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13 and Connie L. Cardile, Gene T. Bahlman, collectively known as the Antelope Valley Ground  
14 Water Agreement Association ("AGWA")

15 SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
16 FOR THE COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA

17 ANTELOPE VALLEY )  
18 GROUNDWATER CASES ) Judicial Council Coordination Proceeding  
No. 4408

19 Included Actions: )  
20 Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. )  
40 v. Diamond Farming Co. Superior Court of )  
California County of Los Angeles, Case No. BC )  
21 325 201 Los Angeles County Waterworks )  
22 District No. 40 v. Diamond Farming Co. )  
Superior Court of California, County of Kern, )  
23 Case No. S-1500-CV-254-348Wm. Bolthouse )  
24 Farms, Inc. v. City of Lancaster Diamond )  
Farming Co. v. City of Lancaster Diamond )  
25 Farming Co. v. Palmdale Water Dist. Superior )  
Court of California, County of Riverside, )  
26 consolidated actions, Case No. RIC 353 840, )  
27 RIC 344 436, RIC 344 668 )

28 JOINDER IN JOINT CASE  
MANAGEMENT STATEMENT


Date: November 25, 2008  
Time: 10:30 am  
Dept: 17

1 The Antelope Valley Groundwater Agreement Association (“AGWA”) hereby joins in the  
2 Joint Case Management Statement filed by Bolthouse Properties, LLC and Wm. Bolthouse Farms,  
3 Inc., dated November 21, 2008, as well as the Case Management Statements filed by Tejon  
4 Ranchcorp and US Borax.

5 AGWA further requests that the Court order that any Phase 3 Trial proceedings will be held  
6 in the Antelope Valley. This case deals with groundwater rights pertaining to the waters of the  
7 Antelope Valley Groundwater Basin. The issue is fundamentally a local concern, adjudicating the  
8 rights of the local public water purveyors and, most importantly, of local landowners. The vast  
9 majority of the parties are located in the Antelope Valley, and traveling to a remote location for trial,  
10 will be an undue burden on these parties. The community’s confidence in the equity and validity of  
11 the court’s proceedings in this phase cannot be guaranteed if trial is removed from the area and held  
12 in a location where it cannot be observed and monitored by the parties. For this reason, AGWA  
13 requests that the Court hold any Phase 3 Trial proceedings at the Antelope Valley at the Los Angeles  
14 Superior Court’s Michael D. Antonovich Courthouse in Lancaster. This location for trial was  
15 originally proposed by the lead plaintiff Los Angeles County Waterworks (see March 16, 2005 letter  
16 of Jeffrey V. Dunn, attached hereto), and AGWA supports this proposal.

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18 Dated: November 21, 2008

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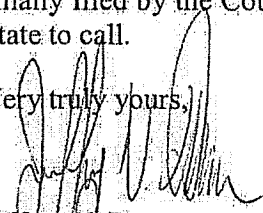
All Legal Counsel  
In the Antelope Valley  
Groundwater Adjudication  
Proceedings

Re: Venue for the Antelope Valley Ground Water Adjudication Proceedings

Dear Counsel:

We are pleased to learn that many of your respective clients now support the County of Los Angeles in its desire to have these proceedings take place within the County of Los Angeles. We appreciate your support for the County's position; and that the parties are willing to have the proceedings take place in Lancaster. We look forward to working with you to keep this matter within Los Angeles County where it was originally filed by the County. As always, if you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to call.

Very truly yours,

  
Jeffrey V. Dunn  
of BEST BEST & KRIEGER LLP

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**PROOF OF SERVICE**

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA,  
COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA**

I am employed in the County of Santa Barbara, State of California. I am over the age of 18 and not a party to the within action; my business address is: 21 E. Carrillo Street, Santa Barbara, California 93101.

On November 21, 2008, I served the foregoing document described as:

**JOINDER IN CASE MANAGEMENT STATEMENT**

on the interested parties in this action.

By posting it on the website at 3:00 ~~p.m.~~/a.m. on November 21, 2008.  
This posting was reported as complete and without error.

(STATE) I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the above is true and correct.

Executed in Santa Barbara, California, on November 21, 2008.

*Maria Klachko-Blair*

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