SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA MARICOPA COUNTY

January 7, 2025

CLERK OF THE COURT

SPECIAL WATER MASTER SHERRI ZENDRI

S. Ortega Deputy

In Re: Sandra B. and Charles E. Beeler Contested Case No. W1-11-1896

FILED: January 10, 2025

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: Initial Conference

MINUTE ENTRY

Courtroom: CCB 301

11:00 a.m. This is the time set for an initial conference.

The following attorneys and parties appear virtually and/or telephonically:

- Katrina Wilkinson for Salt River Project (SRP)
- David Gehlert for the Natural Resources Agency of the United States
- Amanda Eubanks for the United States Department of Justice
- Merrill C. Godfrey for the Gila River Indian Community
- Laurel A. Herrmann for San Carlos Apache Tribe
- Susan Montgomery for the Yavapai Apache Nation and observing for the Pasqua Yaqui Tribe
- Kaitlyn Smith for ASARCO
- John Burnside for BHP Copper
- Karen Nielsen for the Arizona Department of Water Resources (ADWR)
- Garrett Perkins observing for the St. David Irrigation District
- Denise Riden for Cochise County Attorney's Office
- Candace D. French for the Navajo Nation

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

LET THE RECORD REFLECT that property owners Sonia G. and Raymond A. Preciado failed to appear at today's initial hearing. The Court informs counsel that notice with this minute entry will be sent to the property owners providing an opportunity to notify the Court in writing if they wish to move forward with pursuing water rights. If so, another hearing will be set. Otherwise, the matter will be closed.

11:05 a.m. Hearing concludes.

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

LATER:

Property owners Sonia G. and Raymond A. Preciado failed to appear at today's initial hearing.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that that if Sonia G. and Raymond A. Preciado wish to pursue whatever potential water rights they may have, they must notify this Court of their interest in writing by **5:00pm on Friday, February 7, 2025**, at the following address:

General Stream Adjudication ATTN: Water Master Zendri 201 W Jefferson St. CCB Suite 3A Phoenix, AZ 85003

If the Court receives no notice by that date, the property owners will be removed from the court approved mailing list and potential water rights in this contested case forfeited.