## SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA MARICOPA COUNTY

October 20, 2022 CLERK OF THE COURT FORM V000

SPECIAL WATER MASTER SUSAN HARRIS M. Pritchard

Deputy

FILED: October 31, 2022

In Re: The General Adjudication of All Rights to Use Water in the Gila River System and Source W-1, W-2, W-3 and W-4 (Consolidated)

In re: Edgar and Lorraine Dinwiddie Contested Case No. W1-11-1350

## **MINUTE ENTRY**

Courtroom: CCB 301

3:01 p.m. This is the time set for a telephonic Status Conference before Special Water Master Susan Ward Harris.

The following attorneys and parties appear in-person:

- Joseph Sparks and Alex Ritchie for the San Carlos Apache Tribe
- Katrina Wilkinson and Michael Foy for Salt River Project ("SRP")
- Bradley J. Pew and Christina Jovanvic for ASARCO
- Richard Palmer for the Tonto Apache Tribe
- Sue Montgomery for the Yavapai Apache Nation (and observing for the Pascua Yaquai Tribe)
- Jennifer Wendell for the United States
- Lisa Dubis for the Bureau of Land Management
- Pamela Sparks, historian for Sparks Law
- Shelly Scriven, personal representative for the Estate of Keith Dinwiddie

- Guadalupe (Lupita) Ramirez Durazo Dinwiddie (also previously known by the surnames Fox and Inojos) and Javier Ramirez
- Jared Clark of Court Interpretation and Translation Services is present interpreting the proceedings into Spanish on behalf of Ms. Dinwiddie.

A record of the proceedings is made digitally in lieu of a court reporter.

The United States has filed a motion to appear telephonically for today's hearing. As no reason was given for the failure to appear on August 12 2022,

## **IT IS ORDERED** denying the motion.

The Court received a fax from Ms. Dinwiddie titled "Documents in Support of Claim Date and Family Tree". There were no attachments and the document did not appear to have been filed with the Clerk of Court. Therefore, the document will not be part of the record. Documents can be properly submitted to the Court and to the Clerk of the Court by mailing (not faxing) them to:

Clerk of the Superior Court Maricopa County Attn: Water Case 601 West Jackson Street Phoenix, AZ 85003

Susan Ward Harris Special Master Central Court Building, Ste 3A 201 West Jefferson Phoenix, AZ 85003-2205

The Court inquires of Ms. Scriven whether there is a dispute as to the ownership of the property in this case.

Ms. Scriven affirms. There is an open probate case (Case number PB2021-00290) regarding the property.

The Court inquires whether the estate is taking the position that it has title to the property.

Ms. Scriven explains that the probate judge in that case ordered that no one shall change titles to the property, but that was not followed. The probate case was filed September 20, 2021. An inventory was filed but was not acceptable and a new inventory is being taken by a third party.

The Court inquires of Ms. Dinwiddie whether she has attended any of the probate hearings.

Ms. Dinwiddie affirms and indicates that she put the properties in her name on the advice of her attorney.

The Court inquires of Ms. Dinwiddie whether she has filed a Statement of Claimant or any other document with ADWR at this time, whether a map has been prepared for the irrigation areas of tax parcel 104-41-001, and whether an answer has been received from the National Archives in response to her document request.

Ms. Dinwiddie answers no to all.

The Court will stay this case pending a decision in the probate matter regarding the ownership of the land.

There being no objections,

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** staying this case until the ownership of the property is determined in the probate proceeding.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Ms. Scriven shall file a status report in this case by December 20, 2022. The status report shall identify any motions pending or trial dates set to resolve the ownership of the property. If no proceedings are in place to determine the ownership of the property, the status report shall identify the next status conference set by the probate court or status report due to the probate court and the action proposed by the personal representative to resolve ownership to tax parcel 104-41-001. The status report shall be mailed to all persons listed on the court-approved mailing list.

Ms. Dinwiddie and Ms. Scriven update their addresses on the record.

3:17 p.m. Matter concludes.

A copy of this order is mailed to all persons listed on the Court-approved mailing list.