

SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA
APACHE COUNTY

1/14/2021

CLERK OF THE COURT

SPECIAL WATER MASTER
SUSAN WARD HARRIS

S. Ortega

Deputy

FILED: 1/19/2021

In re: Hopi Reservation HSR
Contested Case No. 6417-203

In re: the General Adjudication
of All Rights to Use Water in the
Little Colorado River System and Source

In re: Trial to Court

TRIAL MINUTE ENTRY – DAY 46

Courtroom: CCB 301

9:00 a.m. Trial to the Court continues from January 13, 2021.

The following attorneys and parties appear by video/telephone through the GoToMeeting platform:

- Colin Campbell, Grace Rebling, Phillip Londen and Payslie Bowman for the Hopi Tribe
- Vanessa Boyd Willard, Cody McBride, Emmi Blades, and Rebecca Ross for the United States Department of Justice, Indian Resources Section
- Sarah Foley for the United States Department of the Interior
- Brian J. Heiserman, David A. Brown, Lauren J. Caster, Bradley J. Pew for LCR Coalition
- Mark A. McGinnis and Hannah Woner for the Salt River Project
- Carrie J. Brennan and Kevin Crestin for the Arizona State Land Department (“ASLD”)
- Lee A. Storey, Sara Ransom, Alexandra Arboleda, and Ethan B. Minkin for the City of Flagstaff
- Jeffrey S. Leonard, Judith M. Dworkin, Evan F. Hiller, and Kathryn Hoover for the Navajo Nation

Court Reporter Jovanna Roman is present. A record of the proceeding is also made digitally.

Procedural matters are discussed regarding exhibits. United States exhibit 1368 is the same as Hopi Tribe exhibit 1010, and both exhibits have previously been received in evidence. LCR Coalition exhibit 1473 is a demonstrative exhibit consisting of Julie Harrison's deposition. LCR Coalition exhibit 1474 will consist of Wes Whiting's deposition transcript. Upon submission of LCR Coalition exhibits 1473 and 1474 to the clerk, they will be received in evidence. The demonstrative maps which were included in Hopi Tribe exhibit 4586, which was not admitted, and submitted to the clerk on January 12, 2021, are marked as Arizona State Land Department exhibit 438 and Arizona State Land Department 438 is received in evidence.

LCR Coalition's case continues:

William Charles Kopp II is sworn and testifies.

LCR Coalition exhibits 358, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1010, 1012, and Hopi Tribe exhibits 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4018, 4019, 4022, and 4023 are received in evidence.

Counsel for the Hopi Tribe makes an offer of proof on the record.

10:19 a.m. Court stand at recess.

10:30 a.m. Court reconvenes with respective counsel present.

Court Reporter Jovanna Roman is present. A record of the proceeding is also made digitally.

The witness is excused.

10:30 a.m. Court stand at recess.

1:30 p.m. Court reconvenes with respective counsel present.

Court Reporter Kristin DeCasas is present. A record of the proceeding is also made digitally.

Jeremy Peters is sworn and testifies.

LCR Coalition exhibits 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1052, and Hopi Tribe exhibits 4153, 4154, 4155, 4156, 4157, 4158, 4159, 4160, 4161, 4162, 4164, 4165, 4168, and 4169 are received in evidence.

Counsel for the Hopi Tribe makes an offer of proof on the record.

The witness is excused.

LCR exhibits 353, 454, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1473, 1474 and Hopi Tribe exhibits 4026, 4027, 4028, 4029, 4030, 4031, 4032, 4033, 4034, 4036, 4041, 4063, 4064, 4065, 4066, 4067, 4068, 4069, 4070, 4071, 4072, 4073, 4074, 4114, 4115, 4116, 4117, 4118, 4119, 4120, 4121, 4122, 4124, 4125, and 4130 are received in evidence.

2:30 p.m. Court stands at recess until **Tuesday, January 19, 2021 at 9:00 a.m.**

A copy of the minute entry will be sent to all parties on the Court approved mailing list.