

SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA
MARICOPA COUNTY

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FORM V000

SPECIAL MASTER GEORGE A. SCHADE,
JR.

L. Firriello

Deputy

Civil No. W1-11-3342

FILED: 09/12/2011

In Re the General Adjudication
of All Rights to Use Water in
The Gila River System and Source

In Re Aravaipa Canyon Wilderness Area

In Re Oral Argument Motions for Summary
Judgment

MINUTE ENTRY

Central Court Building, Lower Level, Courtroom 1

9:02 a.m. This is the time set for Oral Argument regarding three (3) Motions for Summary Judgment filed by the United States Department of Justice, Freeport-McMoRan Corporation and Salt River Project.

Present are: David A. Brown on behalf of Bayless & Berkalew Company and various claimants; Theresa M. Craig on behalf of the Arizona Attorney General's Office, Natural Resources Section; L. William Staudenmaier and Shilpa Hunter-Patel on behalf of Freeport-McMoRan Corporation; Scott M. Deeny, John B. Weldon, Jr., Lisa M. McKnight, Patrick B. Sigl, and Rebecca Davidson on behalf of Salt River Project; Rich Burtell on behalf of Plateau Resources; R. Lee Leininger on behalf of the United States Department of Justice; Susan B. Montgomery on behalf of Yavapai-Apache Nation; Joe P. Sparks on behalf of San Carlos Apache Tribe and Tonto Apache Tribe. Also present are Special Master, George A. Schade, Jr. and assistant Barbara K. Brown.

Court Reporter Marnie Guimont is present.

Argument is presented by Mr. Leininger. The Special Master accepts four color photographs of Aravaipa Creek for demonstrative purposes only.

Argument is presented by Mr. Staudenmaier and Mr. Deeny.

10:22 a.m. Court stands at recess.

10:36 a.m. Court reconvenes with respective counsel present.

Court Reporter Marnie Guimont is present.

Responsive arguments are presented by Mr. Leininger, Mr. Staudenmaier and Mr. Deeny.

IT IS ORDERED that this matter shall be deemed taken under advisement.

11:36 a.m. Matter concludes.

A copy of this order is mailed to all parties on the Court approved mailing list for Contested Case No. W1-11-3342 dated July 25, 2011.