

SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA
APACHE COUNTY

10/18/2019

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SPECIAL WATER MASTER SUSAN WARD
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In re: Hopi Reservation HSR
Contested Case No. CV 6417-203

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

In re: Oral Argument

MINUTE ENTRY

Courtroom: CCB 301

1:30 p.m. This is the time set for Oral Argument on the City of Flagstaff's Motion to Limit Deposition Testimony of Brad Hill.

The following attorneys appear telephonically: Carrie Brennan and Kevin Crestin on behalf of AZ State Land Department; David Brown, Brian Heiserman, and Bradley Pew on behalf of LCR Coalition; Colin Campbell, Grace Rebling and Phillip Londen on behalf of the Hopi Tribe; Evan Hiller and Jeffrey Leonard on behalf of the Navajo Nation; Sterling Solomon, Sara Ransom and Lee Storey on behalf of the City of Flagstaff; and Cody McBride on behalf of the United States.

Court reporter, Marylynn Lemoine, is present and a record of these proceedings is made digitally.

Oral argument is presented on the City of Flagstaff's Motion to Limit Deposition Testimony of Brad Hill by Sara Ransom and Colin Campbell.

IT IS ORDERED directing Ms. Ransom to draft a form of order that is more specific than the general order provided by October 28, 2019.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED directing Mr. Campbell to hand deliver a deposition transcript for the Court's review by October 28, 2019.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Hopi Tribe shall file a response to the City of Flagstaff's proposed form of order by October 30, 2019. The City of Flagstaff shall file a reply by November 1, 2019. The Court will rule on the Motion by November 4, 2019.

Mr. Leonard raises two questions concerning the responses that are due by the parties on November 11, 2019 on the objections to draft findings.

Mr. Leonard states that the Court's order says responses shall be filed no later than November 11, 2019 which is a federal holiday and if the Court actually meant November 12, 2019.

The Court states the date was an error and responses will due on November 12, 2019.

Mr. Leonard further states that he raised with the other parties the question how the parties are interpreting the Court's order on responses and with respect to the 15-page limit. Discussion is held.

The Court is not inclined to extend the page limit. The parties are to respond to objections to the Court's draft findings. The parties are not expected to respond to new proposed findings.

2:34 p.m. Matter concludes.

LATER:

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED setting a Status Conference on the Hopi Tribe's Efforts to Notify Hopi Allottees on **January 15, 2020 at 2:30 p. m.**

IT IS FURTHER ORDRED that the field trip for the Hopi Reservation shall occur on April 28 - 29, 2020. The Hopi Tribe shall provide an itinerary for the trip **by April 10, 2020** in the Superior Court of Arizona, Central Court Building, Courtroom 301, 201 West Jefferson Street, Phoenix, AZ 85003-2202.

Instructions for telephonic participation:

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