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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MARICOPA

IN RE THE GENERAL ADJUDICATION
OF ALL RIGHTS TO USE WATER IN THE
GILA RIVER SYSTEM AND SOURCE

Case No.: W-1, W-2, W-3, W-4
(Consolidated)
Contested Case No. W1-11-2401
ORDER APPROVING PROPOSED
WATER RIGHT ABSTRACTS

CONTESTED CASE NAME: *In re Mercer Group of Cases*
HSR INVOLVED: San Pedro River Watershed Hydrographic Survey Report.
DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY: Five proposed abstracts based on Watershed File Report No.
113-05-005 approved.
NUMBER OF PAGES: 13
DATE OF FILING: February 18, 2021

On January 25, 2020, the San Carlos Apache Tribe, Mercer Ranch Land Holding, LLC, Sombbrero Butte Cattle, LLC, and the Arizona State Land Department filed suggested corrections to proposed abstracts prepared for the *de minimis* potential water rights identified in Watershed File Report No. 113-05-005.

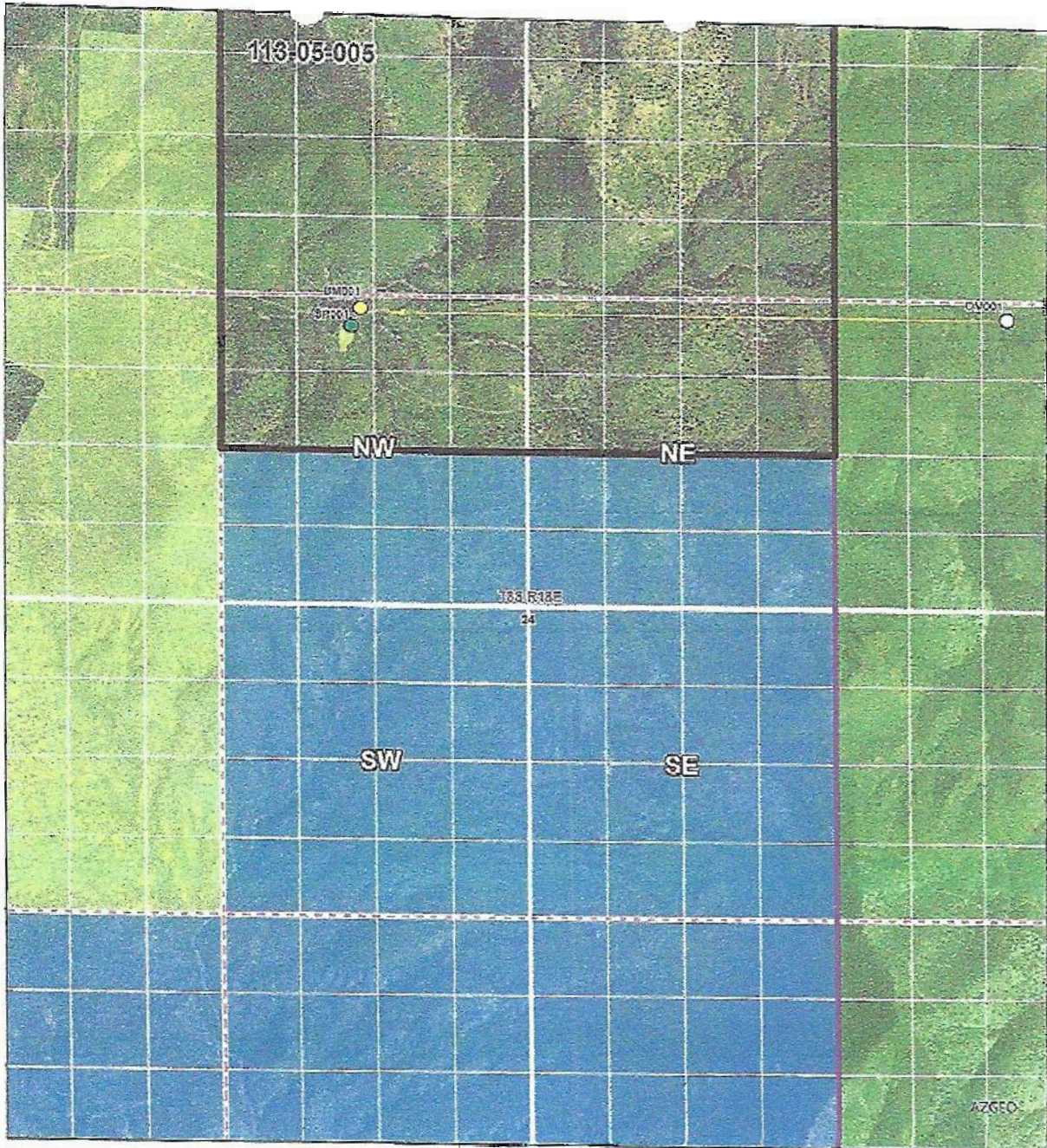
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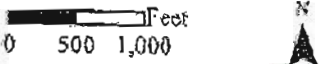

APPENDIX A

Proposed Abstract of Water Right San Pedro Watershed

Attribute	Proposed Abstract of Water Right ⁱ
1. Proposed Water Right No.:	113-05-005-DM001
2. Owner of Water Right:	Mercer Ranch Land Holdings, LLC
3. Landowner:	Mercer Ranch Land Holdings, LLC
4. Statement of Claimant No.:	39-0004482
5. Statement of Claimant Name:	Mercer Ranch Land Holdings, LLC
6. Lessee or Permittee:	n/a
7. Basis of Right:	36-0081045 4A-0001229
8. Beneficial Use:	Domestic use
9. Priority Date:	12/31/1914
10. Quantity:	One acre foot per year
11. Place of Use:	NENWNW section 24 T08S R18E of the Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian (See attached map)
12. Point of Diversion:	NENW section 19 08S R18E of the Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian (See attached map)
13. Source of Water:	Norton Spring, tributary to Scanlon Wash

ⁱ This proposed abstract does not prejudice claims by the Mercer Ranch Land Holdings, LLC or related entity for water rights associated with Norton Spring, which is located on federal land.




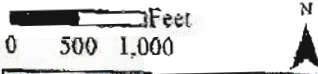

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3. Landowner:	Mercer Ranch Land Holdings, LLC
4. Statement of Claimant No.:	39-0004479
5. Statement of Claimant Name:	Mercer Ranch Land Holdings, LLC
6. Lessee or Permittee:	N/A
7. Basis of Right:	38-0081039
8. Beneficial Use:	Stock watering from a stockpond
9. Priority Date:	04/30/1938
10. Quantity:	Not to exceed (\leq) 4 acre feet annually with continuous fill
11. Place of Use:	NENWNW section 24 T8S R18E of the Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian (See attached map)
12. Point of Diversion:	NENWNW 24 T8S R18E of the Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian (See attached map)
13. Source of Water:	Surface Water: Scanlon Wash
14. Facility:	Section 24 Tank aka Dirt Tank Behind House

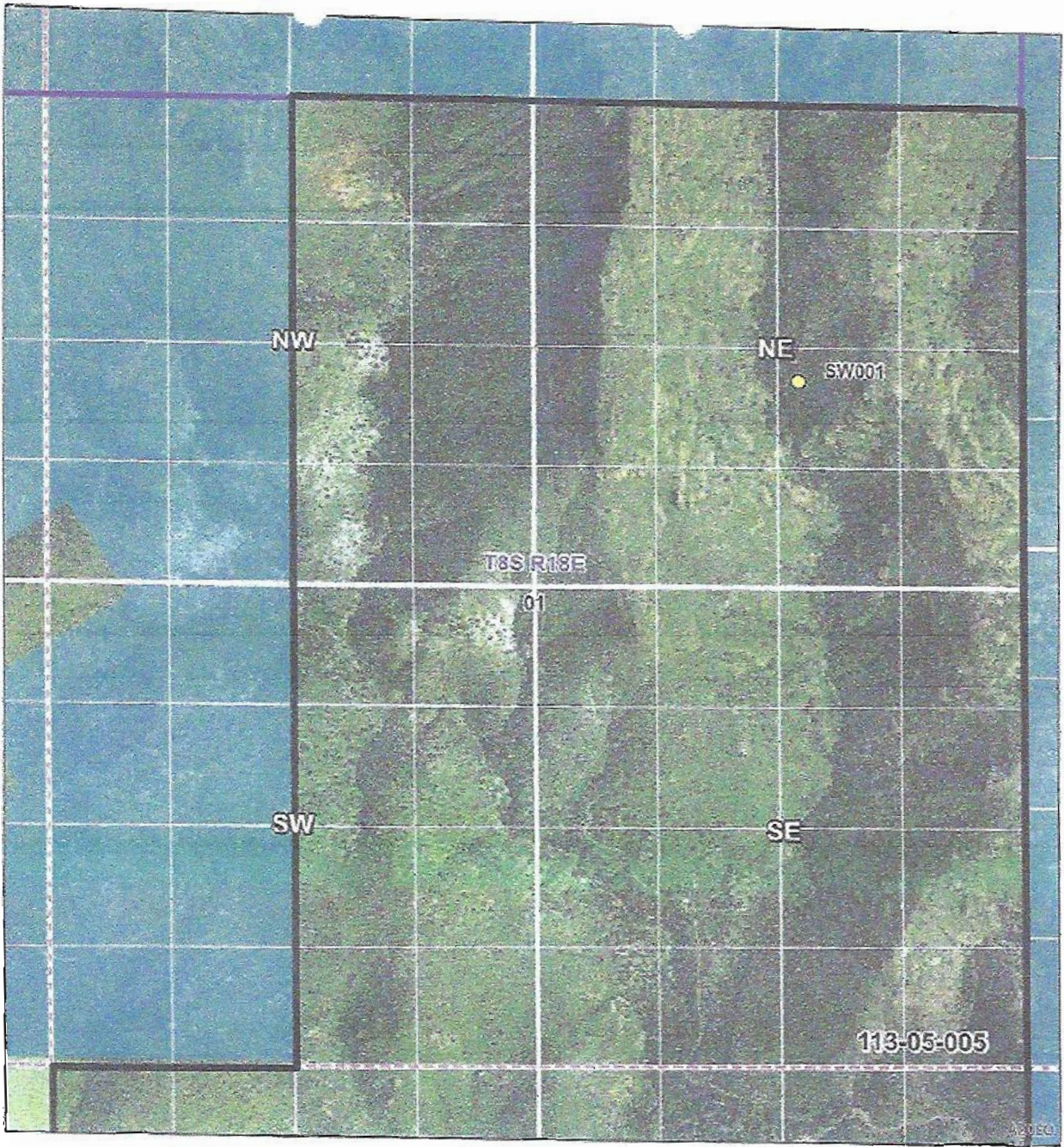



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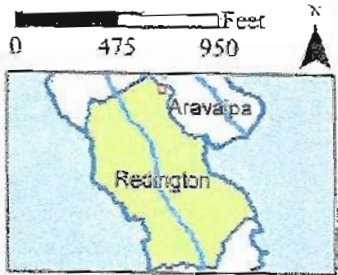
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2. Owner of Water Right:	Mercer Ranch Land Holdings, LLC
3. Landowner:	Mercer Ranch Land Holdings, LLC
4. Statement of Claimant No.:	39-0004481
5. Statement of Claimant Name:	Mercer Ranch Land Holdings, LLC
6. Lessee or Permittee:	N/A
7. Basis of Right:	36-0081049
8. Beneficial Use:	Stock watering and wildlife
9. Priority Date:	12/31/1904
10. Quantity:	Reasonable Use
11. Place of Use:	NWSENE section 01 T08S R18E of the Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian (See attached map)
12. Point of Diversion:	NWSENE section T01 T08S R18E of the Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian (See attached map)
13. Source of Water:	Monte Bonito Spring



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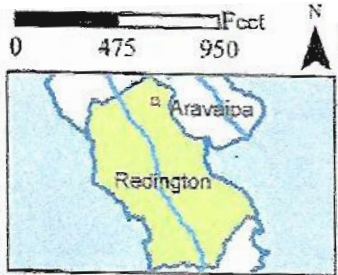
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3. Landowner:	Mercer Ranch Land Holdings, LLC
4. Statement of Claimant No.:	39-0004485
5. Statement of Claimant Name:	Mercer Ranch Land Holdings, LLC
6. Lessee or Permittee:	N/A
7. Basis of Right:	36-0081041
8. Beneficial Use:	Stock watering and wildlife
9. Priority Date:	12/31/1909
10. Quantity:	Reasonable Use
11. Place of Use:	SESENW section 22 T08S R18E of the Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian (See attached map)
12. Point of Diversion:	SESENW section 22 T08S R18E of the Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian (See attached map)
13. Source of Water:	Lower Whiting Spring



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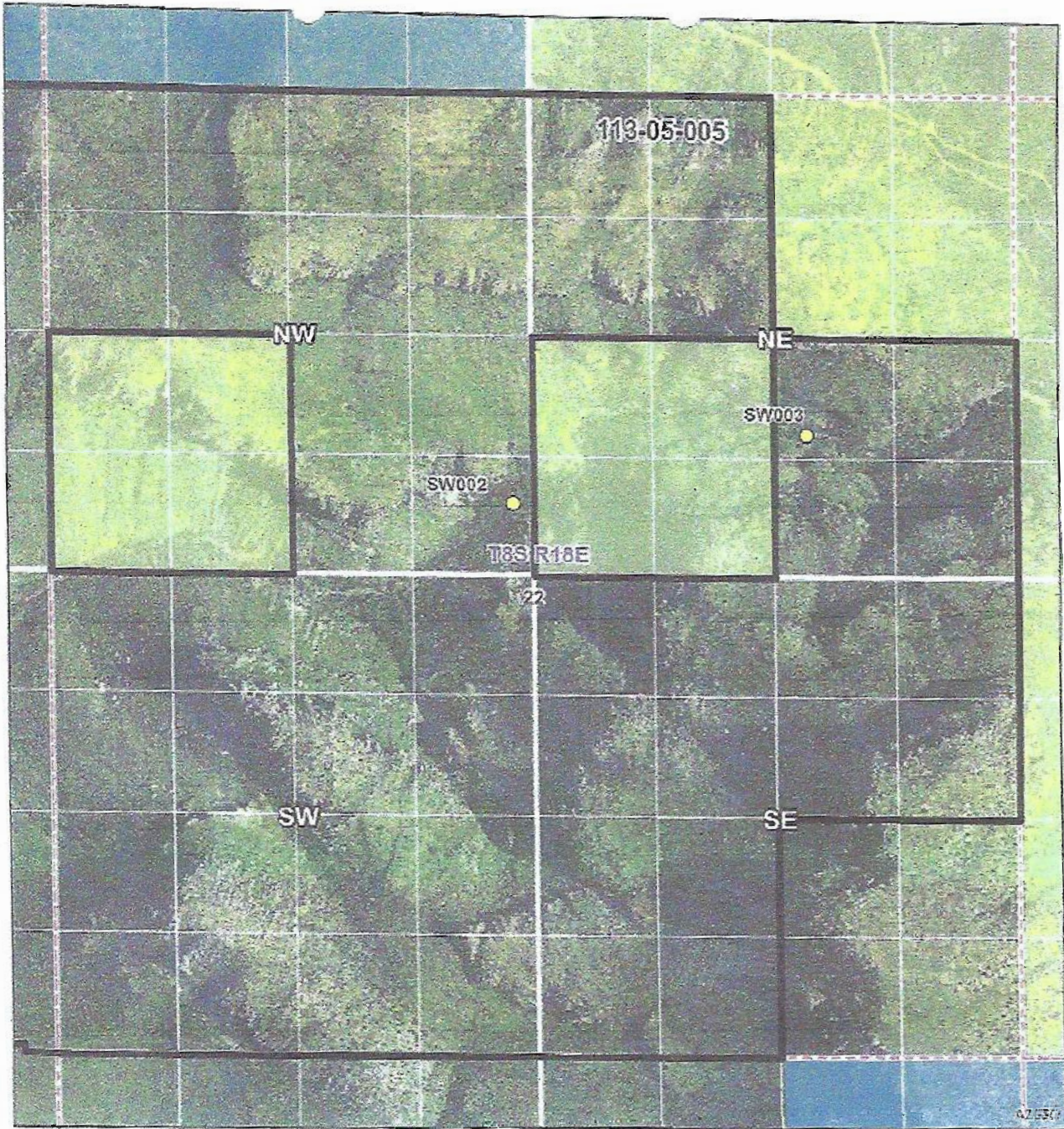


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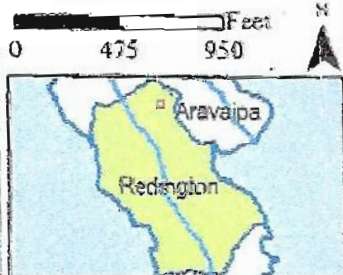
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2. Owner of Water Right:	Mercer Ranch Land Holdings, LLC
3. Landowner:	Mercer Ranch Land Holdings, LLC
4. Statement of Claimant No.:	39-0004486
5. Statement of Claimant Name:	Mercer Ranch Land Holdings, LLC
6. Lessee or Permittee:	n/a
7. Basis of Right:	36-0081043
8. Beneficial Use:	Stock watering and wildlife
9. Priority Date:	12/31/1909
10. Quantity:	Reasonable Use
11. Place of Use:	NWSENE section 22 T08S R18E of the Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian (See attached map)
12. Point of Diversion:	NWSENE section 22 T08S R18E of the Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian (See attached map)
13. Source of Water:	Upper Whiting Spring aka Whiting Spring II










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