Michael Duane Davis, SBN 093678 1 Marlene L. Allen-Hammarlund, SBN 26418 2 GRESHAM SAVAGE NOLAN & TILDEN, A Professional Corporation 3750 University Avenue, Suite 250 3 Riverside, CA 92501-3335 (951) 684-2171 Telephone: 4 Facsimile: (951) 684-2150 5 Attorneys for Cross-Defendant/Cross-Complainant, 6 A.V. UNITED MUTUAL GROUP; and Cross-Defendants, ADAMS BENNETT INVESTMENTS, 7 LLC; MIRACLE IMPROVEMENT CORPORATION dba GOLDEN SANDS MOBILE HOME PARK, aka GOLDEN SANDS TRAILER PARK, named as ROE 8 1121; ST. ANDREW'S ABBEY, INC., named as ROE 9 623; SERVICE ROCK PRODUCTS, L.P.; SHEEP CREEK WATER COMPANY, INC. 10 11 SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES 12 13 Coordination Proceeding Judicial Council Coordination Special Title (Rule 1550(b)) Proceeding No. 4408 14 ANTELOPE VALLEY Santa Clara Case No. 1-05-CV-049053 **GROUNDWATER CASES** 15 Assigned to the Honorable Jack Komar Department 17C Including **Consolidated** Actions: 16 CROSS-DEFENDANT/CROSS-Los Angeles County Waterworks District) 17 COMPLAINANT, A.V. UNITED MUTUAL No. 40 v. Diamond Farming Co. GROUP; AND CROSS-DEFENDANTS. 18 Superior Court of California, County of Los ADAMS BENNETT INVESTMENTS, LLC; Angeles, Case No. BC 325 201 MIRACLE IMPROVEMENT 19 CORPORATION dba GOLDEN SANDS Los Angeles County Waterworks District MOBILE HOME PARK, aka GOLDEN No. 40 v. Diamond Farming Co. 20 SANDS TRAILER PARK [ROE 1121]; ST. Superior Court of California, County of ANDREW'S ABBEY, INC. [ROE 623]; Kern, Case No. S-1500-CV-254-348 SERVICE ROCK PRODUCTS, L.P.; AND 21 SHEEP CREEK WATER COMPANY. 22 Wm. Bolthouse Farms, Inc. v. City of **INC.'S OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO** Lancaster ADD-ON NEW WOOD CASE TO Diamond Farming Co. v. City of 23 **GROUNDWATER ADJUDICATION CASES** Lancaster Diamond Farming Co. v. Palmdale 24 October 16, 2013 Date: Water Dist. Time: 10:00 A.M. 25 Superior Court of California, County of For Court's Use Only: Riverside, consolidated actions, Case Nos. RIC 353 840, RIC 344 436, RIC 344 668 26 Santa Clara County Case No. 1-05-CV-049053 AND RELATED ACTIONS. (For E-Posting/E-Service Purposes Only) -1-

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TO ALL PARTIES AND TO THEIR ATTORNEYS OF RECORD:

Cross-Defendant / Cross-Complainant, A. V. UNITED MUTUAL GROUP [comprised] of Antelope Park Mutual Water Co., Aqua-J Mutual Water Co., Averydale Mutual Water Co., Baxter Mutual Water Co., Bleich Flat Mutual Water Co., Colorado Mutual Water Co., Eldorado Mutual Water Co., Evergreen Mutual Water Co., Land Projects Mutual Water Co., Landale Mutual Water Co., Shadow Acres Mutual Water Co., Sundale Mutual Water Co., Sunnyside Farms Mutual Water Co., Tierra Bonita Mutual Water Co., Westside Park Mutual Water Co., and White Fence Farms Mutual Water Co., Inc.; and Cross-Defendants, ADAMS BENNETT INVESTMENTS, LLC; MIRACLE IMPROVEMENT CORPORATION dba Golden Sands Mobile Home Park, aka Golden Sands Trailer Park, named as ROE 1121; ST. ANDREW'S ABBEY, INC., named as ROE 623; SERVICE ROCK PRODUCTS, L.P.; and, SHEEP CREEK WATER COMPANY, INC., by and through their attorneys of record, Gresham Savage Nolan & Tilden, PC, by Michael Duane Davis and Marlene L. Allen-Hammarlund, hereby oppose the Petition filed by Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 40 ("District No. 40") to Add-On the case of Richard Wood v. County of Los Angeles, Los Angeles County Superior Court Case No. BS143790 ("Recent Wood Case") to the within coordinated and consolidated Antelope Valley Groundwater Adjudication cases (the "Opposition").

This Opposition is based on the fact that the Recent Wood Case is not an action relating to the adjudication of the groundwater in the Antelope Valley, but rather is an action filed solely by Richard Wood concerning a Public Records Act ("PRA") Request he made to District No. 40 requesting public records to which he claims he is entitled. The parties to the Antelope Valley Groundwater Adjudication should not be burdened with yet another case being added on to this already complex case concerning issues that are solely between Mr. Wood and District No. 40.

Pursuant to the Minute Order filed by the Court on October 10, 2013, District No. 40's Petition for Add-On Case will be heard on October 16, 2013, at 10:00 a.m. Accordingly, these parties respectfully request that this Court rule that the Recent Wood Case <u>not</u> be an Add-On to

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1 the existing Antelope Valley Groundwater Adjudication cases, but rather that the issue of the 2 PRA Request be handled separately since it does not involve any other parties to this action. 3 DATED: October 10, 2013. Respectfully submitted, 4 GRESHAM SAVAGE NOLAN & TIDEN, PC 5 6 MICHAEL DUANE DAVIS, ESQ. 8 MARLENE L. ALLEN-HAMMARLUND, ESQ. Attorneys for CROSS-DEFENDANT / CROSS-9 COMPLAINANT, A. V. UNITED MUTUAL GROUP: and CROSS-DEFENDANTS, ADAMS BENNETT 10 INVESTMENTS, LLC, MIRACLE IMPROVEMENT CORPORATION dba GOLDEN SANDS MOBILE 11 HOME PARK, aka GOLDEN SANDS TRAILER PARK [ROE 1121], ST. ANDREW'S ABBEY, INC. [ROE 12 623], SERVICE ROCK PRODUCTS, L.P., and SHEEP CREEK WATER COMPANY, INC. 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27

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Re: ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER CASES

Los Angeles County Superior Court Judicial Council Coordinated Proceedings No. 4408; Santa Clara County Superior Court Case No. 1-05-CV-049053

I am employed in the County of Riverside, State of California. I am over the age of 18

years and not a party to the within action; my business address is: 3750 University Avenue, Suite 250, Riverside, CA 92501-3335.

On October 11, 2013, I served the foregoing document(s) described as CROSS-DEFENDANT/CROSS-COMPLAINANT, A.V. UNITED MUTUAL GROUP; AND CROSS-DEFENDANTS, ADAMS BENNETT INVESTMENTS, LLC; MIRACLE IMPROVEMENT CORPORATION dba GOLDEN SANDS MOBILE HOME PARK, aka GOLDEN SANDS TRAILER PARK [ROE 1121]; ST. ANDREW'S ABBEY, INC. [ROE 623]; SERVICE ROCK PRODUCTS, L.P.; AND SHEEP CREEK WATER COMPANY, INC.'S OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO ADD-ON NEW WOOD CASE TO GROUNDWATER ADJUDICATION CASES on the interested parties in this action in the following manner:

(X) **BY ELECTRONIC SERVICE** – I posted the document(s) listed above to the Santa Clara County Superior Court website, http://www.scefiling.org, in the action of the Antelope Valley Groundwater Cases,

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on October 11, 2013, at Riverside, California.

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