

SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA  
MARICOPA COUNTY

April 2, 2026

CLERK OF THE COURT  
B. Powell  
Deputy

SPECIAL WATER MASTER  
SHERRI ZENDRI

In Re The General Adjudication of  
All Rights to Use Water in the Gila  
River System and Source  
W1-00-001234 (Consolidated)

FILED: April 8, 2026

In re: Chester C. Antonick  
Contested Case No. W1-11-001508

**MINUTE ENTRY**

Courtroom 301 – Central Court Building

11:02 a.m. This is the time set for a Status Conference to receive an update from the landowners and discuss how to proceed before Special Water Master Sherri Zendri.

The following parties/attorneys appear virtually through Court Connect:

- Landowner, Eileen M. Brien and Joseph Rigner, are present on their own behalf
- Landowner, Kristin B. Bidegain, is present on her own behalf
- Landowners, Michael J. Mason and Emma Mason, are present on their own behalf
- Landowner, Amber Parker, is present on her own behalf
- Katrina Wilkinson on behalf of Salt River Project (“SRP”)
- Jana Sutton on behalf of the San Carlos Apache Tribe
- Brette Pena on behalf of the Gila River Indian Community (“GRIC”)
- Rachel Carol Frias on behalf of the Tonto Apache Tribe

- Sue Montgomery on behalf of the Yavapai Apache Nation and observing for the Pascua Yaqui Tribe
- Alexa Penalosa on behalf of the United States Department of Justice
- John Habib on behalf of BHP Copper
- Rhett Billingsley on behalf of American Smelting and Refining Company (“ASARCO”)
- Karen J. Nielsen on behalf of Arizona Department of Water Resources (“ADWR”)
- Garrett Perkins observing on behalf of the St. David Irrigation District

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

Ms. Nielson indicates to the Court that nothing has really happened since the last hearing. They are still waiting on claims to be processed.

Discussion is held with the litigants that the Court has an email address they can send all their claim information to and reminds them to respond to ADWR as soon as possible when they receive correspondence from them.

The email address for the Office of the Special Master is

**WATER@JBAZMC.MARICOPA.GOV**

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that ADWR provide an update regarding processing and if any additional information has been requested of the landowners on or before **July 2, 2026**.

11:11 a.m. Matter concludes.

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