filed by **December 31, 2021**. Objections to the Subflow Technical  
11 Report shall be filed by **May 2, 2022**. Discovery shall conclude on the Objections by  
12 **March 17, 2023**. Trial on the Objections shall begin on **August 17, 2023**. The  
13 Subflow Technical Report and any notice that Arizona Department of Water Resources  
14 distributes with respect to the Subflow Technical Report shall include the schedule set  
15 forth in the preceding two sentences to resolve objections to the Subflow Technical  
16 Report.
- 17 2. The Subflow Technical Report for the remainder of the Verde River Watershed shall be  
18 filed by **April 30, 2023** and objections shall be due by **October 27, 2023**. The Subflow  
19 Technical Report for the remainder of the Verde River Watershed and any notice that  
20 Arizona Department of Water Resources distributes with respect to the Subflow  
21 Technical Report shall include the due date for the filing of Objections.

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23 DATED: July 30, 2021

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26 Susan Ward Harris  
27 Special Master  
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The original of the foregoing was delivered to the Clerk of the Maricopa County Superior Court on July 30, 2021, for filing and distributing a copy to all persons listed on the Court approved mailing list for this case.

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