

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES**

**CONFORMED COPY
ORIGINAL FILED
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES**

Coordination Proceeding
Special Title (Rule 1550(b))

ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER CASES

Included Actions:

Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 40 v.
Diamond Farming Co.
Superior Court of California
County of Los Angeles, Case No. BC 325 201

Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 40 v.
Diamond Farming Co.
Superior Court of California, County of Kern,
Case No. S-1500-CV-254-348

Wm. Bolthouse Farms, Inc. v. City of Lancaster
Diamond Farming Co. v. City of Lancaster
Diamond Farming Co. v. Palmdale Water Dist.
Superior Court of California, County of Riverside,
consolidated actions, Case Nos.
RIC 353 840, RIC 344 436, RIC 344 668

Willis v. Los Angeles County Waterworks District
No. 40
Superior Court of California, County of Los
Angeles, Case No. BC 364 553

Wood v. Los Angeles County Waterworks District
No. 40
Superior Court of California, County of Los
Angeles, Case No. BC 391869

MAR 01 2013

John A. Clarke, Executive Officer/Clerk
BY *Cristina Medina* Deputy
Cristina Medina

Judicial Council Coordination
Proceeding No. 4408

For Court's Use Only:
Santa Clara County Case No.
1-05-CV-049053
(for E-Posting/E-Service
Purposes Only)

Date/Time: Friday, February 15, 2013 (1:30pm)

Location: Superior Court of California
County of Santa Clara

Department 1
191 N. 1st Street
San Jose, CA 95113

Present: Hon. Jack Komar, Judge

R. Walker (Santa Clara County)

*Antelope Valley Groundwater Cases (JCCP 4408)
Los Angeles County Superior Court, Case No. BC 325 201
February 15, 2013 (1:30pm) / Hon. Jack Komar*

F:\Komar\Antelope Valley\2013-02-15 MO.doc

MINUTE ORDER: **FURTHER CASE MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE AND EX PARTE APPLICATIONS**

The appearances of all counsel present are noted by the Court via the roll call sheet provided by CourtCall; this roll call sheet is attached to this minute order.

Ex Parte Application by Wood Plaintiffs (Atty McLachlan) for SECOND Amendment to CMO for Phase 4 Trial regarding procedure for depositions – matter is heard and argued. The Proposed Second Amendment to CMO for Phase 4 Trial is approved and signed by the Court, and shall be posted online.

Request by Phelan Piñon Hills CSD (Atty Milliband) on its Ex Parte Application for Amendment to Discovery Order for Phase 4 Trial – matter is heard and argued. The Court confirms that any claims to return flows resulting from use of native water (not imported water) are preserved for determination during later proceedings following Phase 4. Mr. Milliband’s proposed Order, posted online on December 18, 2012, shall be signed and posted online.

As to the *location* of the trial, the Court hopes to hold the trial in Los Angeles. Further discussion is held with counsel, but final determination is reserved for a later time. The Court has advised counsel that there will be a two-week break *after* the first two weeks of trial.

If necessary, a Telephonic Further Case Management Conference is set for **March 1, 2013 at 9:00 a.m. in Department 1 (Los Angeles County Superior Court)**. With respect to any disputes, the Court reminds counsel that a meet-and-confer should be conducted *before* the issue is brought to the Court.

A Telephonic Case Management Conference is also set for **March 25, 2013 at 9:00 a.m. in Department 1 (Los Angeles County Superior Court)**.

Future Events:

- | | |
|-------------------------|--|
| March 1, 2013 (9:00 am) | Further Case Management Conference – via CourtCall |
| March 15, 2013 (9:00am) | Order to Show Cause Hearing re Approval of Stipulations of the parties on evidence relevant to the Phase 4 Trial - Department 1, Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles |
| March 25, 2013 (9:00am) | Further Case Management Conference – via CourtCall |
| May 13, 2013 (9:00am) | Hearing on motion(s) in limine re: federal reserved Rights and/or return flows |

May 28, 2013 (9:00am)

Trial (Phase 4) – Department 1, Superior Court of
California, County of Los Angeles
(location will be confirmed)

PARTIES/ATTORNEYS OF RECORD:

See attached CourtCall Roll Call Sheet.

REPORTER: This hearing was not reported.