

**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

Wood v. A.V. Materials, Inc., et al., Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles, Case No. BC 509546

Wood v. County of Los Angeles, Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles, Case No. BS 143790 [ADD-ON PETITION IS PENDING]

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
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Date/Time: Wednesday, January 7, 2015

10:00 a.m.

Location: [CourtCall]

Superior Court of California
County of Santa Clara

Present: Hon. Jack Komar, Judge
_____, Reporter

Rowena Walker, Clerks (SC)
_____, C.A. Deputy Sheriff (SC)

MINUTE ORDER / TELEPHONIC CONFERENCE TO DISCUSS

- Demand by Charles Tapia and the Nellie Tapia Family Trust for Inclusion in Settlement Discussions, filed on December 16, 2014
- Demand by the Willis Class for Inclusion in Settlement Negotiations, filed December 22, 2014
- Demand by Juanita Eyherabide and the Eyherabide Sheep Company for Inclusion in Settlement Negotiations, filed December 23, 2014
- Case Management Conference

An informal teleconference call was held by the Court, off the record, with counsel to discuss the various "demands" noted above.

Attorney McLachlan raised an issue regarding the briefing schedule noted in the November 4, 2014 Case Management Order (attached for reference), specifically, the possibility of being unable to meet the January 15, 2015 deadline to file the Stipulation(s) for Entry of Judgment by the Stipulating Parties. Should any party be unable to timely file its stipulation, the Court will address the issue at the next Case Management Conference, set for **January 22, 2015 at 10am in Department 12** of the Superior Court of California, County of Santa Clara, 191 N. 1st Street, San Jose, California.

There remains an outstanding issue between two parties, namely the Lane Family (represented by Attorney Theodore A. Chester, Jr.) and Granite Construction Company (represented by Attorney Robert Kuhs), which the Court reserved for further discussion after the ruling on the Final Approval Hearing of the Wood Class Settlement.

PARTIES/ATTORNEYS OF RECORD:

Blum, Sheldon	Goldsmith, Janet	McLachlan, Michael	Ukkestad, John
Brumfield, Robert	Graham, Justin	Miliband, Wesley	Wang, Wendy
Bunn, Thomas	Holmes, Kyle	Ramos, Andrew	Weeks, Bradley
Casey, Edward	Hughes, Joseph	Reed, Chad	Wellen, Warren
Chester, Theodore	Joyce, Bob	Rose, Lori	Wilson, Walter
Coldren, Robert	Kalfayan, Ralph	Rusinek, Walter	Wood, Richard
Davis, Michael	Kuhs, Robert	S.Renwick, Edward	Worth, James
Dunn, Jeffrey	Kuney, Scott	Sanders, Christopher	Zimmer, Richard
Evertz, Douglas	Leininger, R.Lee	Skahan, Patrick	Zolezzi, Jeanne
Fife, Michael	Lemieux, Keith	Sloan, William	
Golden-Krasner, Noah	McElhaney, Leland	Tootle, John	

REPORTER:

Not reported.

EVENT CALENDAR:

January 22, 2015	10:00am	Blum MSJ; Motion to Sub Plaintiff to Willis Class; Request by Willis Class to Dismiss Answer of the Leslie Property; Hearing on Proposed Statement of Decision on PPH Trial on Causes of Action 2 and 6; CMC
Location: 191 N. 1 st Street, San Jose, CA (Department 12)		
February 6, 2015	9:00am	Motion for Preliminary Approval of the Wood Class Settlement
June 1, 2015	9:00am	Final Fairness Hearing (Wood Class Settlement)

MATTERS OFF CALENDAR AND CONTINUED UNTIL FURTHER ORDER OF THE COURT:

April 4, 2014	9am	Ex Parte Application by the United States to continue briefing schedule on the Federal Reserve Right Claim (currently: closing brief due April 2, 2014; opposition brief due April 22, 2014; reply brief due 5/1/14; stands submitted as of 5/1/14. Ex Parte Application by the Public Water Suppliers to Extend Date to Respond to Phase 6 Discovery Order
April 7, 2014 Dept 41, Room 417, 4 th Fl. Los Angeles	9am	AGWA's Motions, including, but not limited to: (1) Motion for Judgment on the Pleadings; (2) Motion in Limine for an Order Establishing the Evidentiary Standard for Notice for Proof of Prescription by the Public Water Purveyors; (3) Motion in Limine for an Order Establishing the Necessity of the Public Water Purveyors Proving the Elements of Prescription as to Each Landowner; and (4) Motion for Order Setting Matter for Jury Trial Joinders to the above motion by the Bolthouse Entities (Continued) Trial, Phase 5 (return flows, federal reserve rights); Wm. Bolthouse Farms, Inc.'s Motion for Non-Suit on the Federal Reserve Right Claim
August 4, 2014 Old Dept 1, Los Angeles	9am	Trial, Phase 6 (prescription + remaining issues)