1 2 3 4 5 6 IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA 7 IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MARICOPA 8 9 IN RE THE GENERAL ADJUDICATION 10 OF ALL RIGHTS TO USE WATER IN Contested Case No. W1-11-1916 THE GILA RIVER SYSTEM AND 11 SOURCE 12 ORDER TO INITIATE CASE AND CONSOLIDATE 13 14 15 CONTESTED CASE NAME: In re Alvah and Barbara Fenn 16 17 HSR INVOLVED: San Pedro River Watershed Hydrographic Survey Report 18 DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY: Order to initiate contested case no. W1-11-1916 and consolidate it with In re St. David Irrigation District, contested case no. W1-11-1675. 19 20 NUMBER OF PAGES: 7 21 DATE OF FILING: April 1, 2019 22 23 24 This case involves potential water rights for domestic and irrigation uses in the southwest 25 quarter of section 11 T17S R20E. Alvah Fenn filed Statements of Claimant 39-6664 and 39-6666 26 ("SOCs") for the water uses. Alvah Fenn assigned the SOCs on April 8, 1991 to Michael and

Jenifer O'Callaghan. The Arizona Department of Water Resources public records show a form of

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assignments of the SOCs from Michael and Jenifer O'Callaghan in favor of Mark and Carrie Fenn filed on June 3, 2009.

The Arizona Department of Water Resources investigated the claims and submitted its results in Watershed File Report 112-17-BAD-022 ("WFR") published in the Final San Pedro River Watershed Hydrographic Survey Report (1991). According to the Cochise County Arizona Recorder's Office, the property encompassed in the WFR includes tax parcel nos. 123-27-003C and 123-27-003F. It names Mark and Carrie Fenn as the current owners of the property. The WFR listed the sources of water as wells and noted that filings made by the Pomerene Water Users Association applied to irrigation uses on the land included in the WFR. A copy of the Watershed File Report 112-17-BAD-022 is attached as Attachment A. The purpose of this case is to resolve the five objections made to the WFR. The objectors are included in Attachment B.

On August 31, 2018, the Pomerene Water Users Association filed a Notice of Termination stating that St. David Irrigation District has claimed the Pomerene diversion structure and the Pomerene canal. At that time, the Pomerene Water Users Association notified the court of those persons and entities who had petitioned to be annexed into the St. David Irrigation District. Mark and Carrie Fenn were included on the list of individuals and entities filed with the court. Accordingly,

# IT IS ORDERED:

- 1. <u>Contested Case, Consolidation, Designation and Docket Number</u>. This contested case initiates case no. W1-11-1916. The contested case is consolidated with *In St. David Irrigation District*, Contested Case No. W1-11-1675.
- 2. <u>Litigants</u>. The litigants in this contested case are the claimant and land owner, Mark and Carrie Fenn, all persons who filed objections to the listed watershed file reports who are listed on Attachment B, and claimants who are allowed to intervene by order.
- 3. <u>Court-Approved Mailing List</u>. The initial Court-approved mailing list for this case shall include all persons listed on Attachment B to this order. This mailing list shall be merged

with the mailing list for St. David except that the St. David Irrigation District shall be substituted for the landowner. Litigants are responsible for using the current Court-approved mailing list. Special Master On April 1, 2019, the original of the foregoing was delivered to the Clerk of the Maricopa County Superior Court for filing and distributing a copy to the persons listed on Attachment B that includes the Claimants and Objectors. 

# **ATTACHMENT A**

LAND OWNER

WATERSHED FILE REPORT NUMBER

FENN, ALVAH F. & BARBARA H. 112-17-BAD-022

APPLICABLE FILINGS AND DECREES

# CLEARLY STATED INFORMATION FROM FILINGS AND DECREES

FILING NUMBER 	FILING STATUS  QUE.RECD	STOCK		USE LO SECTION  SWNESW11	TWNP	RNGE	DATE	DIVERSION LOCATION SECTION TWNP RNGE 
39-0006666	QUE.RECD	OTHER DOMESTIC	2.00	SWNESW11	170S	200E	1980	SWNESW11 170S 200E

# DWR ANALYSIS OF FILINGS AND DECREES

FILING NUMBER	USES CLAIMED OR REFERENCED	USES FOUND BY DWR	APPLIES TO DIVERSIONS	APPLIES TO PWR NUMBERS
39-0006664	IRRIGATION STOCK OTHER	IRRIGATION INCIDENTAL	WO2	IRO01, IRO90, SRO01
39-0006666	DOMESTIC	INCIDENTAL DOMESTIC	WO1	DMOO1

# DIVERSIONS

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DIV #	SECTION	TWNP	RNGE	DIVERSION	NAME	WATER SOL	URCE	ΑN	ND CLASSIFICATION	
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MO3	SENESW11	1705	200E	UNNAMED		SHARED GROUNDWAT		•	CATALOGUED	J RIVER

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# RESERVOIRS

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# SHARED USES AND DIVERSIONS

\*\* WATER FROM WO2 IS SHARED WITH THESE ADDITIONAL FILES: 112-17BAD-33

# PWR SUMMARY

PWR #	ADJ FILINGS	PRE FILINGS	*APPARENT FIRST USE DATE* DATE BASIS FOR DATE	WATER SOURCES AND CLASSIFICATIONS
IROO1	39-0006666 39-0006664	NONE	1912 POMERENE W.U.A. INFO	GROUNDWATER : CATALOGUED GROUNDWATER : ZONE 1 OF THE
IRO90	39-0006664	NONE	1976 1976 AERIAL PHOTO	SAN PEDRO RIVER GROUNDWATER : ZONE 1 OF THE
SR001	39-0006664	NONE	1935 1935 AERIAL PHOTO	GROUNDWATER : ZONE 1 OF THE SAN PEDRO RIVER

PWR #	QUANTIFICATION TYPE	ACRES	CROP TYPE	EFF	WATER DUTY	ESTIMATED VOLUME	REMARKS
IROO1 IRO90 SROO1	MAX. OBSERVED REGIONAL MAX. POTENTIAL REGIONAL MAX. AREA/CAP	2.4 2.4 2.4 1.7 LT 2.0	PERM. PSTR AVE. CROP ALFALFA NO CROP	32% 50% 32%	9.9 AF/AC 5.4 AF/AC 10.4 AF/AC	23.8 AFA 13.0 AFA 25.0 AFA LTE 15.0 AF	SEE VOLUME 1 - GENERAL ASSESSMENT DISCONTINUED IRRG.

## EXPLANATION

### FILINGS AND DECREES

FILING 39-6664 - CLAIMS IRRIGATION, STOCKWATERING, AND OTHER WATER USES. THE CLAIMED "OTHER" WATER USE IS FOR FIRE PROTECTION.
FILINGS 39-6664 & 39-6666 - UNIFORM QUESTIONNAIRES WERE RECEIVED WHICH SUPPLIED NEW INFORMATION ON USE LOCATIONS.

### **DIVERSIONS**

W1 & W3 - CATALOGUED WELLS PROVIDE WATER FOR DOMESTIC AND STOCKWATERING USES. W2 - WELL PROVIDES WATER FOR IRRIGATION, STOCKWATERING, AND FIRE PROTECTION USES.

### USES AND RESERVOIRS

DM1 - DOMESTIC USE.

IR1 - IRRIGATED PASTURE.

IR90 - DISCONTINUED IRRIGATION: D.W.R. HAS DETERMINED THAT NO IRRIGATION HAS OCCURRED ON A PORTION OF THIS PROPERTY IN THE LAST FIVE YEARS, BUT THERE HAS BEEN IRRIGATION WITHIN THE PAST TEN YEARS BSED UPON A REVIEW OF HISTORICAL AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY AND FIELD INVESTIGATIONS.

SR1 - SMALL RESERVOIR, SUPPLIED BY WELL W2, IS USED FOR STOCKWATERING AND FIRE PROTECTION PURPOSES.

### SHARED USES AND DIVERSIONS

W2 - WELL IS SHARED WITH W.F.R. #112-17-BAD-33.

### PWR SUMMARY

FILINGS MADE BY THE POMERENE WATER USERS ASSOCIATION ALSO APPLY TO IRRIGATION USES (IR1) ON THIS PROPERTY. FOR MORE INFORMATION ON THE POMERENE WATER USERS ASSOCIATION, SEE THE MAJOR USERS REPORTS IN VOLUME 1.

# **ATTACHMENT B**

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